

Bethesda Eventide Times

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Hello and welcome to our newsletter for September 2024!

As always we have had lots going on in August that we are pleased to be able to share with you in this month's newsletter.

From our beach day, to first ever dog day there was lots happening and we were so glad that many of you were able to join us!

We have plenty planned for September, please see our main theme days to the right, you are more than welcome to join us for any of our activities!

We hope you all enjoyed the holiday period, and continue to enjoy the warm weather into September, we certainly will be!

We hope you enjoy September's newsletter!

from all at Bethesda Eventide Homes

September Dates

September 3rd

Seated Zumba

September 5th

Cheese Pizza Day

September 6th

Fitness with Luke

September 19th

Talk like a Pirate Day

September 20th

Kiddleydivey

September 21st

Ballet & Tap Dancing
Show

September 23rd

Miniature Golf Day



Out and About

We have continued to enjoy many trips and outings, and have been enjoying the summer weather. We have our “day out days” every Wednesday, and if we can't decide where to go, or the weather isn't great - we look forward to one of Shirley's Mystery Tours!





If you know of anyone who may like to receive our newsletter, please get in touch with the home so we can add them to our mailing list. Thank you!





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FIRE WORK NIGHT

FRIDAY 1st NOVEMBER 2024

Join us from 5pm for:

BBQ

Hot Chocolate

Live Singer

Fireworks (at 7pm)

Jamaican Independence Day

We celebrated Jamaican Independence Day with a BBQ, steel pan band and lots of Jamaican themed activities. After a wet morning, the sun came out and we enjoyed spending the afternoon out in the garden!







The name of the ninth month of the year - September, comes from the Latin word “septem”, meaning “seven”, because in the Roman calendar it was the seventh month.

September is the only month with the same number of letters in its name as the number of the month: it is the ninth month and has nine letters.

The Romans believed that the month of September was looked after by the god of the fire and forge - Vulcan. Therefore, they expected fires, earthquakes, and volcanic eruptions in this month.

In many parts of the world, September is the first month of autumn and it is associated with the beginning of school.

One Day In September, about the murder of 11 Israeli athletes at the 1972 Olympics, is the only film with September in the title to win an Oscar.

In 1752, September had only 19 days in the UK. The 3rd-13th were omitted in the change from Julian to Gregorian calendar. People living in Britain, America and other English colonies went to sleep on the night of Sept. 2, 1752, and when they woke up the next morning it was Sept. 14, 1752. Because the people thought the government was trying to cheat them out of 11 days of their lives, there were riots in villages.

September 2, 1666, was a terrible time for the city of London. A raging fire broke out within the older section of the city, completely destroying all it touched within the ancient Roman walls. What's most surprising about this tragedy is that there were only 6 recorded deaths!



We have a Homes Facebook page! We will post regular updates regarding activities within the home etc. and we hope it will enable people to have further insight into the day to days occurrences at Bethesda Eventide. Please feel free to join the page and invite others also.

VJ Day Celebrations





September Quiz

We hope you enjoy our September quiz, these occurrences all happened in the month of September ~ Answers will be included in next months newsletter!

1. In September 1953 John F Kennedy married Jacqueline. What was Jacqueline's maiden name?

2. Over a three day period 13000 houses were destroyed and 6 people killed in which catastrophic September event in 1666?

3. In 1609, Henry Hudson was the first European to discover which densely populated New York borough?

4. In 1822, Brazil declared independence from which European country?

5. On September 11th 2001, one of the worst terrorist attacks in history was carried out against the United States. Who was the President at this time and what were they doing at the time of the attacks?



6. On 1st September 1939, Germany started World War II when it invaded which country?

7. In 1620, a small ship with 102 passengers set sail for America. The pilgrims finally set foot in Plymouth 3 months later. What was the name of the ship?

8. In 1810, Chile declared it's independence from which European country?

9. In 1893, which southern-hemisphere country was the first to grant women the vote?

10. In 1829 the first British police force was established in London. They became known as 'bobbies', why?



11. Which American Rock Band released the song “Wake me up when September ends” in 2005?



If you see a photo in our newsletter of a loved one and would like a copy of it, please get in touch with the home so we can provide you with the original.

Indian Independence Day



Beach Day!

We thought we would bring the seaside to Eventide by having a beach themed day! With fish and chips, ice cream van, a sandcastle competition and a musical entertainment in the afternoon - it was a great day!



Carehome.co.uk is an excellent tool for supporting people in choosing a care home. If you would be willing to leave a review on this site, this would be most welcome.





Dog Show 2024

We were pleased to host our first ever dog show, to celebrate international dog day. It was a great event, and everyone was very well behaved - the dogs were very good too! A huge thank you to all who visited us, and a special thank you to Lenny, Shearer, Otis, Lillie, Orla, Milly, Spot, Rosie, Bear, Nellie and Bonnie!







Magic Marion



We haven't had any birthdays in August - which doesn't happen often!

In September we are looking forward to celebrating with Christine. We look forward to sharing some birthday pictures again next month!



The LORD himself goes before you
and will be with you;
he will never leave you nor forsake you.
Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged.

Deuteronomy 31:8



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