

### **Vitals Clinic**

Vitals clinic will be held in the community room on May 3<sup>rd</sup>! at 10:30

### **May Birthdays**

Kim V! 5/24 Gwen L! 5/30

### **Staff Birthdays**

 Ranay B!
 5/5

 Alex P!
 5/6

 Madelyn E!
 5/22

 Alfonso S!
 5/29



### National Nurse's Week!

A big warm thank you to Jenessa, Robin, and Katie for all that they do!



### **Spring**

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May weather rainbow sunshine umbrella spring cleaning warming rain rabbit hatch showers grass green Easter butterfly animals April flowers bloom

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### The Pebbles of Lake Phalen



The Shores of Lake Phalen | 1870 East Shore Drive | 651-777-7784 |

### **Celebrating May**

**National Strawberry Month** 

**National Salsa Month** 

**National Photography Month** 

May Day
May 1<sup>st</sup>

National Teachers Day
May 3<sup>rd</sup>

Cinco de Mayo May 5<sup>th</sup>

Nurse's Week
May 6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>

Mother's Day
May 14<sup>th</sup>

National Plant a Vegetable Garden Day May 19<sup>th</sup>

International Jazz Day
May 28<sup>th</sup>

Memorial Day (U.S.)

May 29<sup>th</sup>

### **Photography Month!**

May is National Photography month! With Spring flowers blooming and the wildlife coming back to nature there is no better time to capture memories that will last forever. We will be starting a photography club first meeting will be Friday May 5<sup>th</sup> at 8:30am. Concluding with a gallery party at the end of the month!

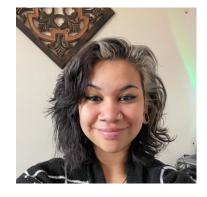




### The Shores New Activity Director!

My name is Aaliyah Sanders. Most of you already know me as Allie or Leah, I have been part of The Shores community for 3 years. I was recently promoted from the dietary department to your new activities' director. I am 24, I live on the border of Saint Paul and Maplewood with my boyfriend and 2 close friends and my 3 kitties I refer to as "the kids".

I look forward to spending more time doing fun, inclusive, activities with you all! Thank you (3)!





### Movie Mondays!

Residents, please know that you are more than welcome to pick out whatever movie you would enjoy watching. Feel free to go through them and give it to Aaliyah to turn on for you!



## Wii Sports is always available in the community room!

Wii Sports is an interactive activity to get the body moving! Wii Sports includes baseball, boxing, bowling, golf, and tennis. If you need assistance setting the game up, just ask a staff member and we will get you going!

### **Berry Pleasing**



Peak season for picking strawberries is April, which makes May, Strawberry Month, the perfect time to enjoy these luscious, red berries. In ancient Rome, strawberries were a symbol

of Venus, the goddess of love and beauty, thanks to their heart shape and red color. Strawberries are linked to the myth of the death of Adonis. He was gored to death by a boar in a hunting accident, which broke Venus' heart. As she cried, her tears mingled with Adonis' blood, and when they hit the ground, they turned into strawberries. Strawberries have long been associated with love, purity, and perfection. No wonder they are a perfect May snack!

# Welcome to The Shores Anna!



### **Outings this month:**

Perkins	5/5	11:00am
Wal-Mart	5/8	1:00pm
Bachman's	5/19	10:30 am
<b>Dollar Tree</b>	5/22	1:00pm
Keller Park	5/26	10:30am

(Please sign up at the front desk)

### This Month in History

### **May Day**

In 1889, May 1 was designated May Day, a day in support of workers, by an international federation of socialist groups and trade unions in commemoration of the Haymarket Affair, a violent confrontation that took place on May 4, 1886, in Chicago, Illinois.

May Day, also called Workers' Day or International Workers' Day, is the day that commemorates the struggles and gains made by workers and the labor movement. It is observed in many countries on May 1.

### **Cinco De Mayo**

Cinco de Mayo, or the fifth of May, is a holiday that celebrates the date of the Mexican army's May 5, 1862 victory over France at the Battle of Puebla during the Franco-Mexican War. The day, which falls on Friday, May 5 in 2023, is also known as Battle of Puebla Day. While it is a relatively minor holiday in Mexico, in the United States, Cinco de Mayo has evolved into a commemoration of Mexican culture and heritage, particularly in areas with large Mexican-American populations.

### **Amelia Earhart**

Amelia Earhart became the first woman to fly solo across the Atlantic. She departed Newfoundland, Canada, at 7 p.m. and landed near Londonderry, Ireland, completing a 2,026-mile flight in about 13 hours. Five years later, along with her navigator Fred Noonan, she disappeared while trying to fly her twin-engine plane around the equator.

#### Garden Club!

We will be starting gardening club on May 9<sup>th</sup> with a planting party at 10am! We will meet every Wednesday @ 3:30!



A peek at last year's club



### **Events:**

Mother's Day Tea Party...5/15... @ 2pm

North Suburban Chorus...5/16...@ 2pm

