

Talk of the Town

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MONTHLY ACTIVITIES NEWSLETTER

FEBRUARY 2024

In December and January, we had a running Vegas theme with our casino style New Years parties and our Elvis Impersonator. In February, we're honoring Black History Month with many special films and programs, while keeping things sweet in the middle of the month, and celebrating Lunar New Year. We have a Superbowl Appetizer party as well. Special recognition goes to our Gurwin Artists who have a feature art show at the Com-mack Library with a Reception on February 8th.

Sincerely, Your Gurwin Friends

HAPPY FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS!



Jonas F.	2-7
Elliott T.	2-9
Morris W.	2-10
Rucela W.	2-10
Maurice K.	2-11
Marjorie S.	2-15
Halona B.	2-18
Victor W.	2-22
Antonia D.	2-23



Michael M.	C Wing
Gabriel W.	B Wing
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HOW TO FIND OUT WHAT'S HAPPENING TODAY:

**-CALL 2868 TO HEAR
UPDATED ACTIVITIES
FOR THE DAY**

**-TURN TO CHANNEL 8
ON THE HOUSE TV**

**-LOOK FOR UPDATED
WHITE BOARDS NEAR
THE SYNAGOGUE AND
DINING ROOM**

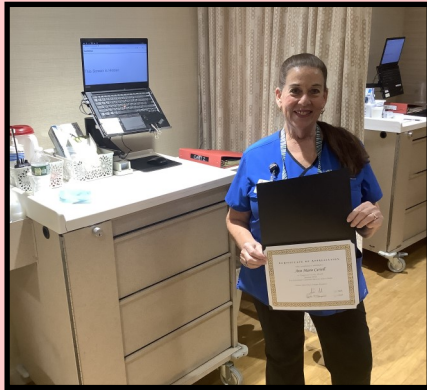
**SPECIAL POSTINGS AT
2 LOCATIONS:**

⇒ **B WING 1ST FLOOR
ELEVATORS**

⇒ **C WING 1ST FLOOR
ELEVATORS**

EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH

Ann Marie Carroll



RESIDENT OF THE MONTH

John D.



Gym Open Daily

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Handicap Parking Tags are available for your use at the Reception Desk

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To fill out Transportation applications, see Case Management

RESIDENT COUNCIL
FEBRUARY "K"ORNER

The opinions expressed below are solely those of Joel Karpp, Resident, Gurwin Assisted Living

BRRRRR! Remember "Winter?" New York Yankee YOGI BERRA, in one of his famous truisms, said it best: "it ain't over 'til it's over!" But here is another truism to ponder: "Aging does not protect us from love, but rather love, to some degree, can protect us all from Aging!" PROFOUND? MAYBE! Both are relevant for us because this shortest of months has two reminders about the power of "love" in its many forms. February (ADAR in the Jewish calendar) reminds us of the story of PURIM when a Jewish Queen who was so "loved" by her King & "her People" that she was able to save them from death at the hands of a despot, HAMAN, (AND the power of "LOVE") - and for others it is a special day to share with those we are closest to both our "LOVE" and appreciation for each other as well as for all those who are no longer with us (VALENTINES DAY). Keep yourselves warm and keep your LOVE burning in your hearts and souls always!

Meeting Date and Time:
Tuesday, February 27th at 2:30pm Synagogue

2022-2024 RESIDENT COUNCIL

MEMBERS:

Carol Sussman, John D'Angelo, Joel Karpp, Marcia Durst, Gilda Epstein, Lenore Feinstein, Stanley Myslinski, Barbara Robinson, Barbara Wander, Eleanore Goldman

Don't miss these guest lecturers & programs!

February 7th: Lecture with Bill Bleyer

"Sagamore Hill: Theodore Roosevelt's Summer White House"

A PowerPoint lecture that covers how the Roosevelt family began to visit Oyster Bay during the Civil War and Theodore Roosevelt built his dream house at Sagamore Hill where he hosted political guests like Henry Cabot Lodge and cultural luminaries like novelist Edith Wharton. Roosevelt spent his final years happily at Sagamore Hill, and after his death in 1919 the house was preserved by his widow, the Theodore Roosevelt Association and eventually the National Park Service.



Bill Bleyer was a prizewinning staff writer for *Newsday* for 33 years specializing in history and maritime issues before retiring in 2014 to write books and freelance for the newspaper and magazines.

He is co-author, with Harrison Hunt, of *Long Island and the Civil War* (The History Press, 2015). He is the author of *Sagamore Hill: Theodore Roosevelt's Summer White House* (The History Press, 2016); *Fire Island Lighthouse: Long Island's Welcoming Beacon* (The History Press, 2017), and *Long Island and the Sea: A Maritime History*, (The History Press 2019); *George Washington's Long Island Spy Ring: A History and Tour Guide* (The History Press, 2021), and *The Sinking of the Steamboat Lexington on Long Island Sound* (History Press, May 2023).

The Hofstra University graduate has taught economics and journalism there and history at Webb Institute, the naval architecture college in Glen Cove.

February 16th: Lecture with Professor J. Coll: "Lincoln and the Constitution"

The legal challenges presented by the Civil War remain unparalleled in American history. As a divided nation struggled with the issues of states' rights and slavery, Abraham Lincoln used the Constitution to expand executive power in unprecedented and controversial ways. In this lecture we will discuss how Lincoln led during what he defined as "so grave a matter as the destruction of our national fabric."



February 20th: Drumming with Rob





Trips depart from the community at 10:15am and 2:15pm. To go, be in the lobby READY at 10am and 2pm to get on the bus, unless otherwise specified.

Trip Schedule

**Thurs, Feb 1st @ 2:15: Nail Salon/Post Office/
Jewelry Exchange/Michaels**

Fri, Feb 2nd @ 2:15: Burlington

Mon, Feb 5th @ 10:15: TJ Maxx

**Tues, Feb 6th @ 2:15: Lunch at Precious Chinese
Restaurant**

Wed, Feb 7th @ 10:15: Kohl's

**Thurs, Feb 8th @ 2:15: Commack Library Art
Show-Shuttle For Artists**

Fri, Feb 9th @ 2:15: Walmart

Mon, Feb 12th @ 10:15: CVS

**Tues, Feb 13th @ 2:15: Commack Library Art
Gallery**

Wed, Feb 14th @ 10:15: Shoprite

Thurs, Feb 15th @ 2:15: Dollar Tree

Fri, Feb 16th @ 2:15: Marshalls

Tues, Feb 20th @ 2:15: Lunch At Olive Garden

**Wed, Feb 21st @ 10:15: SYJCC- "Great TV
Theme Songs" 1950-2000 \$10**

Thurs, Feb 22nd @ 2:15: Payless Shoes

Fri, Feb 23rd @ 2:15: Whole Foods

Mon, Feb 26th @ 10:15: Banks

Tues, Feb 27th @ 2:15: Stop And Shop

Wed, Feb 28th @ 10:15: Dollar Tree

**Thurs, Feb 29th @ 2:15: Nail Salon/Post Office/
Michaels/Jewelry Exchange**

*A * next to the trip name means that this trip requires pre-sign up ahead of time in order to make an appointment or reservation in advance. Please call Recreation at extension 8558 or 8559 to sign up for one of these trips.*



Celebrating New Years in Style!

Gurwin turned into a Vegas style casino on December 27th. With slot machines, horseracing, roulette and more, as pictured below. We had a dinner dance party on December 28th with entertainment by the Covner brothers. Staff joined in on the fun! Pictures on page 4.



Elvis was in the building!

In honor of the late "king's" birthday on January 8th, we invited an Elvis Impersonator, Steve Mitchell, to do a Vegas style show for us! He did a great job and we were all tapping our *blue suede shoes!!!*

