

Hawthorne House of Salem  
"News & Views"  
"A Loving Home for the Memory Impaired"

October  
2011



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Debbi Schuetze- RN

**Celebrating  
October**

**Seafood Month**

**Polish-American Heritage  
Month**

**Dessert Month**

**World Vegetarian Day**  
*October 1*

**Carry a Tune Week**  
*October 2-8*

**World Rainforest Week**  
*October 10-16*

**Moldy Cheese Day**  
*October 9*

**Columbus Day**  
*October 10*

**Family Meeting**  
*October 19<sup>th</sup> 1pm*

**Frankenstein Friday**  
*October 28*

**Trick or Treat**  
*October 31 6pm*

*Fall is here, which is my favorite time of year. I love the colors and the cool breezes.*

*Thank you all for coming to the BBQ. Everyone enjoyed yummy ribs, and great music by Royce. Thank you Royce.*

*Walk to Remember! Thank you all for the bake sale and donations. We raised \$1000 and donated all to the Alzheimer's Network. Thank you team! ☺*

*All kids are welcome to Trick or Treat at both homes this Halloween, the 31<sup>st</sup>, at 6:00 p.m. Feel free to come that evening and give out candy with your loved one if you would like. Both homes will be waiting for kids. Will you help donate some candy for the treats for that evening? If you can help please drop it by the office the week before.*

*We will once again be having our Resident's Door Decorating contest for Halloween. The staff really enjoyed competing, and picking a door to decorate, and really want to do it again this year. The decorating will start the 3<sup>rd</sup> week of this month. (If you do not want your loved ones door decorated please let me know.) Please stop by the office to vote on the 31<sup>st</sup>.*

*Family Meeting is this month. Mark your calendars please Oct. 19<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 pm. The meetings will be at Harmony House this time. This is a great time to meet other families, get some great information and share stories about your loved one. I hope to see you there.*

*Sincerely,  
Michele Nixon & Hawthorne Staff*

## In Loving Memory

**Norma Witt** and **Dorothy Owens** passed away end of August. Prayers and blessings to their families, and to the WONDERFUL staff. We miss both of them so much and they both were very much loved.

**Claude Wood** passed away in September. Prayers and blessings to Claude's family, and to the loving staff. Claude was loved so much and will be missed deeply.



Blessings!

Kudos to all the Staff for all the care and love they show every day. Staff we love and appreciate you all so much.

Please show the staff every day the appreciation they deserve, a hug, a thank you, or just a smile!  
We love you staff!

## Please Welcome!

### **Mary, Bob & Benny**

To our family at Hawthorne House. Please take the time to introduce yourselves to them.

Mary, Bob & Benny all have wonderful kids that will visit often.

### Kudos for September:

Congratulations Anita Lobos! Thank you for always going way above and beyond. We appreciate you!

## Hawthorne's Wonderful Team

**Am:** Karla, Heather, Jessica  
**Pm:** Melissa, Kearston, Kayla  
**Nights:** Angela, Christina, Rossana  
**On call:** Carlos, Kirshanna, Anita, and Sisina

*Some staff changes. Please welcome Rossana, Christina & Kayla to our team. Anita needs to be home with her kids after school so she is going to help both homes on dayshift with housekeeping and care. Angela went to night shift so she can be home with baby during the day. Good luck staff!  
Welcome Kearston she has worked next door for over a year, and is helping us at Hawthorne. Thank you!*

**October Birthdays!**  
*We wish you a very  
Happy Birthday!  
Thelma~13<sup>th</sup>*



***Happy Anniversary***

**Melissa** for one year. Thank you for all your dedication at Hawthorne House!  
Thank you *Melissa* for all your hard work, smiles, and caring heart.  
*We love you!*  
*We hope you will be with us many more years!*

**Heather** for two and half years, that includes this last year as Assistant Administrator. Congrats on your recent graduation certificate. Good job Heather!



**BBO MEMORIES!**



Joyce and her daughter!



Mary and her son!



Toddy enjoying the fun!

**Dementia Symptoms**

Dementia symptoms include difficulty with many areas of mental function, including:

- Language
- Memory
- Perception
- Emotional behavior or personality
- Cognitive skills (such as calculation, abstract thinking, or judgment)

Dementia usually first appears as forgetfulness.

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Hawthorne Friends and Families

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FOR THE MEMORY IMPAIRED**

*Delivering Quality of Care, Enhancing Quality of Life*

**Hawthorne House of Salem**

3042 Hyacinth St. NE  
Salem, OR 97301  
Administrator: Michele Nixon

**Harmony House of Salem**

3062 Hyacinth St. NE  
Salem, OR 97301  
Administrator: Michele Nixon

**Heritage House of Woodburn**

943 N. Cascade Dr.  
Woodburn, OR 97071  
Administrator: Shannon Souza

**Arbor House of Grants Pass**

820 Gold Court  
Grants Pass, OR 97527  
Administrator: Shelly Boatman

**Autumn House of Grants Pass**

2268 Williams Hwy.  
Grants Pass, OR 97527  
Administrator: Dale Reynolds

**Applegate House of Grants Pass**

1635 Kellenbeck Ave.  
Grants Pass OR 97527  
Administrator: Nancy Decker

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## October Birthdays

Libras born between October 1 and 22 seek balance and harmony just like their symbol, the scales. They are very social, seek compromise, and have strong powers of critical thinking. Scorpios born from October 23 to 31 enjoy intense and dramatic personal relationships. Even young Scorpios are thought to be wise beyond their years, with deep emotions and sensitivity.

George "Spanky" McFarland (actor) – Oct. 2, 1928  
Charlton Heston (actor) – Oct. 4, 1923  
Desmond Tutu (activist) – Oct. 7, 1931  
Henry John Heinz (businessman) – Oct. 11, 1844  
Penny Marshall (actress) – Oct. 15, 1942  
Angela Lansbury (actress) – Oct. 16, 1925  
Celia Cruz (singer) – Oct. 21, 1925  
Bobby Knight (coach) – Oct. 25, 1940  
Julia Roberts (actress) – Oct. 28, 1967  
Charles Atlas (bodybuilder) – Oct. 30, 1892  
Jane Pauley (journalist) – Oct. 31, 1950

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