



*Every Reason  
Every Season*

Locally Owned and  
Operated

November 2022

## **Administrators Message... Alexa Saco**

To our Briarwood Friends and Family:

What a wonderful time of year it is! I hope all of you follow our Facebook page and had the opportunity to see the joy and excitement this years Halloween party brought. It has been such a pleasure to reexperience so many of the activities we were able to do before the pandemic. With the Daycare being next door, we were able to share the trick or treat experience with the kiddos.

Please keep an eye out for activity updates for both Thanksgiving and Christmas. Although the Christmas holiday is two months away, it comes up quicker than we think! We have started planning our gift exchange, meal ideas for residents, and party events.

As always, as the weather begins to get colder and colder we would appreciate if everyone could go through their families closets and make sure summer clothes are removed with winter clothes added. Given the compact amount of closet space, it is important we keep it as organized as we possibly can.

As always, thank you for the love and support,

Alexa Saco, MHA, LNHA

## November Birthday

Rose Ryan	11/1
Betty Moreno	11/5
Rose Zinkula	11/6
Bev Cray	11/11
David Schoonover	11/15
Ron Vermillion	11/15
Helen Phelan	11/16
Nita Brown	11/30
Patricia Davis	11/30



## Employee Anniversaries

Alejandra Hurtado	8 years
Liz Phillips	5 years
Charlotte Wetjen	1 year
Emma Dukes	1 year

Activity News... I can not believe how nice the weather is still this late in the fall! Many of our residents are still taking advantage and getting out on the patio as much as possible. Family and friends are now able to join in on Activities and sit in the Dining room with your loved one!!!

The activity department is beginning to plan for the holiday season! This is such a fun time for both the residents and staff! Thanksgiving will be here before we know it. With a little advanced notice and some planning we are able to offer some spaces for family gatherings. We are asking families to provide their own food and to let us know how many people will be attending so we may set up appropriately! You are always welcomed to take your loved one out, plan early to ensure rides are available if needed and the Nursing staff would like at least 24 hours notice to prepare medications and to pack extra essentials that you may need while they are out! We wish you a safe and memorable holiday season!

Susan P.- Activity Director



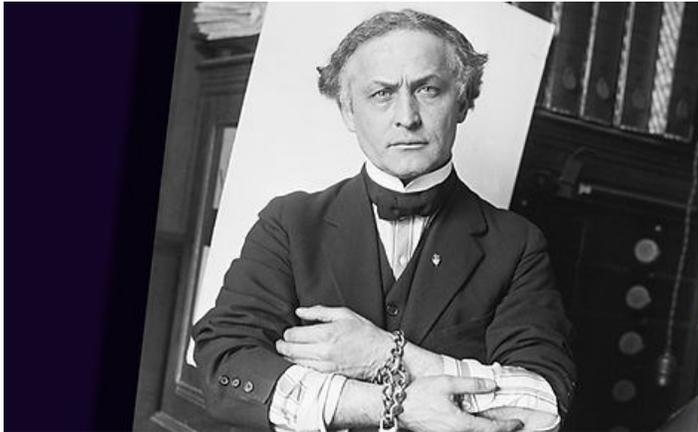
## Employee Birthdays

Kristin Solberg	11/1
Louis Silva	11/10
Iyahna Godfrey	11/20
Britany Bingle	11/20
Britney Toussaint	11/20
Tammy Frame	11/20
Renate Klein	11/22



# Faces of Briarwood

November 2022



*"It's not the trick.  
It's the magician."*

- Harry Houdini



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# Briarwood Healthcare Center

**Our Mission**-the goal we keep in mind in every action.

*We are committed to providing quality health care and therapy services for the ill, disabled, elderly, and those in transition from hospital to home in a way that exceeds the expectations of our customers, associates, and shareholders. We strive to deliver quality care while providing for the highest quality of life. As responsible members of the community, we provide substantial employment opportunities in professional, licensed, supportive, and administrative capacities.*

**Our Values**-the beliefs we hold as important that guide our actions.

*Compassion-caring for others with patience, kindness, and understanding.*

*Quality-committing to excellence to be the very best in all we do.*

*Passion-providing care and service to all with whom we come in contact.*

*Accountability-taking ownership to achieve desired results.*

*Diversity-striving to create collaboration, cooperation, and productivity by appreciating unique skills and abilities, and treating others with respect.*

*Integrity-adhering to moral and ethical principles, soundness of character, honesty, and fairness.*

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