

# Vernon Manor News

THE OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF VERNON MANOR



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### JOIN OUR TEAM!

#### We are hiring for:

- RNs (Days, Nights, PMs, Weekends)
- RN Nurse Manager (Days)
- LPNs (Days, Nights, PMs, Weekends)
- CNAs (Days, Nights, PMs, Weekends)
- Cook (Days/PM shift)
- Dietary Aide (PMs)

### Administrator Note

As spring arrives, we look forward to warmer weather and the opportunity to spend more time outdoors. With the change in season, we're also excited to introduce our new spring menu items, bringing fresh flavors for everyone to enjoy.

Spring is a time of growth and renewal, and a reminder of the importance of community. We are especially excited to celebrate Easter together, with festive activities planned, including our staff and resident egg hunt.

This past quarter also included our annual state survey, an important part of ensuring we continue to meet high standards of care. I am proud of our team for the professionalism, preparation, and dedication they demonstrated throughout the process. Their commitment to doing things the right way every day is what truly makes a difference.

We're excited to enjoy the season ahead together!

- Hailey Jackson Administrator

## **Upcoming Events**

April 2<sup>nd</sup> Good Friday

April 5<sup>th</sup> Easter

April 15<sup>th</sup> Tax Day

April 22<sup>nd</sup> Earth Day

April 24<sup>th</sup> Arbor Day

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

May 10<sup>th</sup> Mother's Day

May 25<sup>th</sup> Memorial Day

June 14<sup>th</sup> Flag Day

June 21<sup>st</sup> Father's Day

## **Donations**

Thank you to everyone who donated to the Secret Valentine's for Seniors and to Wildflower and Wren for providing the flowers. Thank you to everyone that has donated flowers, bingo prizes, and their time to our facility and residents.

## **Volunteer at Vernon Manor**

Volunteers touch the lives of our residents daily and in return they will brighten yours. Either through helping residents to and from activity functions, playing cards, reading to our residents or writing letters these are just a few fun filled activities you can participate in with our residents. You can touch their lives as much as they well touch yours. We would love to hear from you.

**Interested in Volunteering?** Complete our Volunteer Application on our website today and email it to Heather Miles, Activity Director at Vernon Manor.

To learn more about the rewarding volunteer opportunities we offer, please contact Heather Miles at [Hmiles@bsjcorp.com](mailto:Hmiles@bsjcorp.com).

THANK YOU!

Volunteers  
needed

Find the application on our website or by scanning the QR code below:  
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# Employee Highlights

## WORK ANNIVERSARIES

## NEW EMPLOYEES

### JANUARY

JUSTIN G- 1 YEARS  
ARRIANA N-1 YEAR  
ASHLEY S-1 YEAR  
SHERRIE C-3 YEARS  
SKYLER G-4 YEARS  
HELEN H-9 YEARS  
MARY P-9 YEARS  
BRYNN R-4 YEARS

### FEBRUARY

ANNABELLE B-1 YEAR  
ELLA S- 1 YEAR  
ADDISON W- 1 YEAR

ALEXANDRA W- 1 YEAR  
GINGER A- 3 YEARS  
ARLENE B- 20 YEARS  
CONNIE C- 43 YEARS  
TIFFANY T- 4 YEARS

### MARCH

JULIETTE G- 1 YEAR  
KALA O- 1 YEAR  
MAYLEE W- 1 YEAR  
MILLIE W- 1 YEAR  
SYNETTA G- 12 YEARS  
DIANNA M- 12 YEARS  
KAY Y- 4 YEARS

OLIVIA E-WEEKEND/PM  
RECEPTIONIST  
KHRISTYNA M- CNA IN TRAINING  
NIKO B-CNA  
RYAN C-CNA  
JOSEPH N- RN  
AMBER C- NUTRITION SERVICES  
PROFIT O- CNA

# Recreation Department News

In January, we kicked off the year by celebrating National Rubber Ducky Day. Residents enjoyed learning about the history of the rubber duck and had fun playing bingo with the Viroqua 4th graders for a chance to win their own duck. We also hosted a rummage sale, giving residents the opportunity to shop for new wardrobe pieces or pick out gifts for loved ones. To round out the month, we held a relaxing sugar scrub spa afternoon where residents refreshed and pampered their hands.

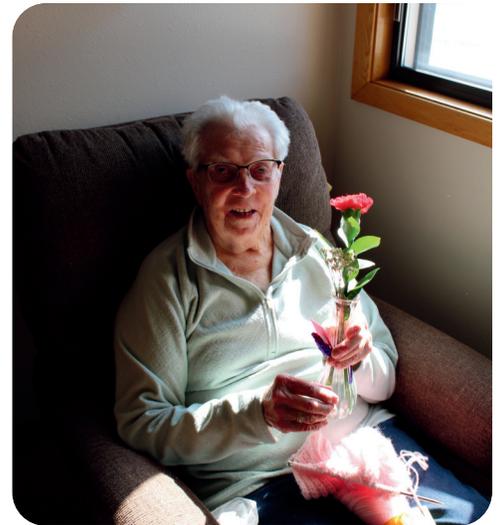
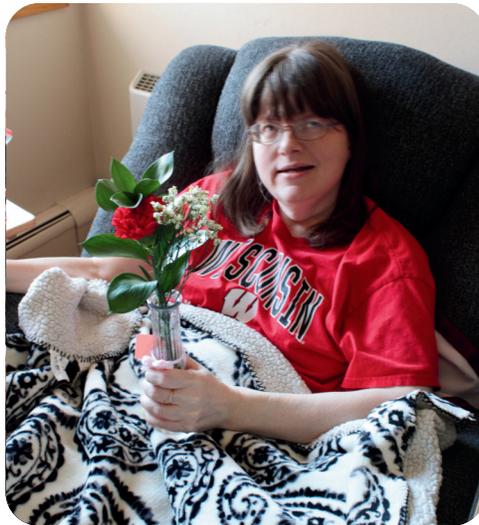
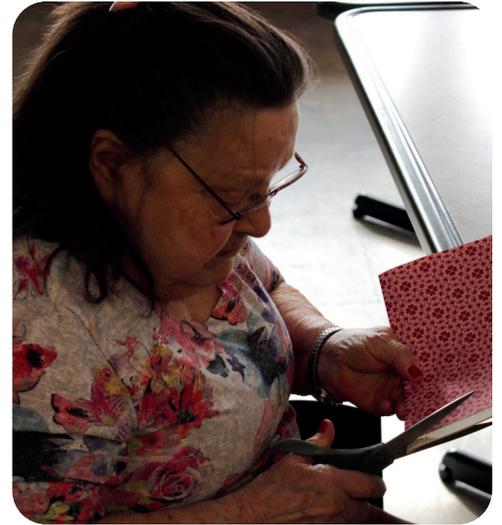
In February, we eagerly watched to see if the groundhog would spot his shadow—many were disappointed when it meant six more weeks of winter! We welcomed a new musician, Jack Norton, who was a big hit with residents. The month was filled with fun activities, including Olympic-themed games, Valentine's games, and decorating valentines. Each resident also received a carnation through the thoughtful Secret Valentine project organized by Wildflower and Wren Studio.

In March, we celebrated with our Annual Pig Party, complete with a lively pig toss game. Chrisanthemum Adult Care Services entertained residents with a performance of Green Eggs and Ham. We also got into the competitive spirit with a basketball tournament for March Madness. One especially memorable moment was when a staff member brought in her twin goats, born earlier that very morning. During Culinary Adventures, residents explored the history of Girl Scout Cookies and sampled five different varieties.

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