

The Gazette

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Hello & Happy Summer!

We're in the thick of the heat wave but that hasn't stopped our White House residents from enjoying the many wonderful events organized by staff throughout the summer.

Our incredible activities department under the superb leadership of Pamela Gray is always hard at work creating and planning special events, like our July 4th BBQ lunch where everyone enjoyed some delicious summertime favorites outdoors on our grassy lawn.



Our staff did an excellent job of ensuring that all residents could participate. This is one

of the many ways that White House helps to bring the community together and it is truly a blessing to see everyone welcomed as part of our family.



A special mention to residents Bobby Beckwith and Martha Hargett, who were chosen to be our Mr. and Mrs. America. They helped lead the festivities with the presentation of colors, followed by the singing of our National Anthem. For more photos and videos from our recent events be sure to check out our Facebook page.



ELIEZER M. GROSSMAN, LNHA
ADMINISTRATOR

Patriotic Summer Portraits



Promoting Community Health

On Saturday, June 22, White House Healthcare participated in the **Orange Wellness Walk & Run** as part of a wider community event. As an event sponsor, we supported the 200+ runners by giving out nutrition bars, fruit, and water.

Pictured here: The White House Admissions Team (Nathalie Phillipe and Naimah Hicks) with City of Orange Township Mayor, Dwayne D. Warren, Esq.

Arts & Entertainment Special Recap

Our activities team makes sure to incorporate entertainment into special events that cater to our residents' interests and celebrate the beauty of the performing arts.

Recently, during our **Elegant Dine Out**, which takes place twice a year, our recreation staff transformed the employee dining room into

an elegant café reminiscent of the club vibes of yesteryear for our residents, plus an accompanying guest for each, who enjoyed an evening of pampering. Our ladies were treated to manicures with coordinating colors and intricate designs to match their chosen formal outfit. All of the attendees wore their best black-tie and glitzy evening wear and looked absolutely fabulous!



Our musical guest, **Hunter Hayes**, who used to play saxophone for **Kool & the Gang**, kept the entertainment lively all evening long.

Another incredible performer that we are lucky to have visit White House a couple of times a year is **Brooke Alford**, otherwise known as "**The Artist of the Violin**" – and boy

is she true to her name! This gifted violinist just signed a recording contract and we couldn't be more excited for her. Congrats, Brooke! We are fortunate to have such an accomplished group of guests perform for us a White House!



SPOTLIGHT ON: The CNAs So Integral to White House

How has a Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA) helped you today? In honor of CNA Appreciation Week, June 14th to June 21st, White House residents and staff celebrated our dedicated CNAs, who work tirelessly to keep our residents healthy and happy.

A Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA) provides dedicated, professional care to residents through daily responsibilities like monitoring blood pressure and temperature, assisting with medical procedures and taking care of bed changes, feeding, bathing and ensuring that each resident is always well cared for.



Kudos to all our hardworking and tireless CNAs!

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We love to hear feedback from our residents! **Mr. Rodney Smith** recently underwent total knee replacement at East Orange General Hospital and recovered with us earlier this summer.



My stay here has been beautiful. The residence is excellent and clean. The therapy is very professional. I want to thank everybody that helped me and insisted on helping me. All the nurses were very courteous & very professional.

I would recommend anyone who needs rehab to come to White House. They get a five in my book!

- RODNEY SMITH

SPECIAL EVENTS

- AUG 2: Backyard Kids / Root Beer Floats
- AUG 6: Ping Pong
- AUG 8: Entertainment with Steve Fuller
- AUG 9: Reminisce Group
- AUG 12: Drama Club
- AUG 16: Fresh Fruit Social
- AUG 21: Outdoor BBQ
- AUG 22: Luau Birthday party with Saxyman & His Girl
- AUG 26: Resident Council
- AUG 28: Bingo Bazaar
- AUG 30: Ice Cream Sundaes

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