

August Trivia

- 1. On August 28, 1963, what famous speech was delivered in front of the Lincoln Memorial?
- 2. Who penned her last diary entry on August 1, 1944?
- 3. Which US President died suddenly on August 2, 1923?
- 4. What U.S. state was added to the union on August 21, 1959?
- 5. Jazz trumpeter Satchmo was born on August 3, 1901. What was his real name?

- Answers:**
- 1. Martin Luther King Jr.'s "I Have a Dream" speech
 - 2. Anne Frank
 - 3. Warren G. Harding
 - 4. Hawaii
 - 5. Louis Armstrong

Employee of the Month



My name is Sarah Jackson. I have been employed at Garden View for seven months, working in the Dietary Department.

I enjoy working with and interacting with our residents. I love cooking for them, getting to know them, and helping make their day a little brighter.

I am a proud single mother of one son and one grandson. In my free time, I enjoy cooking, singing, dancing, and playing bingo. One of the most rewarding parts of my job is making people smile. Knowing that I've brightened someone's day lets me know I've done my job well.

Upcoming Attractions

Movie: Secondhand Lions
Location: Movie Room | Date: Tuesday, August 11th
Time: 2:15 PM

A shy adolescent boy, Walter (Haley Joel Osment), is taken by his greedy mother (Kyra Sedgwick) to spend the summer with his two hard-boiled great-uncles, Hub (Robert Duvall) and Garth (Michael Caine), who are rumored to possess a great fortune. At first, the two old men, both set in their ways, find Walter's presence a nuisance, but they eventually warm up to the boy and regale him with tall tales from their past. In return, Walter helps reawaken their youthful spirit.



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THE VIEW

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MEET OUR TEAM

- Aimee Adams**
Executive Director
- Gabrielle Olivier**
Administrative Assistant
- Julie Comeaux**
Accounting Manager
- Leah Prince**
Community Liaison
- Kim Lawson**
Wellness Director
- Sylvina Alexander**
Staff Coordinator
- Monica Jones**
Dietary Manager
- David George**
Maintenance Director
- Jessica Leon**
Life Enrichment Coordinator

Birthdays

- Sherdell Breaux — 8|1
- Janice Lanza — 8|6
- Judith Sagrera — 8|8
- Carol Guest — 8|9

Resident of the Month



Reflections by Deborah Thomas

Not an architect, a nurse, or a horticulturist, but a pipe draftsman, paramedic, phlebotomist, and a great gardener. Not a high school tennis champion, but an NRA Small Bore Rifle Marksman and an American Heart Association lifeguard. Not a professional career woman, but a wife, a mother, and a homemaker. No longer a wife after 13 years, but still a friend for life. No longer a resident of the North, but I returned to my home in Louisiana and enjoy Zydeco music. Not at all a musician, but I tried the drum, piano, guitar, upright bass, and dulcimer. Not an artist or an AutoCAD draftsman, but I could draft a good set of house plans and pipe systems. Never very good at shooting birds on the wing or clay pigeons, but I qualified on the range with the high-power rifle and a .44 magnum pistol, and I enjoyed shooting a longbow at moving targets. Not good at cooking three meals a day, but I make an excellent roux, gumbo, and bouillabaisse. I couldn't back up a trailer even if my life depended on it, but I could drive through rain, snow, and hurricanes. Never served in the military, but two of my three grandchildren are in the National Guard, and I am so proud of them. Oh, did I mention that I am not a writer? But I knit, make puzzles, canoe and kayak whitewater, and hunt deer and grouse. Now I sit and rock, and knit while listening to Charlie Musselwhite, Metallica, B.B. King, or maybe a little saxophone. And I'm happy at Garden View, sitting and rocking.

New Residents



We're delighted to welcome Mr. Harry Mouton, Ms. Lou Jean Derouen, and Ms. Sheila Poirier to the Garden View family! Please join us in giving them a warm welcome as they become part of our community.

Upcoming Activities

Date:	Activity:	Time:
Wednesday, August 5th	Exercise w/ Synergy Care Southeast	10:00 AM
Thursday, August 6th	National Root Beer Float Day w/ Hospice of Acadiana	3:15 PM
Tuesday, August 11th	Movie & Popcorn: Secondhand Lions	2:15 PM
Wednesday, August 12th	Exercise w/ Synergy Care Southeast	10:00 AM
Thursday, August 13th	Arts & Crafts w/ Acadian HomeCare	2:15 PM
Tuesday, August 18th	Fall Risk Assessment w/ First Option Home Health	2:15 PM
Wednesday, August 19th	Chair Yoga w/ Synergy Care Southeast	10:00 AM
Friday, August 21st	National Senior Citizen Day—Bingo w/ Vital Caring & Heart of Hospice	2:15 PM
Tuesday, August 25th	Manicure w/ Vital Caring	12:30 PM
Tuesday, August 25th	National Banana Split Day w/ Home Instead	2:15 PM
Wednesday, August 26th	Exercise w/ Synergy Care Southeast	10:00 AM
Thursday, August 27th	Bingo Buck Auction w/ First Option Home Health	2:15 PM
Thursday, August 27th	Rosary w/ Legion of Mary	3:30 PM
Friday, August 28th	Resident Birthday Party w/ Foundations Hospice—Acadiana	2:00 PM

Upcoming Entertainment

Date:	Entertainment:	Time:
Friday, August 7th	Music w/ RR and Bayou Boys	2:00 PM
Thursday, August 13th	Music w/ Wayne Busby	1:00 PM
Thursday, August 20th	Karaoke w/ JBD Live Entertainment	2:00 PM
Friday, August 21st	Bons Temps Line Dancers	10:30 AM
Friday, August 28th	Music w/ Leo Bourg and Good Company	2:00 PM

Communion Service

Friday, August 14th	9:00 AM
Friday, August 28th	9:00 AM

Join us for the Rosary every morning at 9:30 a.m. in the chapel on the second floor.

Mass Schedule

Tuesday, August 4th	9:00 AM
Tuesday, August 11th	9:00 AM
Tuesday, August 18th	9:00 AM
Tuesday, August 25th	9:00 AM

4th of July Social



Fourth of July Celebration

Residents celebrated Independence Day by creating patriotic Fourth of July fridge magnets while enjoying strawberries, blueberries, powdered sugar donuts, and refreshing lemonade. It was a day filled with fun, creativity, and smiles. *A special thank you to **Reagan with About You In Home Care** for sponsoring this wonderful celebration and helping make the day so memorable for our residents.*

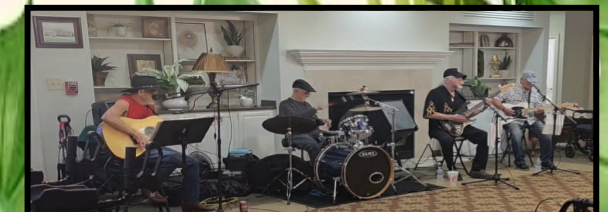
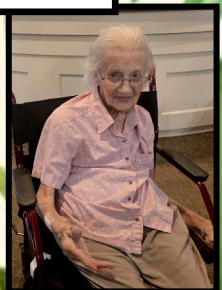


Arts and Crafts



A wonderful time was had by all during our event at Garden View! Our residents enjoyed laughter, smiles, and great fellowship while making special memories together. A special thank you to **Mary-Elizabeth with Acadian HomeCare** for sponsoring this event and helping make it such a success. We truly appreciate your kindness, support, and dedication to our residents! We are grateful for community partners who continue to bring joy and meaningful experiences to Garden View.

Entertainment



RR and the Bayou Boys had everyone smiling with their lively Cajun and Zydeco music! Residents enjoyed singing along, tapping their toes, and celebrating with a festive champagne toast. It was a wonderful afternoon filled with music, laughter, and great memories.