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# THE SPRINGBROOK BUZZ

the new edition



**"May, the month of  
sunshine, blooming flowers,  
and endless possibilities."**

- Unknown



## **SALON SERVICES**

Need a trim? Our salon offers services for all your grooming needs!

Tania is available:  
Wednesdays from  
8:00am to 4:00pm.

To schedule an  
appointment, please  
call Reception at  
Extension #200

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## **Need a place to stay when visiting your loved ones?**

Stoney Creek Hotel has  
discount rates available for  
our families and friends.

Make your reservation by  
calling 608-781-3060 or  
online using code SPRING  
<https://www.stoneycreekhoteles.com/hotel/la-crosse/>  
Ask for the SpringBrook Rate

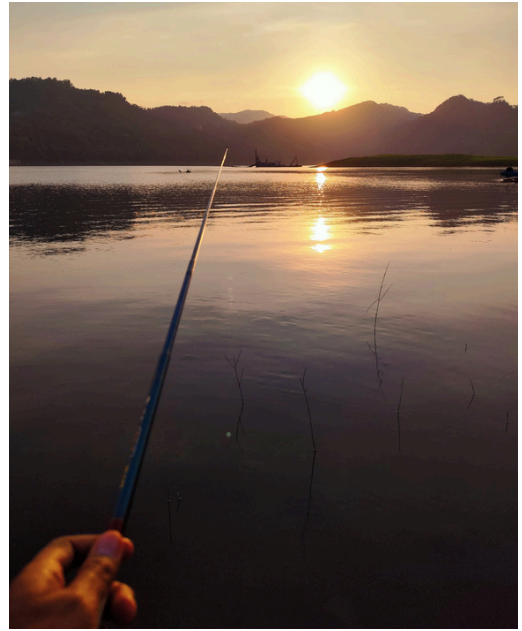
*Happy May*





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# *Resident in the Spotlight*



## *Arnie Muellenberg - Apt G22*

Arnie moved to SpringBrook in December of 2025. He grew up in St. Mary's Ridge. After high school, he was drafted into the United States Army. Upon his return, he worked at Trane Company for 40 years as a Machinist! Arnie has four sons and many grandchildren, whom he loves spending time with. He enjoys listening to music, playing cards, watching The Packers, and Westerns. He also enjoys talking about fishing and hunting! We are so happy to have you at SpringBrook Arnie!

## Fun Tid Bit:

Arnie was a member of the West Salem American Legion, and was named the American Legion Person of the Year! They even named the new dishwasher after him!

# \*Employee of the Month\*

## May: Oliver Sackett

Oliver, a member of our Dietary Staff, is May's Employee of the Month! Oliver is a great help in the kitchen and steps in to assist in the dining room!

Oliver says his favorite part of his job is his co-workers, and they, along with his strong work ethic, help him be successful. Oliver enjoys spending time out of the kitchen as well,

assisting residents with menus and taking orders. On one such occasion, he was helping a resident order a meal. He didn't quite understand what the resident was saying, resulting in a funny miscommunication that they both laughed about. Oliver says the food is fantastic, and he enjoys finding ways to make communication easy between residents and himself. Thank you Oliver for all of your hard work, it is truly appreciated!



# Welcome Committee



Orville L.



Nancy P.



Jim M.



Pearl K.



Barb J.



Deb H.

# Say Hello



Shirley Lile  
Apt 107



Celia Kennedy  
Apt 119



Mike Andre  
Apt 125



# In Memory Of

Forever Missed



Linda  
Johnson



# Happy Birthday

## CELEBRATING MARCH BIRTHDAYS

### Resident Birthdays

**Roger J. - May 8**

**Gary L. - May 10**

**Sandy W. - May 13**

**John K. - May 19**

**Sally F. - May 27**

**Bill H. - May 30**

**Pearl K. - May 31**

### Staff Birthdays

**Tracy H. - May 10**

**Kyara H. - May 28**

**Brittany S. - May 30**



## CELEBRATING STAFF ANNIVERSARIES

We want to acknowledge the hard work our team does by celebrating our staff anniversaries!



**Brianna S. - 7 Years**

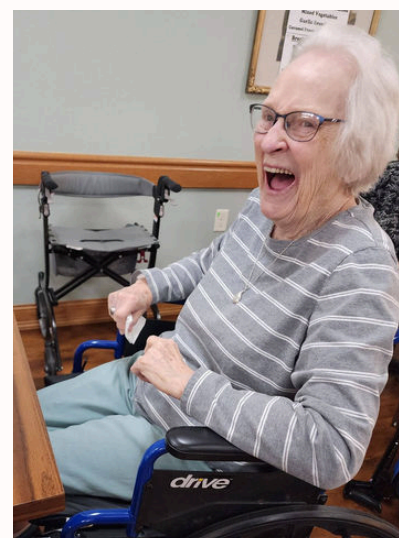
**Lisa C. - 2 Years**

**Natalie C. - 2 Years**

**Karlie K. - 1 Year**

**Lindsey S. - 1 Year**





# Happy Mothers Day



APPRECIATION

BEAUTIFUL

BREAKFAST

CANDY

CHARMING

COMFORT

DEVOTED

FLOWERS

FORGIVING

GIFTS

GUIDANCE

HUGS

JEWELRY

JOY

KISSES

LAUGHTER

LOVE

MATERNAL

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MOTHER

NURTURE

PERFUME

PROTECTIVE

SHARE

TELEPHONE

TENDER

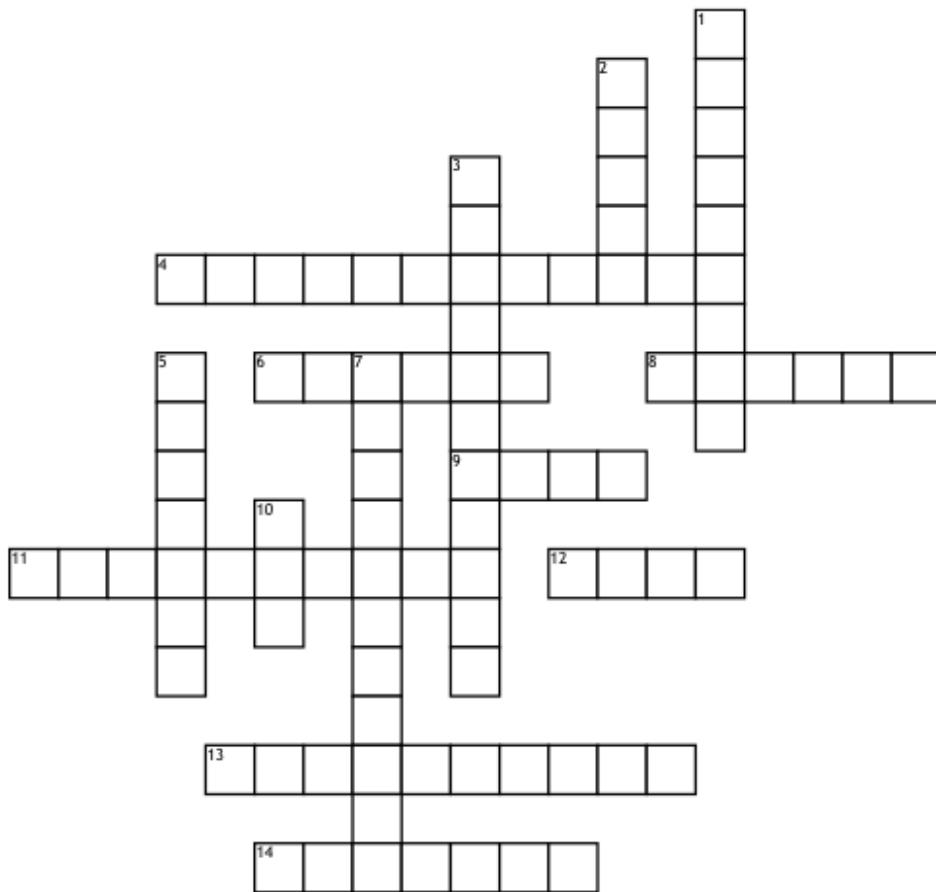
THE BEST

WARM

WISE

**DIRECTIONS:**  
Find and circle the vocabulary words in the grid. Look for them in all directions including backwards and diagonally.

# Memorial Day



## Across

4. It is a tradition to fly this on memorial day.
6. Memorial Day often is treated as the beginning of this season.
8. The day of the week that Memorial Day is celebrated.
9. This is often played at ceremonies on Memorial Day.
11. Memorial Day used to be known as \_\_\_\_\_ Day.
12. The flag only stays at half staff until this time.

13. The Flower used as the symbol of remembrance

14. In May of 2000 this President declared a National Moment of Remembrance at 3pm Central time.

## Down

1. Each year the 3rd U.S. Infantry places a small American flag before the gravestones and niches of service members buried at this National Cemetery.

2. Memorial Day originated from the \_\_\_\_\_ War.

3. Often decorated with flowers for Fallen Soldiers.

5. This state is the official birthplace of Memorial Day.

7. This was the only southern state willing to celebrate the first Memorial Day.

10. The month Memorial Day falls in.