

HAPPY NEW YEAR

2025



# Providence Place SENIOR LIVING News

Q1: January 2025



## A Note from the Executive Director

As we step into 2025, we want to wish Holly Williamson all the best in her new ventures. We thank Holly for her contributions to the Collegeville community!

Effective January 3<sup>rd</sup>, myself and Tiffanie Small, our Director of Operations, will take over as Acting Executive Directors of the Collegeville Community. Twanda Eakins, your Director of Nursing, along with Abigail Ferris, your Connections Director, will also assist in making sure that we remain organized and responsive to your needs during this transition.

We remain committed to delivering high quality services in a warm and vibrant community. Please bear with us as we navigate this transition. We promise to find and train an Executive Director who will be a great leader for your community!

Please feel free to contact us with any questions or concerns by calling the community or via email at:

Kim: [KPerchak@prov-place.com](mailto:KPerchak@prov-place.com)  
Tiffanie: [TSmall@prov-place.com](mailto:TSmall@prov-place.com)

Best wishes in the new year,

*Kim Perchak*  
Chief Operating Officer

## Highlighted Events

- 2 - **Community Life Planning** with Joe @ 2:30pm
- 9 - **Valley Forge Casino Outing** @ 10am
- 11 - **Weekend Excursion:** John James Audubon Center @ 12:30pm
- 16 - **Community Meeting** @ 2:30pm
- 31 - **NYE Entertainment:** Drama Club @ 2:30pm  
Musical Entertainment @ 3:30pm

Thursdays: **Lunch Outings** @ 11am

## Welcome New Residents

Doris Bernstiel  
Marjorie McElroy  
Mary McQuirns

## Resident Birthdays

### January

- 1 - Doris Bernstiel
- 7 - Richard Gontarek
- 9 - Barbara Scalia
- 17 - Janet Costello
- 19 - Lorraine Morrison
- 20 - Cheney Ritter
- 30 - Kathleen Sherwood
- 30 - Constance Lazzaro
- 31 - Julie Trachtenberg

### February

- 1 - Rita Hankle
- 2 - Judith Ormsbee
- 4 - Joanne Romano
- 8 - Jack Turock
- 12 - Marion Rodgers
- 15 - Jim Rose
- 16 - Pat Peeples
- 21 - Josephine McCloskey
- 22 - Diane Royer

- 22 - James Riviello
- 25 - Judith Thompson
- 27 - Helena Winn
- 27 - Louise Wimmer
- 28 - Mary Balestra

### March

- 1 - Joyce Burkey
- 2 - Henry Felker
- 6 - Josephine Adams
- 7 - Marianne Sergio
- 10 - Sue Gelwicks
- 10 - Anthony Tornetta
- 16 - Annemarie Jarden
- 23 - Norma Franceschino




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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Calendar Key: ** Registration Required \$\$ Cost Involved (AR) Activity Room (CR) Community Room (DR) Dining Room (L) Library (OL) Old Lobby (OOB) Out of Building (P) Pub (T) Theater			1 9:30 Sit and Be Fit Exercises (CR) 10:00 Rosary with St. Eleanor's (T) 10:00 Card Club (2nd Floor Lounge) 11:00 Destination Discovery Times Square New York City (T) 1:30 Mid-Week Worship with Chaplain Leighton (CR) 2:30 Penny Pokeno (AR) 3:30 Bloody Mary Cocktails (P) 6:00 Shuffleboard (AR) New Year's Day	2 9:45 Catholic Communion (T) 10:00 Sit and Be Fit Exercises (CR) 10:00 Community Word Search (P) 11:00 Dine-Out: Olive Garden **\$\$ (OOB) 1:30 Book Club (L) 2:00 Rummikub (L) 2:30 Community Life Planning with Joe (AR) 3:30 Happy Hour (P) 6:00 Nickel Bingo \$\$ (AR)	3 9:30 Sit and Be Fit Exercises (CR) 10:00 Community Crossword Puzzle (P) 10:00 Manicures with Marissa (AR) 11:00 Searching for January Word Game (P) 1:30 Oldies Sing-Along (CR) 2:30 Providence Players Drama Club: Reading <i>The Wedding</i> Script (T) 3:00 Stoffy the Cat Visits (P) 3:30 Entertainment Featuring Lisa Lerman (P) 6:00 Friday Night Shabbat (T)	4 9:30 Sit and Be Fit Exercises (CR) 10:00 National Trivia Day Celebration (P) 11:00 Current Events with Joe (P) 1:30 Bingo (AR) 2:30 Movie Matinee: <i>In the Heart of the Sea</i> (T) 3:00 Dominoes Club (P) 4:00 Green Thumbs Club (AR) 6:00 Independent Games (P)
5 9:30 Current Events (P) 10:00 Sit and Be Fit Exercises (P) 10:30 Livestream Catholic Mass (T) 11:00 Checkers (P) 1:30 Ecumenical Communion Service with Chaplain Leighton (CR) 2:30 Aerobic Drumming (P) 3:30 Older Wiser Lads Socializing (OWLS) Club (P) 6:00 Card Club (AR)	6 9:30 Sit and Be Fit Exercises (CR) 10:00 Flower Refresh (AR) 11:00 Manic Monday Trivia (P) 1:30 Rummikub (P) 2:30 Music & Meditation (P) 3:00 Bible Study (L) 3:30 Bingo (AR) 6:00 Shuffleboard (AR)	7 9:30 Sit and Be Fit Exercises (CR) 10:00 Shopping Trip: Boscov's **\$(OOB) 10:00 Uno Card Game (P) 11:00 Ed-U Watch & Learn: <i>Mysteries of the Northern Lights</i> (T) 1:30 Knitting Club (AR) 2:00 Banana Grams (P) 2:30 Circle of Friends (CR) 3:00 Catholic Mass (CR) 3:30 Happy Hour (P) 6:00 Pool Tournament (OL)	8 9:30 Sit and Be Fit Exercises (CR) 10:00 Rosary with St. Eleanor's (T) 10:00 Card Club (2nd Floor Lounge) 11:00 Destination Discovery: Oxford England (T) 1:30 Mid-Week Worship with Leighton (CR) 2:00 Name That Word (P) 2:30 Penny Pokeno (AR) 3:00 Charades (P) 3:30 Crafty Crew: Snowflake Craft (AR) 6:00 Rummikub with Marissa (P)	9 9:45 Catholic Communion (T) 10:00 Sit and Be Fit Exercises (CR) 10:00 Valley Forge Casino **\$(OOB) 11:00 Are You Smarter Than a 5th Grader? (P) 1:30 Book Club (L) 2:00 Left Center Right (P) 2:30 Bowling (CR) 3:00 Bunco (P) 3:30 Happy Hour (P) 6:00 Nickel Bingo \$\$ (AR)	10 9:30 Sit and Be Fit Exercises (CR) 10:00 Community Crossword Puzzle (P) 10:00 Sunshine Club: Making Cards (AR) 11:00 Houseplant Word Scrabble Game (P) 1:30 Aerobic Drumming (P) 2:30 Adopt a Houseplant Day: Sponsored by Green Thumbs Club (AR) 3:30 Entertainment Featuring Bill Long (P) 6:00 Friday Night Shabbat (T)	11 9:30 Sit and Be Fit Exercises (CR) 10:00 Brain Teasers (P) 10:30 Scrabble (P) 12:30 Weekend Excursion Trip: John James Audubon Center **\$(OOB) 1:30 Bingo (AR) 2:30 Movie Matinee: <i>A Family Affair</i> (T) 3:00 Crafty Crew: Making Bracelets (AR) 4:00 Green Thumbs Club (AR) 6:00 Independent Games (P)
12 9:30 Current Events (P) 10:00 Sit and Be Fit Exercises (P) 10:30 Livestream Catholic Mass (T) 11:00 Racko Card Game (P) 1:30 Ecumenical Communion Service with Pastor Deb (CR) 2:30 Community Ladderball Game (P) 3:30 Sunday Social (P) 6:00 Pool Tournament (OL)	13 9:30 Sit and Be Fit Exercises (CR) 10:00 Flower Arranging (AR) 11:00 Manic Monday Trivia (P) 1:30 Rummikub (P) 2:30 Music & Meditation (P) 3:00 Bible Study (L) 3:30 Bingo (AR) 6:00 Shuffleboard (AR)	14 9:30 Sit and Be Fit Exercises (CR) 10:00 Shopping Trip: Dollar Tree **\$(OOB) 10:00 Dominoes (P) 11:00 National Dress Up Your Pet Day Visit with Asia the French Bulldog (P) 1:30 Baking Club: Lemon Meltaway (AR) 2:00 Words on Wheels (OOB) 2:30 Circle of Friends (CR) 3:00 Banana Grams (P) 3:30 Ice Breakers Happy Hour (P) 6:00 Rummy 500 (P)	15 9:30 Sit and Be Fit Exercises (CR) 10:00 Rosary with St. Eleanor's (T) 10:00 Bagel Social (P) 11:00 Destination Discovery: Iceland (T) 1:30 Mid-Week Worship with Leighton (CR) 2:00 Name That Tune (P) 2:30 Penny Pokeno (AR) 3:00 Charades (P) 3:30 Balloon Volleyball (CR) 6:00 Rummikub with Marissa (P)	16 9:45 Catholic Communion (T) 10:00 Sit and Be Fit Exercises (CR) 10:00 Jeopardy Game (T) 11:00 Dine-Out Nudy's Café **\$(OOB) 1:30 Book Club (L) 2:00 Left Center Right (P) 2:30 Community Meeting (AR) 3:00 Bunco (P) 3:30 Happy Hour (P) 6:00 Wine & Whimsy Painting with Mariella (P)	17 9:30 Sit and Be Fit Exercises (CR) 10:00 Community Crossword Puzzle (P) 10:00 Manicures with Marissa (AR) 11:00 Queen of Hearts Word Mining (P) 1:30 Rummy 500 (P) 2:30 Providence Players Drama Club: Practicing <i>The Wedding</i> Script (T) 3:00 Stoffy the Cat Visits (P) 3:30 Entertainment Featuring Bob Hamel (P) 6:00 Friday Night Shabbat (T)	18 9:30 Sit and Be Fit Exercises (CR) 10:00 Current Events with Joe (P) 11:00 Checkers (P) 1:30 Bingo (AR) 2:30 Movie Matinee: <i>Purple Hearts</i> (T) 3:00 Dominoes Club (P) 4:00 Green Thumbs Club (AR) 6:00 Independent Games (P)
19 9:30 Current Events (P) 10:00 Sit and Be Fit Exercises (P) 10:30 Livestream Catholic Mass (T) 11:00 Checkers (P) 1:30 Ecumenical Communion Service with Chaplain Leighton (CR) 2:30 Aerobic Drumming (P) 3:30 National Popcorn Day Popcorn Party (P) 6:00 Card Club (AR)	20 9:30 Sit and Be Fit Exercises (CR) 10:00 Flower Refresh (AR) 11:00 <i>Letter From Birmingham Jail</i> Group Reading and Discussion (T) 1:30 Rummikub (P) 2:30 Music & Meditation (P) 3:00 Bible Study (L) 3:30 Bingo (AR) 6:00 Shuffleboard (AR) Martin Luther King, Jr Day	21 9:30 Sit and Be Fit Exercises (CR) 10:00 Shopping Trip: Wegmans **\$(OOB) 10:00 Racko Card Game (P) 11:00 Ed-U Watch and Learn: <i>How to Beat Those Winter Blues</i> Mental Health Awareness (T) 1:30 Knitting Club (AR) 2:00 Uno Card Game (P) 2:30 Circle of Friends (CR) 3:30 Cheese Sampling Happy Hour (P) 6:00 Pool Tournament (OL)	22 9:30 Down by the Sea Exercises (CR) 10:00 Rosary with St. Eleanor's (T) 10:00 Friendship Gathering (2nd Floor Lounge) 11:00 Destination Discovery: Bahamas (T) 1:30 Celebration of Life (CR) 2:00 Name That Word (P) 2:30 Penny Pokeno (AR) 3:30 Winter Beach Party (P) 6:00 Movie: <i>Blue Hawaii</i> Served with Tropical Drinks (T)	23 9:45 Catholic Communion (T) 10:00 Sit and Be Fit Exercises (CR) 10:00 Scattergories (P) 11:00 Dine-Out: Mission BBQ **\$(OOB) 1:30 Book Club (L) 2:00 Cooking Demo with Chef & Dining Committee (AR) 3:00 Card Club (L) 3:30 Happy Hour (P) 6:00 Nickel Bingo \$\$ (AR)	24 9:30 Sit and Be Fit Exercises (CR) 10:00 Community Crossword Puzzle (P) 10:00 Dominoes (AR) 11:00 The Polar Bear Plunge Word Game (P) 1:30 Aerobic Drumming (P) 2:30 Providence Players Drama Club: Rehearsal for <i>The Wedding</i> (T) 3:30 Entertainment Featuring Michael Kropp (P) 6:00 Friday Night Shabbat (T)	25 9:30 Sit and Be Fit Exercises (CR) 10:00 Brain Teasers (P) 10:30 Scrabble (P) 1:30 Bingo (AR) 2:30 4H Reptile Club Intergenerational Visit (AR) 3:30 Rummy 500 (P) 4:00 Green Thumbs Club (AR) 6:00 Independent Games (P)
26 9:30 Current Events (P) 10:00 Sit and Be Fit Exercises (P) 10:30 Livestream Catholic Mass (T) 11:00 Racko Card Game (P) 1:30 Ecumenical Communion Service with Chaplain Leighton (CR) 2:30 Community Shuffleboard Game (AR) 3:30 Sunday Social (P) 6:00 Pool Tournament (OL)	27 9:30 Sit and Be Fit Exercises (CR) 10:00 Flower Arranging (AR) 11:00 Manic Monday Trivia (P) 1:30 Rummikub (P) 2:30 Music & Meditation (P) 3:00 Bible Study (L) 3:30 Ladderball (AR) 6:00 Bingo (AR)	28 9:30 Sit and Be Fit Exercises (CR) 10:00 Shopping Trip: Wal-Mart **\$(OOB) 10:00 Banana Grams (P) 11:00 ED-U Watch and Learn: <i>Just Penguins</i> (T) 1:30 Baking Club: Snowball Cookies (AR) 2:00 Words on Wheels (OOB) 2:30 Circle of Friends (CR) 3:00 Dominoes (P) 3:30 Ice Breakers Happy Hour (P) 6:00 Rummy 500 (OL)	29 9:30 Sit and Be Fit Exercises (CR) 10:00 Rosary with St. Eleanor's (T) 10:00 Library Committee (L) 11:00 Destination Discovery: Norway (T) 1:30 Mid-Week Worship with Leighton (CR) 2:00 Name That Tune (P) 2:30 Penny Pokeno (AR) 3:00 Charades (P) 3:30 Crafty Crew: Felt Daisy Keychain (AR) 6:00 Rummikub with Marissa (P)	30 9:45 Catholic Communion (T) 10:00 Sit and Be Fit Exercises (CR) 10:00 Community Word Search (P) 11:00 Dine-Out: Tilly Mints Tea House **\$(OOB) 1:30 Book Club (L) 2:00 Left Center Right (P) 2:30 Bowling (CR) 3:00 Bunco (P) 3:30 Happy Hour (P) 6:00 Nickel Bingo (AR)	31 9:30 Sit and Be Fit Exercises (CR) 10:00 Manicures with Marisa (AR) 10:00 Checkers (P) 11:00 The Billionaire's Word Game (P) 1:30 Scrabble (AR) 2:30 Providence Players Drama Club: Performing <i>The Wedding</i> (P) 3:30 Entertainment Featuring Bill Long (P) 6:00 Friday Night Shabbat (T)	<h1>January</h1> <h1>2025</h1>