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News From The Bootheel

# August 2020

#### National C.N.A. Week





It takes a special person to hold the job title of a Certified Nurse's Assistant. Being a CNA is one of the most honorable duties on this planet. To be a CNA, one must hold certain special qualities. Those qualities are something that NHC looks for in all partners, but are especially important for a person who will be doing direct care with our beloved residents. Certified Nurse's Assistants must be nurturing, joyful, empathetic and most importantly, compassionate. When you think of the best possible person to take care of your loved one, you think of these attributes, correct? That is the basis that we as a company, go off of when hand selecting the C.N.A.'s that we choose to care for your loved ones.

For National C.N.A. Week, we supplied lunch, snacks and t-shirts with badge holders attached. We know that this is not enough to thank them for all the hard work that they do, but we enjoy giving them praise when we can! Thank you all so much for all that you do!

With all our love, National HealthCare

#### August Birthdays rtners: Patients:

Kimberly Pittman	08/02	Kay Cooper	8/1
Jessica Sample	08/03	, 1	
Linda Smith	08/03	Mary Dodson	8/4
Samantha Sims	08/04	Barbara Roach	8/4
Shelia Williams	08/12	Alta Dickie	8/15
Shaggetta Reece	08/15	Colleen Edwards	8/16
Betty Brown	08/18	William Johnson	8/17
Stephanie Stratton	08/19	Patsy Bailey	8/18
Mary Wilson	08/21	Jerry Smith	8/22
Jessica Chronister	08/24	Jerry Simur	
Sharon Potts	08/25	Larry McNear	8./30
Jeannette Randolph	08/27	Kenneth Ford	8/30
Aubry Jones	08/31	Carmen Delgado	8/30
Jennifer Tucker	08/31	Donald Hopper	8/31

#### **Anniversaries:**

Debbie Massey	27 years	Jennifer Ward	5 years
Tonya Holmes	22 years	Abbey Stark	3 years
Rebecca Wagster	20 years	Brenda Thompson	3 years
Emily Guthrie	7 years	Nykkya Dickson	1 year
Kay Collier	6 years	Pamela Glover	1 vear

Administrative Staff		
Daley Hill	Administrator	
Dr. Jackie Sutherland	Medical Director	
Jessica Bader	Director of Nursing	
Jeanette Randolph	Asst. Director of Nursing	
Leah Barton	Admissions Coordinator	
Carla Smith	Social Services Director	
Janet Carter	Dietary Manager	
Courtney Rushing	Recreational Director	
Sherri Reeves	Laundry/Housekeeping	
Brad Deckard	Director of ReHab	
Raymund Solijon	Asst. Director of ReHab	
Richard Gossett	Maintenance Director	
Kay Collier	Medical Records Director	
Alicia Morris	Bookkeeping/Office Manager	
Tonya Holmes	Bookkeeping	
Brittany Sams	Human Resources Director	
Aaron Chase	Unit Manager	
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## WILL Jon Be Our Perpal?

We all know that times are tough right now and we're trying to find new and exciting ways to occupy our free time during quarantine! We decided what better way to do that than going old school and writing some letters. Please feel free to write, draw, or even send pictures of family, friends or something to brighten our day! Your efforts are greatly appreciated! If you have any questions, please call 8881150 and ask to speak to someone in Activities.

\*\*\*Remember to share the news with others who may be interested in becoming our penpals during this time. \*\*\*





Please contact the Recreation
Department and speak to someone about video calling your
loved one. We are more than
happy to set up an appointment
for a FaceTime call. Appointments are set for 9 am– 10:30
am and 1pm—3:30pm.



NHC welcomes any person that desires to volunteer to spend their time with our beloved residents! Volunteers come all throughout the week to help them with things like playing BINGO, and other games or just to simply visit. Our volunteers are near and dear to our hearts! If you're thinking about volunteering with us, contact 888-1150 and ask for Courtney Rushing, Activity Director, for more information.

#### Fourth of July Shenanigans









The residents have been busy at work with their daily self esteem packets that the Recreation Department prepares for them daily. They have a different incentive to get them done each week and this week their incentive was to get a sno cone of their choosing! They got their snocones just before we had our 4th of July celebration. The Activities girls grilled hotdogs and served them along with chips and dip. We celebrated differently than all of the previous years, but we still celebrated! We hope you all had a very happy Holi-

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31 AM: Spa Manicures and Therapeutic Circle PM: Small Group Sensory	24 National Waffle Day AM: Spa Manicures and Therapeutic Circle PM: 1-Spy	17 AM: Spa Manicures and Therapeutic Circle PM: Small Group Sensory	10 National Smores Day AM: Spa Manicures PM: Arts & Crafts	3 National Watermelon Day AM: Spa Manicures PM: Snack Social and Small Group Sensory	Mon
Calendars are Subject to change	25 National Banana Split Day AM: Hairstyles and Arts and Crafts PM: CST Program	18 AM: Hairstyles and Drawing Time PM: CST Program	AM: Morning News and Hairstyles PM: CST program	4 National Chocolate Chip Cookie Day AM: Hairstyles PM: Puzzles and CST	Tue
Independent Activity Supplies available 24/7 in Activity Room.	26 AM: Hairstyles and Therapeutic Circle PM: Snack Social	19 AM: Hairstyles and Therapeutic Circle PM: Bible Study	12 AM: Hairstyles and Therapeutic Circle PM: Snack Social	5 AM: Hairstyles & Therapeutic Circle PM: Bible Study and Small Groups	Wed
Therapeutic Circle available 5 days a week. Individualized Programming available 7 days a week.	27 AM: Hairstyles and Conversation Cards PM: CST Program	20 AM: Hairstyles and Morning News PM: CST Program	AM: Hairstyles and Ungame PM: CST Program	6 National Root Beer Float Day AM: Hairstyles and Exercise PM: CST Program	Thu
NHC Ice Cream Par- lor Open Monday- Friday	AM: Exercise and Therapeutic Circle  PM: Cook's Corner (single fruit parfaits)	21 Senior Citizens Day  AM: Exercise & Therapeutic Circle  PM: Snack Social	AM: Exercise and Therapeutic Circle  PM: Jenga	7 AM: Exercise and Therapeutic Circle PM: Sorting Chips	Fr-i
Cards, Books, Stationary Supplies & Magazines offered dai-	29	22	15	∞	Sat

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Sat	∞	22	29	Cards, Books, Stationary Supplies & Magazines offered daily in Recreation Department.
Fri	7 AM: 1:1 Exercise PM: Hydration Station (Health Talk)	AM: 1:1 Exercise PM: *You're Someone's Reason To Smile! 21 Senior Citizen Day AM: 1:1 Exercise DINE IN PM: Ice Cream Social	28 AM: 1:1 Exercise PM: Circus Cart	NHC Ice Cream Parlor Open Monday- Friday
Thu	6 National Root beer Float Day AM: Bible Study PM: Rootbeer Floats	AM: Bible Study PM: Popcorn Social  AM: Bible Study  PM: The Price Is Right	27 AM: Bible Study PM: Spin It To Win It	Therapeutic Circle available 5 days a week. Individualized Programming available 7 days a week.
Wed	5 AM: 1:1 Time PM: Arts & Crafts (Door Hanger)	AM: 1:1 Time PM: Snack Social PM: Time AM: 1:1 Time PM: Arts & Crafts Flower Pot	26 AM: 1:1 Time PM: Fresh Lemonade Snack Social ( Chex Mix )	Calendars are subject to change. Activity Packets Daily!!
Tue	4 Chocolate Chip Cookie Day AM: Spa Manicures PM: Chocolate Chip Cookie Social	AM: 1:1 Time PM: Recipe Book  AM: Spa Manicures  PM: Cookie Social	25 National Banana Split Day AM: Spa Manicures PM: Arm Chair Travel	
Mon	3 National Watermelon Day AM: 1:1 Time PM: Watermelon Social	10 National Smores Day AM:1:1 Time PM: Bite Size S'mores 17 AM: Journals PM: 1:1 Time	24 National Waffle Day AM: Waffle Cart PM: 1:1 Time	M: 1:1 Time PM: Stick Figure Story Time
Sun	73	16	23	30

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#### HOW TO MAKE FRESH FRUIT POPS:

Start by gathering the fresh or frozen fruit you'd like to use. For these fruit popsicles I used frozen strawberries, fresh blueberries and bananas. Cut the fruit into thin slices or chop it into small pieces and add it to your popsicle mold. Fill the popsicle mold with apple juice and freeze the molds for at least 6 hours.