

JULY 2017

Brush Country

6500 Brush Country Rd Austin Texas 78749



Celebrating July

Jo & Josephine Music
July 3, 3:30pm

4th of July Social

Kyle Judd July 4, 10:30 am

The River Boat Piano Man
July 6 10:30am

Music with Tony
July 7 10:00am

Resident and Family Council
July 11th 11am & 6:30pm

Residents Monthly Birthday Party
July 14th 2:30pm

Memorial Service
July 27th 2:30pm

Music with Jimmy Lee
July 27th 3:30pm

Jessica Shepard
July 28th 2:30pm

**We hope you'll join us for our
many exciting events!**

Anything but Conventional

It's the ultimate event for any fan of comics and entertainment, costume parties and celebrity sightings: July 19–23 is 2017's Comic-Con International. This fan convention is the biggest of its kind in the world, and in many ways the fans provide the biggest show. People are encouraged to show up wearing elaborate costumes of their favorite comic book, television, film, or book characters. You'll likely see the Incredible Hulk mingling with Jedi Knights, Harry Potter, and characters from the sitcom *The Big Bang Theory*. This eclectic mix is Comic-Con's signature achievement, bringing fans of all ages and interests together to "geek out" over their favorite popular entertainment.

Self-described "geeks" have been flocking to San Diego for Comic-Con since 1970, when Shel Dorf, Richard Alf, Ken Krueger, Marvin Nelson, Mike Towry, Barry Alphonso, Bob Sourk, and Greg Bear founded the Golden State Comic Book Convention. The original event drew only 300 people, but it was a mecca for all things comic related. Over the years, the scope of the production grew along with the size of the convention crowds. While comic books still take center stage, the convention also features science fiction and fantasy film and television, video games, collectible card games, and cartoons. The spectacle of the convention now draws crowds as large as 167,000.

Attendees don't just come to admire each others' costumes; they attend seminars and panels featuring their favorite writers and artists. Comic book professionals offer hands-on workshops. Scholars present critical studies of the effect of comics on culture. Video game and entertainment companies show sneak previews of upcoming projects, often accompanied by big-name celebrities. Evenings feature awards ceremonies and a masquerade ball. For anyone interested in comic culture, Comic-Con is the event of the year, where attendees go "to see and be seen" in the getups of their favorite characters.

Happy Anniversary to our Employees:

BOCANEGRA, VALORIE
7/13/2016 LVN 1 YEAR

BUTLER, BRENDA 7/25/2007
ADMISSIONS COORDINATOR
10 YEARS

DOVE, CELESTINE 7/12/2011
CMA 6 YEARS

EGBUSON, WURAOLA 7/28/2009
CMA 8 YEARS

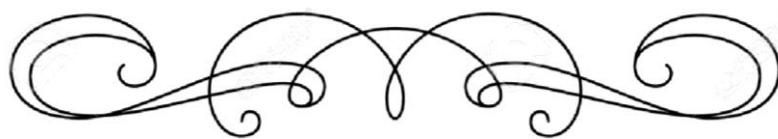
HERNANDEZ, ALYSSIA 7/8/201
CNA 2 YEARS

LUGO, ELIZABETH 7/14/2015
CNA 2 YEARS

MARSH, PAMELA 7/17/1995
LVN - ASSESSMENT NURSE
22 YEARS

OEHLERS, STACY 7/8/2015
CNA 2 YEARS

TOVAR, GILBERTA 7/15/2016
CNA 1 YEAR



CALLING ALL FAMILY MEMBERS!

We would love for you to be part of our Family Council. It is important for us to meet together and discuss the many changing needs of our community here at Brush Country.

We want to extend the invitation to you to attend our family meetings so we can get to know you, and you can get to know us! We know sometimes it can be challenging to make it to business hours at the facility, so we are coming to you!

Another benefit of these meetings is the opportunity to meet with other families who may be going through similar things.

Our meeting this month will be TUESDAY JULY 11TH AT 6:30PM.

New Faces at Brush Country



Did you know we have had some transitions within our management team?

Our HR Director just moved into our Business Office

Manager position! Now you will talk with Alma about any financial needs you may have. She is excited to help!

Our Receptionist, Samantha, will now be serving you as HR Director! She is looking forward to being part of our team and we are glad to have her!

We have a new Dietary Manager starting this month as well! Stop by and meet her whenever you get a chance—she is eager to get started serving our residents.



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Postage
Information

Who should I contact if...

Social Worker: Missing Items, requesting room change, requesting roommate, request to change dining preferences, any other concerns, need to see a dentist/podiatrist/optometrist/psychologist

Activities Director: Resident needs something to do, want to attend activity or outing, suggestions for events, want to volunteer

Director of Nursing: Question about medication, compliments/concerns about nursing staff, changes in condition, request to change diet

Administrator: Any suspected mistreatment of Residents, general facility concerns, compliments/concerns with management staff, ideas for employee recognition

July Birthdays

In astrology, those born between July 1–22 are Cancer's Crabs. Kind and protective, Crabs love to nurture others. While they may be emotional, they are never soft. Cancers are tenacious in their pursuit of harmony at home and in the workplace. Those born between July 23–31 are Leo's Lions. Lions are the "kings" of the zodiac: dramatic, ambitious, confident, and hard to resist. Leos are also generous and loyal, putting both their family and friends first.

Say 'Happy Birthday!' to these Residents next time you see them!

Laurie M. JULY 1st
Nova B. JULY 15th
Joe G. JULY 17th
Maria P. JULY 19th
Lorinda E. JULY 22nd
Martha M. JULY 24th
Alberta S. JULY 31st