

May 2026



Upcoming May Events

- 1st: Grandfriends
- 1st: Derby Day
- 5th: Resident Council
- 5th: Guac and Margs
- 6th: Sunshine Committee
- 6th: Beer and Bowling
- 8th: Resident Birthday Social w/ Phil K.
- 10th: Mother's Day Tea
- 11th: Popsicle Creations
- 12th: Garden Planting
- 13th: Wine and Canvas
- 15th: Summer Taste Test
- 19th: Let's Get Cookin
- 22nd: Music w/ Jane
- 25th: Memorial Day Music w/ Bill Mann
- 26th: Bonus Bingo
- 27th: Game Show Games
- 29th: Happy Hour w/ Natalie

Weekly Activities

- Manicures & Coffee** every other Monday at 10:00a
- Bingo** Mondays and Thursdays at 2:00p
- Book Club** every other Monday at 3:15p
- Jewelry 101** every other Monday at 3:15p
- Men's Group** Tuesdays at 11:00a
- Java Club** Tuesdays at 3:15p
- Worship** Wednesdays and Sundays
- Rosary** (Streamed) Wednesdays at 1:00p (on 68)
- Piano Tunes** Wednesdays at 3:30p
- Chair Yoga** every other Thursday at 10:00a
- Memory Lane** every other Thursday at 10:00a
- Melody Masters** Thursdays at 3:15p
- Group Meditation** Fridays at 10:15a
- Movie & Popcorn** every Saturday at 2:00a

**See the activity calendar for all times and locations*

Resident Birthdays

- 2nd: Isaac R.
- 6th: Sherry R.
- 30th: Rosie E.



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Find us on Facebook at
Chapel View Senior
Health and Living!

We share videos and
photos of the fun we've
been having as well as
upcoming events!

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Special Announcement

Please be on the lookout for an email regarding..

Insights that Inspire: Cassia Resident & Family Satisfaction Survey

Beginning May 4th, our community will participate in Cassia's system-wide Resident and Family Satisfaction Survey. This brief survey gives residents and families the opportunity to share feedback about care, services, and programs—helping shape improvements both here and across Cassia. The survey takes approximately 5–10 minutes and will be sent electronically to the email address or cell phone number on file. For those who prefer assistance, in-person support will also be available Monday through Friday from 8a-630p at the front reception desk. Every response matters as we work toward our participation goal, and we appreciate your help in making your voice heard.

Resident Council Minutes

FOOD COMMITTEE

Alex greeted the group and updated everyone on a few changes. One of our newer cooks, Nick, took a different position within Cassia. Alex stated there were comments and recommendations on some of the newer items. Due to requests, chicken pot pie will be on the new menu. The printed weekly menus will now read Monday through Sunday instead of Sunday through Saturday. This way we can better accommodate the weekend requests and make sure they are updated to the tray tickets. Alex asked if there were any more questions. None came forward. Alex asked for feedback on the new food items or any pressing issues around food. One resident stated there have been too many carrots. Alex said he would look into it. Laura asked all if there were any vegetables that they want to start getting or get more of. One resident asked for more corn. Alex asked if there were any more. None came forward. Laura asked if cucumber salad was offered. Alex stated yes, and there will be more cold salads coming on the spring/summer menu. One resident asked for more spinach. Another resident asked if we could bring back the enchiladas. Alex took note. Alex asked the group to help him plan the noon meal for Mother's Day. The group decided on roast turkey, au gratin potatoes, spinach, a dinner roll, and key lime pie. One resident suggested to take the paper linings off the individual pies while they were still frozen so they are easier to eat at meal time. Alex took note. One resident stated she wanted avocado on Mother's Day. Laura stated we would make guacamole for Cinco de Mayo and she was satisfied with that.

DISCUSSION OF OLD BUSINESS

Laura read over last month's minutes and highlighted a couple topics. Laura noted we said "see ya later" to Kristi but that residents would be seeing her again as she wanted to stay with Chapel View and will work one Saturday a month. Laura noted we would take the bus to Kohl's, the Arboretum, and the Minneapolis Institute of Art in April. Laura added we would go to the Asia mall again soon too. Laura asked all if anyone else wanted to join these outings. A few expressed interest and Laura took note. Laura mentioned the seeds we planted were doing well but we did plant them a little early. Laura added there will be another round of planting at the end of April for flowers and more produce. Laura asked all how the new Bible Study on Wednesdays was going. Some positive remarks came forward. Laura encouraged all to continue going. Laura asked all if they liked the apps for Happy hour. Some said yes they did. Laura asked all if they had any other ideas for the time capsule. None came forward. It is yet to be buried. Laura is still waiting for approval on where we can bury it. Laura announced Berna, our Wednesday piano player would be back mid-April to play for us again.

DISCUSSION OF NEW BUSINESS

Sam provided updates on the new building. Sam stated it's looking like we will be moving into our new building in December. Sam reminded all that everyone who is at Chapel View, will be moving to the new building. Sam has done two walk-throughs on the building so far and it's looking beautiful! Sam noted all the space in the private rooms,

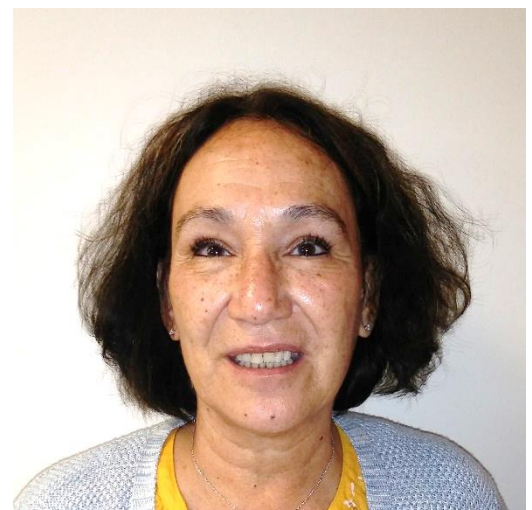
dining rooms, and event spaces. Another resident asked if he could bring his furniture and his personal belongings to the new building. A resounding YES with further explanation was provided. Sam added we are still deciding what will be done with our current building but nothing has been decided yet, adding, it will be repurposed to serve the community in some capacity. Sam asked if there were any other questions regarding the new building. None came forward. Sam added the East hall on the first floor will evolve into a transitional care unit, like second floor, so when we are closer to the move, we have the right amount of long term care residents and rehab patients. We are shifting from 65 long term care residents to 44 over the next few months. This will help make the numbers match when it's time to move. Laura asked all if they have been enjoying watching the Twins. She credited Sam for getting the Twin's channel on channel 65 and noted it only works when the game is on. Some said yes, they have been watching every game! Sam added if there are other channels that residents want, he could work on making that happen. He also noted in the new building, all the resident rooms will have smart TVs. Laura introduced Kailee, the new activity coordinator, to the group. Kailee stated she is 25, grew up in White Bear Lake and moved to the area about a month ago. She's a big sports fan, especially the sports she played including hockey, la crosse, and soccer but she loves all sports. She added she has two puppies that she's very excited about and she's very happy to be here! Laura added we are planning on having our Annual Dog Show in June! Laura also mentioned we would be doing "Gorgeous Grandmas" and giving the ladies makeovers and have a professional photo shoot. The photos will be given on Mother's Day as gifts to residents and families. All the women were invited to this, not just the mothers! Laura mentioned we would try to think of something for the men eventually too. Laura stated we will have a lovely tea party for Mother's Day again this year. A volunteer asked about Father's Day and Laura added we would do something for the Dad's but it wouldn't be quite as extravagant as the Mother's Day tea.

OPEN FORUM

Sam asked the group if there were any issues that needed to be addressed regarding nursing or any other department. No other issues came forward. Sam said he is always available if issues arise. Sam thanked everyone for being so wonderful and noted the residents are the best part of working at Chapel View. Laura noted we will get to schedule the fishing trips May 1st. Laura proposed carrot cake muffins with cream cheese frosting for Muffin Monday. Residents agreed on the flavor. The residents agreed on boneless chicken wings and chips with queso for the upcoming happy hour. Laura asked if they had any ideas for a featured drink at Happy hour. A "Caucasian" came forward. (Similar to a white Russian). Laura asked all if there was a beer residents prefer. One resident said any beer will do. Laura asked if there were any desired destinations for the bus. One resident suggested Como Zoo. Laura took note and said we would do that when the weather is consistently warm. Laura asked if there was anything we could improve on. No comments came forward. Laura stated, "We can't fix it if we don't know it's broken!" Some doubled down and said everything has been great. A volunteer suggested a movie for Saturdays- *Taming of the Shrew*. Laura took note and encouraged all to keep the suggestions coming! Laura read the resident right of the month and noted all the rights are available to view at the front desk if a binder. Meeting Adjourned.

Employee of the Month is Mary Sanchez, Nurse

Thank you Mary for your continued care and dedication to the resident's and team of Chapel View! We appreciate all you do.





Carol Erikson
02/23/1948 - 04/14/2026

Aldoza Berdiyeva
12/09/1933 - 04/19/2026

Roger Harvey
01/12/1954 - 04/30/2026



Gold Star Recipients



***Zach, Nurse-** “He is always so quick to jump in and help wherever it’s needed.” -TCU Nurse Manager

***Lambou, Nurse-** “He goes above and beyond by helping residents that are not on his caseload.” -TCU Nurse Manager

***Precious, Nurse-** “She’s so patient and kind with the people she works with.” -TCU Nurse Manager

***Dorothy, Nurse-** “She’s always quick to jump in and help where she can.” -TCU Nurse Manager

***Abby, Nurse-** “She has stepped up and proven to be an excellent leader.” -TCU Nurse Manager

**Family members can give stars out too!
Contact Laura, Shundiin, Kailee, or Jacob to nominate an outstanding staff member!**

MINNEAPOLIS INSTITUTE OF ART





WINE & CANVAS







MINNESOTA Arboretum







Resident Birthday Social

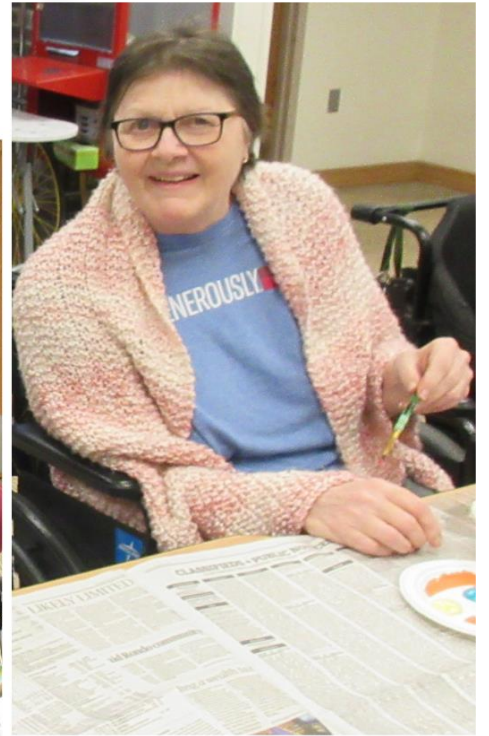








SPRING CRAFT





Seed Starters





HAPPY HOUR

