

# Resident of the Month

## Jean Foster

Jean was born on October 10<sup>th</sup> and grew up in the Trenton, MO area. Her fondest memory of childhood was when her little sister Shirley was born because she got the honors of naming her. She became a teacher and taught at a one room school. Jean met her husband, who was also a teacher, and together they had seven kids. Five sons and two daughters. She didn't teach while her kids were young, but when her youngest was two she went back to teaching for 32 years. When asked if Jean had any advice about life, she stated that, "If you feel led to accomplish something don't give up, just continue toward that goal!"



**THANKS**  
FOR  
**BEING AWESOME**

## May Birthdays

Those born between May 1–20 are Bulls of Taurus. Bulls show a steady persistence in both professional and personal endeavors. After working hard, they like to reward themselves for a job well done. If you were born between May 21–31, you are a Twin of Gemini. Geminis make communicative and lively companions. Intellectual and imaginative, they are the ones to sit near at a party.

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| Pam Harris       | May 4  |
| Bill McKenzie    | May 14 |
| Nancy McClelland | May 21 |
| Ronald Heinold   | May 27 |

## Pam Harris

Pam was born on May 4<sup>th</sup> and grew up with her parents, 2 sisters, and brother on a military base in California. Her family moved here to Kansas City when she was 11, which was a real culture shock for her. She remembers going to the driving range every Saturday with her dad, and being able to learn how to be a better shot than her brother was. Pam ended up having two children, a son and daughter, which led to 4 grandchildren. Pam's favorite season is Spring because she loves when the flowers are blooming and everything turns green.



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## Celebrating May

**Fun Days to Remember!**

**May is Walking Month**

**Be Kind to Animals Week**

*May 5–11*

**Backyard Games Week**

*May 20–26*

**International Midwives' Day**

*May 5*

**National Third Shift Workers Day**

*May 8*

**Miniature Golf Day**

*May 11*

**Mother's Day**

*May 12*

**International Museum Day**

*May 18*

**International Tea Day**

*May 21*

**Amnesty International Day**

*May 28*

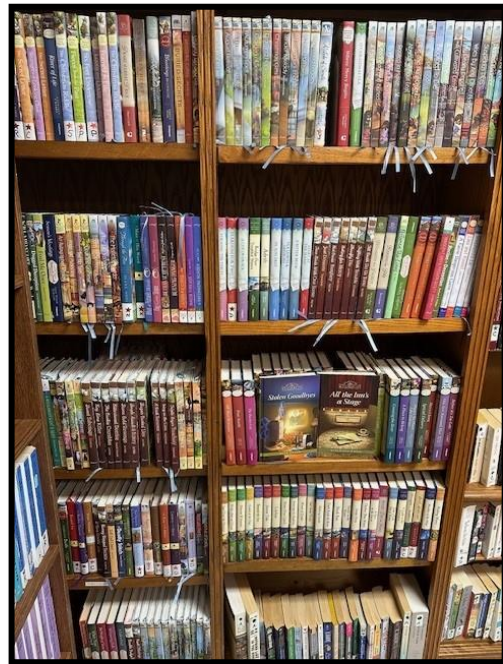
**Senior Health and Fitness Day**

*May 29*

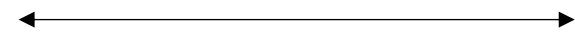


**We're loving our new Courtyard!**

# LIBRARY



If you like a good mystery come check out our mystery section in the Library. We have over 220 books by a variety of different authors. Our Library is located on the first floor down from the Dining Room.



Choose Happy



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### This month we are traveling to Mexico!!



## LET'S FIESTA

Join us in Tighe Hall on May 30<sup>th</sup> at 12:00pm for a Mexican Fiesta!!

Mexico's official name is Los Estados Unidos Mexicanos

Mexico is home to the largest bullring in the world.

The average Mexican drinks over 700 cups of coffee a year.

Mexico grows 59 varieties of corn.

### facts about Mexico's Culture

Cinco de Mayo is not widely celebrated in Mexico

The Arabic language influenced about 4,000 words in Mexican Spanish.

Three Mexicans have won the Nobel Prize.

CINCO DE MAYO



## Zoo Mobile

The Zoo Mobile is coming to Our Lady of Mercy! Join us in Tighe Hall on Tuesday, May 14th to enjoy the show.

# MOTHERS DAY Brunch

FRIDAY MAY 10TH

LUNCH WILL BE SERVED IN TIGHE HALL FOR A SPECIAL MOTHERS DAY BRUNCH. LUNCH WILL BE SERVED FROM 11 AM TO 2PM

### Happy Hour in the Courtyard

Starting in May, weather permitting, we will start to have our Friday Happy Hours out in the Courtyard. Join us outside on Fridays at 3:00pm for snacks, refreshments, music, and conversation! See your calendar for exact dates.

Frank Ancona is coming to bless us again with his wonderful singing. Frank will be joining us in the Courtyard for Happy Hour on May 10<sup>th</sup> at 3:00pm.

Have you checked out our new Activity Room yet?? The new Activity Room is located in Tighe Lounge. Come have coffee and doughnuts with us on Friday May 3<sup>rd</sup> at 9:00am to check it out!

### Vet Café

This month Three Oaks Hospice will be hosting a Vet Café. They will be treating our Veterans with coffee and doughnuts. If you are a Veteran and would like to attend, please join us in the Private Dining Room at 10:30am on May 9<sup>th</sup>.

### Coffee with a Cop

Join us in Tighe Lounge on May 31<sup>st</sup> at 3:00 pm to enjoy coffee and doughnuts with one our local Law Enforcers Pepper!