

AUGUST

ACTIVITY

CALENDAR

Newspaper &
Coffee @ 9:30
Mon- Fri &
Sat @ 10:00

*Games with
Jolene Mondays
@ 1:30

*Sing-a-long
every Tuesday
@ 1:30

*Garden Club
Thursdays @ 2:30

*Every Sunday
@ 2:00 local
Church Service on
the 3rd Floor

*BINGO is every
Wednesday
@ 1:30

*Exercise every
Tuesday and
Thursday
@ 10:30

*Popcorn and a
Movie every
Thursday
@ 5:30

*Ice Cream
Social every
Friday @ 1:30



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KETCHIKAN PIONEER HOME

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GREETINGS FROM THE ADMINISTRATOR

If you have not been to the KPH recently you may not know how much we have had going on but if you are a frequent flyer with us then you know our neighborhood is changing fast!

We continue to work on our boiler replacement project, the back side-walk project has begun and the lot next door is

being cleared so there is much excitement among visitors and staff as our view has changed. We are experiencing shortages on parking spaces and other complications such as power or water shut-offs which has been a result of some of the projects in progress. I really appreciate all of the patience the staff, visitors and residents have demonstrated. We are working hard to keep the chaos to

a minimum and limit interruptions in service. Please look carefully for new signage before you park or enter the building as some areas may be restricted temporarily. Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns.



*Julie Sande,
Administrator*

LOOKING FORWARD



We are getting so excited for our Allen Marine Harbor Tour on August 10th at 11:30 a.m. The kind folks at Allen Marine and Holland America—Princess work together to help provide such a wonderful experience for the residents. This is an outing that we look forward to all summer long. Please contact Hilary and the Activity Crew for more information @ 228-3372.

FOURTH OF JULY FUN



Thank you to Tongass Federal Credit Union for saving us a spot to watch the parade again this year. The weather was gorgeous and it was the perfect place to watch the festivities. We were so happy to greet so many of our friends as they

stopped to say hello to the residents on the parade route. Thanks also to staff like Ron Wyman who volunteered to help us on our very busy day. After the parade we came home to celebrate together with warm apple pie and watermelon in the Great Room.



ELDERS IN ARTS



Marilyn Lee shares her special talents with the residents.

The Ketchikan Area Arts and Humanities Council is presenting the Living Arts Series, Elders in Arts. Artist Marilyn Lee introduced the residents to water color techniques and the series will also be offering Pottery, Photography, Mixed Media, Movement and Dance .



Sisters Gladys and Irene enjoy an afternoon painting together.

SENIOR PICNIC



Clara Gross and her family enjoy the senior picnic.

Due to uncooperative weather the community-wide senior picnic location was changed at the last minute to the Plaza Mall. Despite the disappointment in the lack of nature we were so happy to see our good friends from all of the senior agencies in Ketchikan and we are looking forward to a trip to the lake in August when the weather is more cooperative. The staff and residents demonstrated great attitudes during the quick change of venues and the folks at the Plaza Mall were so generous!

The Power of Music

KPH student volunteers have been contacting each of the residents and resident family members to create individualized play lists of songs for residents who might enjoy music. The primary purpose is to help create more ways to provide opportunities to connect with our residents with dementia but it is also a great opportunity to interview the residents and document preferences and listen to music that provokes memories. Some ipods and iTunes cards have been donated through the Alzheimer’s Association grant however we are still in need of more. Please let us know if you are interested in sponsoring a resident at \$140 or donate to this activity. The link below has some great footage of an assisted living home in Seattle which is providing their residents with a similar experience.
<http://www.king5.com/news/local/the-power-of-music-for-alzheimers-patients/175575675>



Tessa and Campbell hear all about Miss Norma’s love for Country music.

KPH FOUNDATION NEWS

The Ketchikan Pioneer Home Foundation is a non-profit organization formed solely for the purpose of assisting residents with equipment or items that might otherwise not be provided. Donations can be made to the KPH Foundation c/o 141 Bryant St. KTN 99901

The KPH Foundation would like to thank the Samson Tug and Barge Co. for their generous donation of a container each year for our biggest fundraiser of the year, the KPH garage sale.



- Bob Sivertsen
- Alaire Stanton
- Nerissa Buendia
- Bill Moran
- Ed Zastrow
- Cleo Weston
- Ann Thompson
- Terry Wanzer
- Mona O’Dell
- Fred Monrean
- Sherrie Slick
- Ray Hendricks
- Linda Koons Auger



Special Thanks to Jon Hurley for the donation of salmon for our Fathers Day BBQ and celebration of the menfolk in our midst. Thank you so much for making our day so special.

GARAGE SALE

SATURDAY, JULY 30th

9:00 am to 3:00 pm

BAKED GOODS - LUMPIA - TREASURES



All proceeds go to the KPH Resident Council to fund activities and outings for the elders.



KPH

Activity Calendar Continued...

Ketchikan Pioneer Home
141 Bryant St.
Ketchikan AK 99901
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Alaska Pioneer Homes: Providing elder Alaskans a home and community, celebrating life through its final breath

- 7/30 KPH Garage Sale 9:00 to 3:00
- 8/01 Foundation Meeting @ 12:00
- 8/09 Java Memory Care @ 3:00
- 8/10 Allen Marine Tour @ 11:30
- 8/11 Ukulele Practice (NEW!) @ 12:30
- 8/11 KAAHC Movement and Dance w/Jess Berto
- 8/15 Resident Council @ 1:30
- 8/17 Monthly Birthday Party @ 3:00
- 8/18 Librarian visits @ 1:30 p.m.
- 8/18 Ukulele Jam
- 8/19 Hosting cruise ship visitors from Arizona
- 8/20 Root Beer Floats
- 8/23 Java Memory Care @ 3:00
- 8/24 First Day of School



JAVA MEMORY

We are introducing a new activity called Java Memory Care. This is a small group activity using music and photos and focusing on a different theme each week. The purpose is to give each resident a special time to share and to be heard.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY



RESIDENTS

- 08/04/1935 Jay Farrell
- 08/07/1928 Irene Nichols
- 08/09/1931 Bud Hurley
- 08/19/1929 Leona Lamphier

STAFF

- Dearly Villafior 08/04
- Chantel Gordanier 08/10
- Melissa Monrean 08/07
- Elena Pingul 08/18
- Carmelita Manabat 08/23
- Mel Villafior 08/25
- Julia Ward 08/25
- Ace Chenhall 08/27
- Eli Murph 08/27
- Rodger Cachero 08/28
- Ana Scott 08/29

“May all your future years be free from disappointment, care or strife, that every birthday you will be a little more in love with life.”

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SUMMER MEMORIES

