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**Wii Bowling
Tournament**
February 1

**Groundhog
Day**
February 2

Out to Lunch!
February 13

Nursing Q&A
February 12th

**Swingin'
Sweetheart
Dance**
February 13

**Valentine's
Day**
February 14

**Majestic
Movies!**
February 20

**Encompass
Seminar:
Diabetic Tips**
February 21st

Still Shakin' & Bakin'



Each month, we make something delicious in our Bon Appetite class and then we share the treats in happy hour. From cookies, to dumplings to wraps, our ladies are cookin' up the good stuff!



Easy-Baked Success

In 1963, the first Easy-Bake Oven was introduced in November just in time for the Christmas shopping season. Inventor Ronald Howes' idea was simple: create an oven that can be used by kids that looks just like Mom's oven. He was inspired by a visit to New York City, where chestnut vendors cooked their nuts on

what seemed like every street corner. His new toy used just two incandescent lightbulbs to generate enough heat (about 350°) to bake small brownies and cakes. In those first couple of months, the Kenner toy company sold 500,000 Easy-Bake Ovens, despite the price tag of \$15.95, which would be almost \$100 by today's

standards. In 1963, it must have been a small price to pay for a batch of real home-baked goodies.



February Birthdays

In astrology, those born between February 1–19 are Water Bearers of Aquarius. Water Bearers are deep-thinking intellectuals, unafraid of new ideas. Their strong sense of community makes them good friends. Those born from February 19–28 are the slippery Fish of Pisces. Selfless Pisces are very wise and empathetic. These deep emotions also make Pisces talented artists.

Clark Gable (actor) – February 1, 1901
Babe Ruth (ballplayer) – February 6, 1895
Jules Verne (author) – February 8, 1828
Jimmy Durante (actor) – February 10, 1893

Jim Carley - February 1st
Kathy Cox - February 17th
David Carroll - February 20th
Mary Carroll - February 27th
Imogene Stancil - February 28th

Meet the Staff

Stacey Quantrell is a native Idahoan, born and raised in Burley. She is married with 4 kids, 5 grandkids and a Pug / Chihuahua mix named Spike P. Stacey began her career with seniors in 1998, and has worked in nearly every department! First as a cook, then as a caregiver, activities director, human resources assistant and finally as an administrator. After spending time at home with family, the call to return to work arrived and brought Stacey to Alpine Meadows as our Caregiving Supervisor in 2016. When not spending time with our wonderful seniors, Stacey can be found at home quilting or enjoying the outdoors, fishing and camping with family.



Gotta Ticket to Ride?



Here we are checking out the classic cars and bikes at the Yanke Motor Museum. Whew! These bring back some great memories!



Chinese New Year

Year of the Pig

1942	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
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Animal Magnetism

Match the Chinese zodiac animal sign to its personality traits.

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| 1. Rat | A. Polite and imaginative |
| 2. Snake | B. Wise and attractive |
| 3. Rooster | C. Intelligent and charming |
| 4. Sheep | D. Confident and brave |
| 5. Tiger | E. Hard-working and kind-hearted |

ANSWERS: 1. C; 2. B; 3. E; 4. A; 5. D

Resident of the Month: Imogene Stancil

Imogene Stancil, (Genie), was born in 1929 in Poteau, Oklahoma; the 4th of 8 children. She has 4 brothers and 3 sisters. Her father was a glass blower and also worked as a foreman on farms. Her mother was a homemaker. Genie loved working the fields with her dad and siblings. She also loved to fish. She and her family would go down to a local pond to fish, bringing back dinner for that night. Their family lived in Poteau until Genie was 12 and moved to Lodi, California.

In 1946 Genie met Reuben Gaub; a good-looking chap who drove a '34 Ford. She married Reuben in 1948 and they had 3 beautiful children together, Pam, Randy and Sandra. Genie loved being a homemaker like her mother. You could always find her in the kitchen cooking and baking for her family. Reuben was a butcher by trade. He managed several meat markets for Safeway grocers in and around Lodi before moving their family to Ranch Cordova in 1964.

After Rueben's passing in 1974; Genie began working as a bartender at several local restaurants. She was a social butterfly; enjoying people and solving everyone's problems. Eventually she worked at and subsequently purchased a restaurant named the "Rag Doll" where she met a tall, handsome man named Joseph Stancil, a retiree of the U.S. Air Force. They married and spent 35 wonderful years together until Joe's passing in 2013.

Genie moved to Meridian, Idaho to be closer to family when she lost her daughter Sandra in 2018. She adores her new home at Alpine Meadows and has met many good friends! She enjoys exercising, outings, music and trivia and of course spending time with family including 7 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren! **We are so happy that you are enjoying your new home, mom. We love you!**

