

At Home With

Hope Landing & The Haven

September 2025 Edition

Where Care Feels Like Home

Hello Hope Landing Family,

As we turned the corner into fall, September brought beauty, reflection, and a reminder that seasons change—but love, laughter, and community stay constant. From hayrides and heartfelt memories to crafts and card games, this month gave us much to be thankful for.

♥ September Highlights

🎃 Fall Door Décor with Oopsey & Danesy Boutique

Residents welcomed the season by creating festive fall-themed door hangers with help from our friend Lindsey at Oopsey Danesy Floral Boutique. Leaves, ribbons, and plenty of glue sticks made for a cozy afternoon of creativity!

🚗 Hayride at the Country Mill

Nothing says autumn like apples, cider, and a hayride! We enjoyed a beautiful trip to The Country Mill, soaking in the fresh air, warm sun, and fall colors—plus a few donuts for good measure.

🎵 Music & Movement

We had multiple visits from music favorites: Ross Koning, who always brings a calming touch; Marty Noss, back by popular demand and always appreciated.

🧠 Games, Crafts, and Connection

Whether it was Jeopardy, Left-Center-Right, Bingo with Sue and Pam, or Dominos with Jan, there was no shortage of laughter and friendly competition.

🍿 Popcorn & a Movie

Sometimes all you need is a blanket, a bowl of popcorn, and a good movie. Our residents enjoyed relaxing film nights with plenty of treats.

Trip to The Country Mill



Crafting our own door decor!



Team Member Spotlight

Seriena's consistency, warmth, and quiet leadership are a gift to our team and our residents. Seriena brings steady hands and a calm spirit, and we're so grateful for all she does.



Team Member Milestones

This month, we recognize:

Ashley - 9 years

Brittany – celebrating 4 years of service

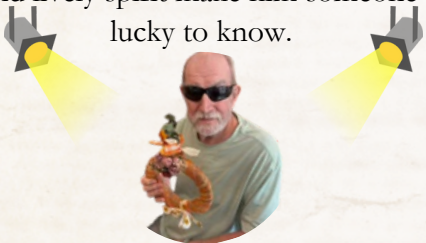
Madison - 2 years

Sereina – 1-year anniversary and Teammate of the Month!

Your hard work, loyalty, and heart make all the difference.

Resident Spotlight

Meet **Bob**, the kind of guy who instantly brightens a room with his wit and charm! Known for his playful banter and endless stories, he keeps everyone laughing—whether it's at bingo or just a casual hallway chat. Bob has always had a love for flowers, and while he may not get to tend to them as much these days, he never misses a chance to admire their beauty or share his knowledge with others. Always ready with a helping hand and a friendly smile, Bob's humor, generosity, and lively spirit make him someone everyone is lucky to know.



In Loving Memory

This September, we paused to honor the lives of two beloved residents:

Donna Allen

Evelyn Koning

Both Donna and Evelyn were treasured members of our community for many years. Their kindness, laughter, and gentle spirits left a lasting mark on everyone who knew them. We are grateful to their families for allowing us the privilege of caring for them, and we hold their spirits close in our hearts, carrying their legacy of love and friendship with us always.

September Birthdays

We were delighted to celebrate these wonderful residents this month:

Lowell

Shirley

Norma

As well as the following staff:

Maddy S

Thank you for sharing another year of life, stories, and smiles with us!



Family Thank-You Corner

Thank you to the many families who joined us for visits, walks, and hayrides this month. Your continued presence is what helps Hope feel like home—for all of us.

Quote of the Month

“Autumn shows us how beautiful it is to let things go.”

— Unknown

Fun Fact

Wii Bowling burns real calories—and builds bragging rights! Just ask Shirley, who rolled three strikes in a row this month.

Joke of the Month

What do you get when you drop a pumpkin?
Squash!

(Don't worry—we kept all the real ones intact this year.)



Notes from Joel

September reminded me of how sacred simple things are—a hayride with friends, the sound of music in the hallways, a candle on a birthday cake. In this season of change, I'm thankful for the constants: the people who show up, the stories we hold, and the grace we extend to one another.

Special Thanks

To our staff: you are the heartbeat of this home
To Jan and Pam: thank you for the gift of your time
To our residents: you make this place worth showing up for

To our families: your trust is a privilege

With warmth, The Hope Landing Team