

The Wellington News

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Assisted Living • Respite Care Services

Happy Birthday!

Residents

Mary T. April 16th

Lena R. April 21st

New Resident

Elaine K. joined us in March, she is from Milwaukee however she has a daughter here in Hartford. Exciting they will now be closer to each other. She just had her 88th birthday March 30th. She is making good strides on her physical therapy since coming to us.

Wellington Place at Hartford

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Monica Rakowski, Administrator

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Facility Highlights

The improvements to our building have begun. New soffits, fascia, and gutters were installed in February. The measurements for new windows and doors were taken and will soon be installed.

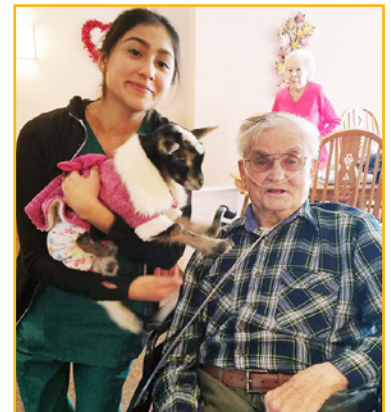
The Hartford Union High School orchestra provided our residents with a beautiful private concert including a new composition by one of their Juniors.

Also, the famous Trinity Irish Dancers brought a couple dozen youngsters from ages 5 to 18 to amaze us with their fancy footwork.

A group enjoyed an outing to the Shamrock, at Fair Park inside the county fairgrounds for St. Patrick's Day.



Celebrating Mardi Gras



Francis' great-grand "kid" visited bringing joy.



Trinity Irish Dancers performed for a dinnertime show.



Hartford Union HS Orchestra gave a private concert for our residents.

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Upcoming Events

APRIL 6

**Egg decorating
with Hartford
Helping
Hands 4-H**



APRIL 10

**Hartford Medical Foundation
Annual Dinner with Guest Speaker
Gov. Martin Schreiber, Author of
“My Two Elaine’s” will discuss
Alzheimer’s disease**

APRIL 22

Arbor Day/Earth Day

Easter Around the Globe

In America, we have the traditions of the Easter Bunny, Easter Tree, baskets full of candy and hidden eggs. What about other nations? Do they celebrate Easter too?

Scottish children hard boil eggs and paint them on Easter Saturday. On Easter Sunday, they take the eggs to the top of a tall hill and have a race to see whose egg would get to the bottom first.

Hungarian kids trade hard boiled eggs and then see who can be the first to throw a coin into the egg. It must stay in the egg and not just chip off the side of the shell. Pennies and dimes work the best.

Bulgarians crack eggs after midnight on Easter Sunday. The first one is cracked against the church wall, then everyone chooses their own egg. Each egg is cracked against another person’s egg and the one left with an unbroken egg will receive a year of good luck.

The Greeks have a unique tradition. Everyone gathers at the midnight service and all the

lights in the church are turned off. A priest comes in the church doors with a lighted candle and goes to the front pew and lights one person’s candle. In turn, this one candle lights another until the rest of the candles in the church are lit. This represents the Light of the Resurrection and everyone receives it.

In Poland, the Easter basket is the highlight of the day. The older family members make them for the younger ones. They are filled with Easter eggs, homemade bread, ham, butter lamb, and Polish sausages.

The Finnish greet their friends and family by whisking them with small willow twigs. This is done to wish them luck in the following year. Everyone has a turn and then on Easter Sunday, they would exchange eggs, candies, or money to repay the favor.

There are many more traditions, but most of them are similar in honoring the resurrection of Christ and celebrating his return to heaven.

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Wisconsin Center for Assisted Living

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