



HORIZON HAPPENINGS

NOVEMBER 2024

GIVINGTUESDAY
DECEMBER 3RD, 2024



Homes Patio Construction

We're excited to share that the deck and accessibility ramp outside our Homes property are nearly complete! These essential renovations were made possible thanks to [Stonehenge Construction](#). The new patio and accessibility ramp will greatly enhance daily life for our residents, including Patricia, who loves spending her afternoons outside.

[Check out Stonehenge](#)



IBEW Volunteers

This month we welcomed the [International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers](#), Women's Committee to campus for a fun-filled volunteer night at the Women's House! They treated the ladies to a BBQ dinner, led a festive ornament-decorating craft, and sang some karaoke—a perfect ladies' night! Thank you, IBEW, for your continuing support!

[See Pictures from the Event](#)



Light Up Day Spring

This holiday season we're thankful for the enthusiastic volunteers who braved the cold for Light Up Day Spring (the remix) to help us clean up leaves and prepare campus for winter. Thanks to their hard work, our campus is now glowing with beautiful lights - a reminder of the light and joy our community of volunteers bring!

[See Pictures from the Event](#)



TRANSFORM

It's that time of year again! This month Jon and Crystal at [Transform](#) lead another fun filled staff development week! Their workshops helped us deep dive into problem solving and allowed everyone to get to know each other a little better. We are so grateful for all they have done to help transform our work culture!

[See Pictures from the Event](#)

GENEROUS SUPPORTERS

THE GENTILE- LAZARUS CHARITABLE FUND

This month, we received a generous \$3,000 donation from The Gentile-Lazarus Charitable Fund.

MILDRED V. HORN FOUNDATION

This month, we received a generous \$5,000 donation from the Mildred V. Horn Foundation.

UPCOMING EVENTS

GIVING TUESDAY

Giving Tuesday

Mark your calendars for **Giving Tuesday on December 3rd**, an annual global celebration of generosity! This year, we're asking for donations from our wish list instead of monetary gifts to help upgrade our six residential homes. As you shop Black Friday and Cyber Monday deals, please consider picking up something from our list to make a meaningful impact on the lives of our residents.

[Take a Look at Our Amazon Wish List](#)



Horizon of Hope Gala

It's almost that season again! We will be hosting our 2nd annual Horizon of Hope Gala on **Saturday, March 22nd, 2025**.

Save the date and stay tuned for ticket sales going live soon!

HIGHLIGHTED RESIDENT OF THE MONTH



Donna

Meet Donna! She has lived at Homes for over a decade! Donna is a huge sports fan who never misses an opportunity to cheer on her favorite teams, from enjoying trips to watch the Louisville Bats play baseball to following U of L basketball—especially when there's a chance to catch a day game!

She has a knack for making new visitors feel welcome with her warm and chatty demeanor. But when she's ready for some quiet time, she heads to her room, where her

creativity comes alive- playing the role of schoolteacher, leading imaginative classes for her stuffed animal students.

Her morning routine wouldn't be complete without an episode of *Perry Mason* and reading the newspaper. Donna also loves spending time on swings, so much so that her family generously donated a set of swings that sit outside our office and are a favorite spot for all our residents!

Donna enjoys looking at maps and visiting museums, sparking her curiosity about the world around her. Though she's naturally a homebody, those who know her well appreciate her wonderful sense of humor, her caring nature, and her musical, infectious laugh. Donna is a cherished part of our Day Spring family, and we're so glad to have her here!

UPCOMING EVENTS

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