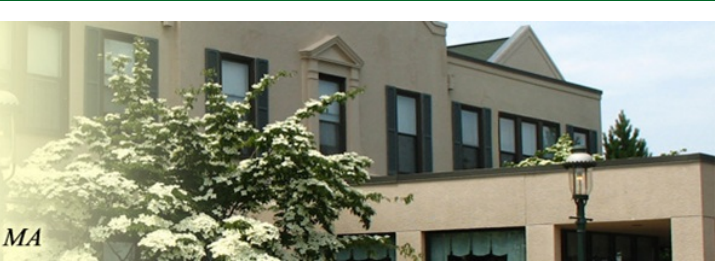




Independent and Assisted Living in Woburn, MA



## New Residents

**Valerie “Val” Jones, Suite 446**, was born in Brockton and has lived most of her life in Cambridge. She made her formal career at The Orion Corporation, a Cambridge-based research company now known as Thermo Fisher Scientific. Shortly after retiring, she took a job at a local coffee shop, where she continued to work until age 80. Val is a mother of three who both enjoys and excels at varied crafting activities.

**Gerry Murphy, Suite 444**, is native to Malden, where she attended a girls’ parochial school for 12 years. In addition to raising three daughters, she worked outside the home as a bookkeeper for car dealerships. Gerry and her husband were avid travelers, and voyaged from Washington, DC to the Grand Canyon, and beyond. The pair especially enjoyed cruises around Alaska and the Caribbean as well as vacations to numerous European countries. In her retirement, Gerry prefers more relaxing pastimes, such as knitting, watching movies, solving jigsaw puzzles, and reading.

**Jane Parnell, Suite 248**, joins us from her home in Windham, NH. Born in Arlington and raised in Cambridge, she relocated to Woburn with her family as a teenager. Jane graduated from Woburn High School and then remained a resident for many years. A blind date, arranged by the pair’s mothers, connected her with her husband of 57 years. While raising her two sons, Jane enjoyed a 22-year career with The Mitre Corporation, in Bedford. She now most enjoys painting furniture and creating beaded jewelry.

## Dates to Remember

### *Labor Day*

**Monday, September 4**

Labor Day is the first Monday of September and celebrates the American workforce.



Visit the [New Horizons at Choate](#) Facebook page to see photos and updates from our community!

## Resident Photo Album



Pictured above, left to right: New arrivals **Jane Parnell**, **Val Jones**, and **Gerry Murphy** get acquainted on the porch; resident **David McCarron** celebrates 38 years working for the Post Office.



Pictured, left to right: Residents **Hope Verras**, **Arlene Connor**, **Ann** and **Harold Hanewich**, **Maureen Copithorne**, **Ruth Tully**, and **Helen Carter** celebrate **Ann's** birthday with a tea party organized by **Harold**.

## In Memoriam

We are deeply saddened by the passing of long-time residents **Ruth Benedikt** and **Joan Schoenfeld**. We send our heartfelt condolences to the families as well as their fellow residents on this great loss.