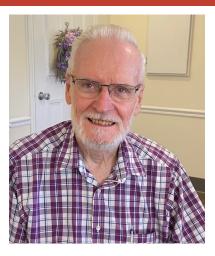
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New Residents



Tom Barkalow, Suite 241, joins us from his home of 52 years located just a few blocks from New Horizons. He was born and bred in New Jersey, and was schooled at St. Peter's Preparatory School in Jersey City.

A graduate of MIT, Tom made his career as an electrical engineer working for Lincoln Labs and Interactive Data. He was acquainted with members of the State Department which took him to such places

as Afghanistan, Iran, Guyana, and Siera Leone.

Looking back over the years, Tom recalls a favorite memory when he and his wife thoroughly enjoyed Modern Western Square Dancing. This father of one son now enjoys spending time working on jigsaw puzzles.

Susie Garvey, Suite 432, was born in Winchester and resided in Woburn for many years before moving to Rochester, MA five years ago.

A high school graduate of the then Marycliff Academy, Susie later earned a bachelor's at Merrimack College and a master's at Cambridge College. Her interesting career began with teaching young students at the Wyman School and concluded teaching ESL to Spanish-



speaking students. During the Kennedy administration, she moved to Washington, D.C. and worked for the Office of the Federal Register for five years.

Susie fondly recalls an adventurous two-month trip across Europe with three others where she visited at least eight countries. Back in the day, she enjoyed playing both golf and tennis, and now is an avid reader of affirmative true life stories. We extend a warm welcome to Tom and Susie in their new home.

Resident Photo Album

Residents love shopping and our new bus!

Following a successful shopping trip to Redstone Plaza in Stoneham, residents posed coming off New Horizons' new bus.



Pictured left to right: bus driver **Odele Massillon** with residents **Eileen Kelly**, **Lois Bellini**, **Ann Lehan**, **Helen Carter**, **Toula Wouralis**, and **Elvia Pineda**. Not pictured is **David Mooney**.

Little Moments, Big Love





What a nice day for resident **Tony Lemone**, who enjoyed a visit from grandson **Chris**, his wife **Courtney**, and great granddaughter **Stevie** (pictured above left). Later that same day, he was surprised with another visit from his granddaughter **Alex** and great-grandson **James** (pictured above right).

Employee Spotlight



Prezioso posing with her clock recognizing 10 years of service. She joins 20 other staff members who have worked at New Horizons for more than a decade. Giavanna first began her employment in high school, worked through her college years, and now continues to work here part-time alongside a full-time role elsewhere. Thank you, Giavanna, for all you do.

IN MEMORIUM We are sad to share the news of the loss of **Mary Gorman**, a resident for seven years, as well as former residents **Maureen Noble**, **Anna Cullen and Anna Perin.** We send heartfelt condolences to their families and friends in their time of grief.

Dates to Remember

Reminder: Keep Us in the Loop

With the holiday season quickly approaching, we ask that residents and families keep us updated on their whereabouts. Any absence from the building, be it for a week-long getaway or an overnight trip, should be communicated to the front desk or a director. In



addition, if a resident's primary contact is going to be away, we would like to make a note so we can reach out to an alternate contact if needed.

October 9 - On-site flu vaccine clinic

October 13 - Columbus Day & Indigenous Peoples' Day

October 31 - Halloween





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