



The Cottages at Martin Lake August Newsletter

It is hard to believe that August is right around the corner! We need to enjoy these warm summer days while we have them. Please let me know if you would like to schedule a boat ride with your loved one. Also, feel free to come out and enjoy a picnic by the lake.

July Family Picnic

Our family picnic in July was a lot of fun! Thank you to everyone who came out! The weather was perfect, the food was good, and entertainment was fun. Look for details of our October event coming soon!



Staff News

Our Staff Highlight this month is **Crystal V.** Crystal has been working at The Cottages at Martin Lake for over a year. She works fulltime first shift but occasionally picks up a second or third shift when needed. An interesting fact about Crystal is that her grandfather Gordy was our very first resident! She has four children ages 13, 11, and 6 year old twins. Her favorite book is the Bible, her favorite flower is a rose, favorite candy is York Peppermint Patties, and her favorite color is red. When she is not working Crystal enjoys being outside and spending time with her children. Crystal is a favorite of many of our residents!

Other staffing news is about our On-Call coverage when Anna is off-duty. (This doesn't happen often but she is trying to achieve a better balance between work life and personal life.) Currently, either Heather or Chuck are on call if Anna is taking time off and she is available by phone for emergencies.

Getting Old

You tell me I am getting old. I tell you, that's not so.
The "house" I live in is worn out. And that, of course, I know.
It's been in use a long, long while. It's weathered many a gale:
I'm really not surprised you think. It's getting somewhat frail.
The color's changing on the roof. The window's getting dim.
The wall's a bit transparent. And looking rather thin.
The foundation's not so steady, As once it used to be:
My "house" is getting shaky. But my "house" – it isn't me.
My few short years can't make me old. I feel I'm in my youth:
Eternity lies just ahead. A lot of joy and truth.
You only see the outside. Which is all that most folks see.
You tell me that I am getting old? You've mixed my "house" with me!

Please Give Us A Review



Please consider giving us a review on [GOOGLE](#). This helps us show up in google searches when people look up Assisted Living Homes. If for some reason, you can't give us a 5 Star review, please contact Anna so we can correct that part of our care!

Also, please "Like" our Facebook page. This is one of the ways that we market and let people know that we are an option when they need care for their loved one.



FYI: August is National Picnic Month!

