

# The Scoop

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# Employee Appreciation

WRITTEN BY HAILEY WETHERBEE

Summercrest Senior Living's team is second to none! I am so thankful every day to work in a community that respects its residents and provides a quality living environment that promotes dignity. Our staff members provide the essential daily support that our residents need to thrive, and they do it while smiling and building meaningful relationships.

The important work that these team members do on a daily basis is priceless, and Summercrest's sterling reputation is a result of their efforts. Providing care and support to our elderly can be both physically and emotionally draining, though rewarding. Our staff finds small ways every day to make our elders smile, and that cannot be bought in a store. Thank you, you make sure that we can continue to say that "Life is Good Here!"

# They make life good here





# A Day in My Shoes

*What is it like to be a Health Services Assistant at Summercrest*

WRITTEN BY EMALIE ROBERTSON-TURNER

Working as a Health Services Assistant at Summercrest means that every day is different! It is important to be flexible so that we can meet our resident's needs. I spend my day doing a variety of things for the residents here including laundry. We wash, dry, fold, and deliver many loads of laundry daily. Another important aspect of my day includes checking on my assigned residents to make sure they have taken their medications. I assist some people with personal care which can include showering and dressing.

In our department, we help residents get ready for medical appointments and provide reminders to go to meals and activity programs. We often participate in theme days; luau is a favorite! My favorite part of each day is the relationships I build with my residents, they are like family to me.

**The dedication, compassion, and hard work of every single employee at Summercrest is what makes this community such a wonderful place!**



# Trivia

1. What year did the Beatles officially disband?
2. What was the name of Elvis Presley's infamous estate located in Memphis, TN?
3. Who wrote the "Star-Spangled Banner"?
4. Which famous singer of the 40s and 50s had the nickname 'Ol' Blue Eyes'?
5. Tony Bennett had a 1951 Number 1 hit with the song "Cold, cold \_\_\_\_"?

## Noteworthy Activities:

- Performance by Second Wind
- Ice Cream Social
- Birthday Party
- Bingo
- Performance by Jim Hollins

## Upcoming Activities:

- Rosary
- Weekly crafter's corner
- Word Scramble
- Performance by Sue Anne Thayer
- Shopping with Bruce



Answers: 1) 1971 2) Graceland 3) Francis Scott-Key 4) Frank Sinatra 5) Heart

# Celebrating the Years

Join us in celebrating every single one of these amazing staff members who are the heart and soul of Summercrest! From Bruce and Aggie, to our newest recruits, everyone on this roster is the reason why life is good here at Summercrest!

<b>Bruce Sargeant</b> _____	<b>1998</b>	<b>Monique Perkinson</b> _____	<b>2019</b>
<b>Aggie Olivares</b> _____	<b>2002</b>	<b>Nancy Collins</b> _____	<b>2019</b>
<b>Pamela Jones</b> _____	<b>2008</b>	<b>Shelly Hudson</b> _____	<b>2019</b>
<b>Nancy Ash</b> _____	<b>2009</b>	<b>Sheryl Runells</b> _____	<b>2019</b>
<b>Barbara Rabtoy</b> _____	<b>2011</b>	<b>Teresa Reed</b> _____	<b>2019</b>
<b>Leigh Stocker</b> _____	<b>2012</b>	<b>Ann Finn-Waddell</b> _____	<b>2020</b>
<b>Natasha Brown</b> _____	<b>2013</b>	<b>Blanche Lunn</b> _____	<b>2020</b>
<b>Paul Reamon</b> _____	<b>2013</b>	<b>Brittany Thibeault</b> _____	<b>2020</b>
<b>Shirley Day</b> _____	<b>2014</b>	<b>Christopher LeBlanc</b> _____	<b>2020</b>
<b>Lisa Page</b> _____	<b>2015</b>	<b>John Wilcox</b> _____	<b>2020</b>
<b>Alexandra Merrill</b> _____	<b>2016</b>	<b>Kirsten Hurd</b> _____	<b>2020</b>
<b>Charlotte Thompson</b> _____	<b>2016</b>	<b>Lisa Scofani-Uhrin</b> _____	<b>2020</b>
<b>Karolina Kowalczyk</b> _____	<b>2016</b>	<b>Mazelle Donaldson</b> _____	<b>2020</b>
<b>Dara Deshane</b> _____	<b>2017</b>	<b>Melissa Sinclair</b> _____	<b>2020</b>
<b>Emalie Robertson-Turner</b> _____	<b>2017</b>	<b>Alyssa Ackerman</b> _____	<b>2021</b>
<b>Shirley Hamilton</b> _____	<b>2017</b>	<b>Cassandra Elcock</b> _____	<b>2021</b>
<b>Daniel Bourgeois</b> _____	<b>2018</b>	<b>Darci Johnson</b> _____	<b>2021</b>
<b>Sandra Fortune</b> _____	<b>2018</b>	<b>Deborah Blesedell</b> _____	<b>2021</b>
<b>Annette Menard</b> _____	<b>2019</b>	<b>Hailey King</b> _____	<b>2021</b>
<b>Hailey Wetherbee</b> _____	<b>2019</b>	<b>Jennifer Colby</b> _____	<b>2021</b>
<b>MacKenzie Decato</b> _____	<b>2019</b>	<b>Kaylee Kempton</b> _____	<b>2021</b>
<b>Miranda Toliver</b> _____	<b>2019</b>	<b>Samantha Brehio</b> _____	<b>2021</b>

# Employee Spotlight

## Aggie Olivares

Aggie was born near Acapulco, Mexico. She has seven brothers and six sisters. Her parents still reside in Mexico. Aggie comes from a family of cattle and mango farmers. The family would typically have between 250-300 cattle and the mango field produced 3500 mangos yearly.



Aggie moved to the United States in 1989. She first moved to California and moved to Newport, New Hampshire in 2001. She started working at Summercrest in 2002. At Summercrest, Aggie is our housekeeper, but she does so much more than that. She assists in the activities department, the dining services, and as a resident assistant. Aggie's longevity at Summercrest helps to instill a sense of comfort in our residents. They enjoy seeing her smiling face every day.

Aggie has two children, Juan and Cristal, and a husband named Chuck. Aggie is a hard worker! Many of her hours away from Summercrest are spent working side jobs such as house cleaning and being a caregiver to local elderly people. In her spare time, Aggie enjoys watching horseracing, swimming, knitting, and crafting. Aggie became a citizen of the United States in 2018.

**"Spread love everywhere you go. Let no one ever come to you without leaving happier."**

**-Mother Teresa**

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