

Also in December



Dec. 13 is actor Dick van Dyke’s 96th birthday. Watch early episodes of his self-titled comedy *The Dick van Dyke Show* and *Diagnosis Murder*. The Bradford Book Club is reading *Flowers for Algernon* by Daniel Keyes. Algernon is a laboratory mouse who has



undergone surgery to increase his intelligence. The story is told by a series of progress reports written by Charlie Gordon, the first human subject for the surgery, and it touches on ethical and moral themes such as the treatment of the mentally disabled. Join the



group as they discuss it on Dec. 14. On **Dec. 28**, we travel to ShowBiz Cinema for \$5 Tuesdays. More information about the time and selected film will be coming up later in December.



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Ho-Ho-Holidays!



‘Tis the season to celebrate! On **Dec. 6** we continue our traditional Ornament Ceremony. New residents are gifted a special ornament, and together we decorate a tree with all resident ornaments. Friends and family are all invited to our Holiday Open House on **Dec. 9**. Come to commons west for cocktails, hors d’ oeuvres, and fellowship. Get ready to play dirty at our Dirty Santa Party on **Dec. 16**. On **Dec. 17**, wear your brightest, tackiest sweater in our Ugly Sweater Parade and contest! We can’t wait to enjoy our annual pajama breakfast on **Dec. 21**, now a BRUNCH! Look forward to homemade hot cocoa, mimosas, an omelet bar, and more! Finally, we’ll close the season on **Dec. 30** with our Holiday Gala. In lieu of a traditional Celebrate meal, attendees can enjoy a buffet and mix and mingle with each other throughout the evening. Happy Holidays!

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Happy Birthday

- Bill Tyo - 4th
- Sue Fraim - 12th
- Ted Perrin - 18th
- Jimmie Shadid - 19th
- Denise Jones - 24th
- STAFF
Caitlin Cairns - 17th

Ugly Sweaters: A History



When did wearing ugly Christmas sweaters become...a thing? Knit sweaters with holiday patterns have been around since the 50s, but in the early 2000’s, a group of Canadian friends decided it would be fun to have a wholesome, feel-good party where everyone sang carols, decorated a tree, and wore sweaters - the ugly, the tacky, the cheesy, the garish. The party was a success, and the friends hosted fundraising events until the phenomenon became a trend. (They even wrote the “Ugly Christmas Sweater Party Book.”)

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
PROGRAM  – Social  – Intellectual  – Inspirational  – Physical	Everyday Experiences 7:30 - 8:30 Breakfast 11:30 - 12:30 Lunch Gym Available 24/7 Exercise M,T,Th,F		8:15  Eric's Coffee Chat CC 9:00  The Great Courses CW 12:15  Dominoes L	8:30  Exercise w/ UCO CW 9:30  Rehearsal TBA TBA 9:30  UCO Aging & Adulthood Class CC 11:30  Christmas Carol Quiz CC	8:30  Exercise w/ UCO CW 9:30  Rehearsal TBA TBA 12:30  Deck the Halls CC <i>Decorate and enjoy cookies and cocoa</i>	10-11 Brunch
5	6  Weekly Brain Busters CC 8:30  Exercise w/ UCO CW 10:00  Executive Committee CW 12:00  Ornament Ceremony CC 12:30  Bingo CW 2:00  Rehearsal TBA TBA	7 8:30  Exercise w/ UCO CW 10:15  Men's Coffee CW 12:30  Menu Chat CC 3:00  Crafts! Christmas Ornaments CW	8 8:15  Eric's Coffee Chat CC 9:00  The Great Courses CW 10:00  The Classics Women's Group L 12:15  Dominoes L 3:00  Birthday Party CW	9 8:30  Exercise w/ UCO CW 9:30  Rehearsal TBA TBA 4:30  Holiday Open House CW <i>Come and go, 4:30-6pm Guests welcome!</i>	10 8:30  Exercise w/ UCO CW 9:30  Rehearsal TBA TBA 3:30  Movie & Pizza CW	11
12	13  Weekly Brain Busters CC 8:30  Exercise w/ UCO CW 9:30  Rehearsal TBA TBA 12:30  Bingo CW 2:00  Dick Van Dyke's 96th Birthday Watch Party CW	14 8:30  Exercise w/ UCO CW 10:15  Men's Coffee CW 10:30  Bradford Book Club L 12:30  Menu Chat CC 3:00  AL/IL Jingle Mingle AL	15 8:15  Eric's Coffee Chat CC 9:00  The Great Courses CW 10:00  The Classics Women's Group L 12:15  Dominoes L	16 8:30  Exercise w/ UCO CW 9:30  Rehearsal TBA TBA 3:30  Dirty Santa Party CW	17 8:30  Exercise (no UCO) CW 9:30  Rehearsal TBA TBA 11:30  Ugly Christmas Sweater Parade CC	18
19	20  Weekly Brain Busters CC 8:30  Exercise (no UCO) CW 12:30  Bingo CW 2:00  Christmas Cocktails & Trivia CW	21 8:30  Exercise (no UCO) CW 10:00  Christmas Pajama Brunch CW 12:00  Menu Chat CC	22 8:15  Eric's Coffee Chat CC 9:00  The Great Courses CW 10:00  The Classics Women's Group L 12:15  Dominoes L	23 8:30  Exercise (no UCO) CW 12:15  'Twas the Night RIGHT Before Christmas Game	24 CHRISTMAS EVE <i>Regular breakfast & lunch service offered</i>	25
26	27  Weekly Brain Busters CC 8:30  Exercise (no UCO) CW 12:30  Bingo CW	28 8:30  Exercise (no UCO) CW 10:15  Men's Coffee CW 12:30  Menu Chat CC TBA  ShowBiz Cinema \$5 Tuesdays O	29 8:15  Eric's Coffee Chat CC 9:00  The Great Courses CW 10:00  The Classics Women's Group L 12:15  Dominoes L	30 8:30  Exercise (no UCO) CW 4:30  Celebrate: Holiday Gala <i>4:30 Cocktails & Hors d'oeuvres Buffet</i>	31 NEW YEAR'S EVE 8:30  Exercise (no UCO) CW 12:15  Year in Review <i>Slideshow Presentation</i>	LOCATION KEY CC - Community Center CW - Commons West L - Library O - Off Campus AL - Assisted Living - -