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## APRIL 2023

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### Jessica Nolan

We are excited to announce the return of our annual Easter Egg Hunt. The residents are working hard to prepare for the event and are starting to pack hundreds of Easter egg for our little egg hunters.

Please make sure you mark your calendars for this special event. Thursday the 6th at 10:30 am.



### Bunny Basics

Rabbits can be found living in city parks, suburban yards and country meadows. These cute critters are often seen as a symbol of spring. As the weather warms and the grass turns green, hop on in to these fun facts about rabbits.

- Although baby rabbits are called bunnies, they are actually kits or kittens. A female rabbit is a doe and a male rabbit is a buck.
- Carrot-crunching rabbits are often shown in cartoons, but the herbivores mainly eat grass, weeds, clover and other plants.
- When rabbits are happy, they jump in the air, twist and kick, an athletic leap known as a binky.
- Strong hind legs give rabbits their speed and jumping ability. Eastern cottontails, the most common rabbit in North America, can run up to 18 mph.
- Like cats, rabbits groom themselves by licking their fur and paws. They also purr when they are content and relaxed.
- Some types of rabbits dig underground burrows called warrens; others make nests above ground under dense cover.
- A rabbit can see behind, above and to the sides without turning its head.
- Their long, sensitive ears can detect sounds up to 2 miles away. The large surface area of the ears releases body heat, helping the animals stay cool.
- The largest rabbit is the Flemish giant, a domesticated breed that weighs up to 20 pounds and grows 2.5 feet long.

### Chocolate Bunny Bonanza

More than 90 million chocolate bunnies are sold in the U.S. each year.

**APRIL 2023**

**Brain Bender:  
Words of  
Spring**

Step into springtime fun with these word ladders. In each set, use the clues provided to change the first word, one letter at a time, to make the last word.

BIRD

- \_\_\_\_\_ To tie securely
- \_\_\_\_\_ A special connection
- \_\_\_\_\_ Deep sound of a bell

SONG

WIND

- \_\_\_\_\_ Takes first place
- \_\_\_\_\_ Sharp senses
- \_\_\_\_\_ Baby rabbits

KITE

RAIN

- \_\_\_\_\_ To acquire
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Wide smile
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Hold tightly
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Slowly falling liquid
  - \_\_\_\_\_ The shape of rain
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Harvested food
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Loud black bird
- GROW  
(Answers: 1. bird, bind, bond, bong, song; 2. wind, wins, wits, kits, kite; 3. rain, gain, grin, grip, drip, drop, crop, crow, grow)

**"The sky is always beautiful. Even when it's dark or rainy or cloudy, it's still beautiful to look at ... and it'll be there no matter what."  
—Colleen Hoover**

| Sunday   | Monday   | Tuesday   | Wednesday  | Thursday   | Friday   | Saturday   |
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|    |  |   |  |  |  | <b>April Fools' Day</b> 1<br>9:30 Daily Devotion-PL<br>10:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>1:00 Word Search-AL<br>2:30 Snack And Hydration-AR<br>4:00 Movie Of Choice-PI<br>6:00 Game Night-RL   |
| 2<br>9:30 Daily Devotion-PL<br>10:00 Church With Steve-PL<br>10:30 Snack And Hydration-AR<br>11:00 Catholic Communion-PL<br>11:00 Catholic Mass-PL<br>6:15 Bible Study with David-PL                             | 3<br>9:30 Daily Devotion-PL<br>10:00 Exercise With Therapy-PL<br>10:00 Walmart OOC<br>10:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>1:00 Easter Centerpieces-PL<br>2:00 Bingo-PL<br>2:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>3:30 Easter Crafts Scok Bunny-PL<br>6:00 Movie Night-PL | 4<br>9:30 Daily Devotion-PL<br>10:00 Exercise Class-PL<br>10:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>2:00 Manicures Spa Day-BS<br>2:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>3:00 Filling Easter Egg -AR<br>3:30 Porch Chat-OB<br>6:00 Lemonade And Cookie Social-PL | 5<br>9:30 Daily Devotion-PL<br>10:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>10:45 Pet Therapy With Jack And Dianne-PL<br>1:00 Bingo-PL<br>2:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>3:00 Easter Scrabble-PL<br>3:30 A Jelly Bean Prayer-AR<br>6:00 Bible Study Time-PL | 6<br><b>Easter Egg Hunt</b><br>9:30 Daily Devotion-PL<br>10:00 Exercise With Therapy-PL<br>10:00 York County Library<br>10:30 Easter egg Hunt -OB<br>10:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>1:00 Catholic Rosary-PL<br>2:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>3:00 Wine And Cheese-PL | 7<br><b>Good Friday</b><br>9:30 Daily Devotion-PL<br>10:00 Exercise Class<br>10:30 Music With Jerry-PL<br>1:00 Bingo-PL<br>2:00 Arts and Crafts-Diliala<br>2:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>3:00 Easter Egg Scavenger Hunt-ALL OVER<br>3:30 Easter Crossword-PL<br>6:00 Friday Night Movie Time-PL | 8<br>9:30 Daily Devotion-PL<br>10:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>1:00 Word Search-AL<br>1:30 Easter Arts -PL<br>2:30 Snack And Hydration-AR<br>4:00 Movie Of Choice-PI<br>6:00 Game Night-RL   |
| 9<br><b>EASTER</b><br>9:30 Daily Devotion-PL<br>10:00 Church With Steve-PL<br>10:30 Snack And Hydration-AR<br>11:00 Catholic Communion-PL<br>12:00 Ester Sunday Word Search-PL<br>6:15 Bible Study with David-PL | 10<br>9:30 Daily Devotion-PL<br>10:00 Exercise With Therapy-PL<br>10:00 Walmart OOC<br>10:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>2:00 Bingo-PL<br>2:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>3:00 Baking Class With Shawn<br>6:00 Movie Night-PL                                   | 11<br>9:30 Daily Devotion-PL<br>10:00 Exercise Class-PL<br>10:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>2:00 Manicures Spa Day-BS<br>2:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>3:30 Porch Chat-OB<br>6:00 Lemonade And Cookie Social-PL                               | 12<br>9:30 Daily Devotion-PL<br>10:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>10:45 Pet Therapy With Jack And Dianne-PL<br>1:00 Bingo-PL<br>2:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>3:00 Walking Club<br>6:00 Bible Study Time-PL                                     | 13<br>9:30 Daily Devotion-PL<br>10:00 Exercise With Therapy-PL<br>10:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>1:30 Reminiscing with BOM<br>2:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>3:00 Wine And Cheese-PL<br>6:00 Card Night-RL  | 14<br>9:30 Daily Devotion-PL<br>10:00 Exercise Class<br>10:30 Hamrick's<br>1:00 Bingo-PL<br>2:00 Arts and Crafts-Diliala<br>2:30 Fun Day Out Back<br>2:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>6:00 Friday Night Movie Time-PL  | 15<br>9:30 Daily Devotion-PL<br>10:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>1:00 Word Search-AL<br>2:30 Snack And Hydration-AR<br>4:00 Movie Of Choice-PI<br>6:00 Game Night-RL  |
| 16<br>9:30 Daily Devotion-PL<br>10:00 Church With Steve-PL<br>10:30 Snack And Hydration-AR<br>11:00 Catholic Communion-PL<br>2:30 Snack And Hydration-AR<br>6:15 Bible Study with David-PL                       | 17<br>9:30 Daily Devotion-PL<br>10:00 Exercise With Therapy-PL<br>10:00 Walmart OOC<br>10:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>2:00 Bingo-PL<br>2:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>3:00 Resident Council-PL<br>6:00 Movie Night-PL                                       | 18<br>9:30 Daily Devotion-PL<br>10:00 Exercise Class-PL<br>10:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>2:00 Manicures Spa Day-BS<br>2:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>3:30 Porch Chat-OB<br>6:00 Lemonade And Cookie Social-PL                               | 19<br>9:30 Daily Devotion-PL<br>10:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>10:45 Pet Therapy With Jack And Dianne-PL<br>1:00 Bingo-PL<br>2:00 Songbird Music<br>2:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>3:00 Walking Club<br>6:00 Bible Study Time-PL              | 20<br>9:30 Daily Devotion-PL<br>10:00 Exercise With Therapy-PL<br>10:00 York County Library<br>10:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>1:00 Catholic Rosary-PL<br>2:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>3:00 Wine And Cheese-PL<br>6:00 Card Night-RL                                 | 21<br>9:30 Daily Devotion-PL<br>10:00 Exercise Class<br>10:30 Dollar Tree -OOT<br>1:00 Bingo-PL<br>2:00 Arts and Crafts-Diliala<br>2:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>3:00 Art Class with Anna<br>6:00 Friday Night Movie Time-PL  | 22<br><b>Earth Day</b><br>9:30 Daily Devotion-PL<br>10:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>1:00 Earth Day Coloring Sheet-PL<br>1:00 Word Search-AL<br>2:30 Snack And Hydration-AR<br>3:00 Music With Bill-PL<br>4:00 Movie Of Choice-PI<br>6:00 Game Night-RL |
| 23<br>9:30 Daily Devotion-PL<br>10:00 Church With Steve-PL<br>10:30 Snack And Hydration-AR<br>11:00 Catholic Communion-PL<br>6:15 Bible Study with David-PL  | 24<br>9:30 Daily Devotion-PL<br>10:00 Exercise With Therapy-PL<br>10:00 Walmart OOC<br>10:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>12:00 Food Committee-AR<br>2:00 Bingo-PL<br>2:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>6:00 Movie Night-PL  | 25<br>9:30 Daily Devotion-PL<br>10:00 Exercise Class-PL<br>10:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>2:00 Manicures Spa Day-BS<br>2:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>3:30 Porch Chat-OB<br>6:00 Lemonade And Cookie Social-PL                               | 26<br>9:30 Daily Devotion-PL<br>10:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>10:45 Pet Therapy With Jack And Dianne-PL<br>1:00 Bingo-PL<br>2:00 Bus Ride With Roger<br>2:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>3:00 Walking Club<br>6:00 Bible Study Time-PL         | 27<br>9:30 Daily Devotion-PL<br>10:00 Exercise With Therapy-PL<br>10:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>2:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>3:00 Wine And Cheese-PL<br>6:00 Card Night-RL   | 28<br>9:30 Daily Devotion-PL<br>10:00 Exercise Class<br>10:30 Hobby Lobby-OOC<br>1:00 Bingo-PL<br>2:00 Arts and Crafts-Diliala<br>2:30 Fun Day Out Back<br>2:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>3:00 Music With Patrick-PL<br>6:00 Friday Night Movie Time-PL  | 29<br>9:30 Daily Devotion-PL<br>10:30 Snack And Hydration-PL<br>1:00 Word Search-AL<br>2:30 Snack And Hydration-AR<br>4:00 Movie Of Choice-PI<br>6:00 Game Night-RL  |
| 30<br>9:30 Daily Devotion-PL<br>10:00 Church With Steve-PL<br>10:30 Snack And Hydration-AR<br>11:00 Catholic Communion-PL<br>6:15 Bible Study with David-PL  |  |   |  |  |  |  |



**Animals are a man's best friend.**

**Animals are such agreeable friends—they ask no questions, they pass no criticisms. An animal's eyes have the power to speak a great language. Our residents love when pet therapy stops by every week!**



**EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH**

**Rylee has been with Lake Wylie for one year. She is a joy to work with and is always willing to lend a helping hand. She is a recent graduate from Lander University, with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Psychology. In her free time she likes to spend her day outside with her puppy and boyfriend. She also loves to read books and binge watch TV.**

## **Funny Bunny Flowerpot**

Hop into spring with this quick craft that creates an adorable bunny burrowing in some flowers.

**Materials:**

- Mini flowerpot with a 2-inch opening
- Plastic or paper grass
- 3 to 5 small artificial flowers
- Hot glue gun and glue
- Large brown pompom
- Small white pompom
- Scissors
- One-hole punch
- Brown and pink felt

**Directions:**

Fill the flowerpot with the grass. Tuck in the flowers, securing with glue if necessary. Leave enough room for the large pompom.

To create the bunny's backside, glue the small pompom to the center of the large pompom. Cut 2 oval shapes out of the brown felt, then punch out 6 small circles from the pink felt. Glue 3 circles at the bottom of each brown oval to form the rabbit's paws. Glue both paws to the bottom of the large pompom.

Glue the pompom bunny inside the flowerpot in front of the flowers to make it appear the curious critter is digging in the grass. Display on a table or shelf.

