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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 eggs for our little egg hunters.

Please make sure you mark your calendars for this special event. The Easter hunt is Thursday, April 6th at 10:30 am. We hope to see you There!



## 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.

## A Bunch of Bunnies

The many terms for a group of rabbits include colony, herd, nest and fluffle.

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### Make Speckled Easter Eggs

Try this cool way to color Easter eggs. The best part? No mess! Add 1 cup of uncooked rice to a zip-close sandwich bag. Add 7 to 10 drops of food coloring (one color) and stir with a spoon. Repeat in separate bags with any other colors you want to use. Place a hard-boiled egg (shell on!) in one of the bags. Close the bag and gently shake until the egg is colored to your liking. Use tongs to remove the egg and place it somewhere safe to dry. Repeat with remaining eggs.

### Sending You a Springtime Smile!

The season is in full bloom, and so are our best wishes for all of our residents. Here's to a happy spring full of smiles, laughter and beautiful weather!

**"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
						<b>April Fools' Day</b> 1 8:30 Pamper Me-000 9:30 Morning Prayer And Devotion-DR 10:00 April IQ-AR2 10:30 Fitness Time-AR2 1:30 Quiet Time-R 3:00 Greeting Cards -AR 6:00 Wind Down With Classical Music
2 8:30 Pamper Me-000 9:30 Morning Prayer And Devotion-DR 10:00 Current Events -AR-Easter Around the world 10:30 Fitness Time-AR2 12:00 Walk With Me-AB 1:30 Quiet Time-R	3 8:30 Pamper Me-000 9:30 Morning Prayer And Devotion-DR 10:00 Finding rainbows with our SMD-Drew 10:30 Fitness Time-AR2 1:30 Quiet Time-R 3:00 Gardening -OB 6:00 Quotes to bring joy -ar	4 8:30 Pamper Me-000 9:30 Morning Prayer And Devotion-DR 10:00 Carrot Craft with our BOM-Amber 10:30 Fitness Time-AR2 1:30 Quiet Time-R 3:00 Mixed up Easter.-AR 6:00 Hot Cocoa -SA	5 8:30 Pamper Me-000 9:30 Morning Prayer And Devotion-DR 10:30 Fitness Time-AR2 10:30 Snack And Hydration -AR 1:30 Quiet Time-R 3:30 Walk with Me 6:00 TV-Time	6 8:30 Pamper Me-000 9:30 Morning Prayer And Devotion-DR 10:30 Snack And Hydration with Nurse Kay 10:30 Table tennis -AR 1:30 Quiet Time-R 3:00 Sparkling Wine And Cheese-DR 6:00 Wind down with Classic Music	7 <b>Good Friday</b> 8:30 Pamper Me-000 9:30 Morning Prayer And Devotion-DR 10:00 History on Coffee cakes -AR 10:30 Fitness Time-AR2 10:30 Snack And Hydration -AR let's try coffee cakes 12:00 Manicure Spa Day-CK 1:30 Quiet Time-R 6:00 Friday Night Movie-AR	8 8:30 Pamper Me-000 9:30 Morning Prayer And Devotion-DR 10:30 Fitness Time-AR2 1:30 Quiet Time-R 3:00 Bird Art -AR 6:00 Wind Down With Classical Music
9 <b>Easter</b> 8:30 Pamper Me-000 9:30 Morning Prayer And Devotion-DR 10:30 Fitness Time-AR2 12:00 Walk With Me-AB 1:30 Quiet Time-R	10 8:30 Pamper Me-000 9:30 Morning Prayer And Devotion-DR 10:30 Fitness Time-AR2 1:30 Quiet Time-R 3:00 White House Easter Egg Roll 6:00 Magazine Scavenger Hunt- AR	11 8:30 Pamper Me-000 9:30 Morning Prayer And Devotion-DR 10:30 Fitness Time-AR2 1:30 Talk About Eight tracks with our ED-Jessica 3:00 Target Practice - LR 6:00 Hot Cocoa -SA	12 8:30 Pamper Me-000 9:30 Morning Prayer And Devotion-DR 10:30 Painting Garden Rocks with our RPD- Sandy 1:30 Quiet Time-R 3:30 Kickball-AR 6:00 TV-Time	13 8:30 Pamper Me-000 9:30 Morning Prayer And Devotion-DR 10:30 Fitness Time-AR2 1:30 Quiet Time-R 2:00 Gardening -OB 3:00 Sparkling Wine And Cheese-DR 6:00 Wind down with Classic Music	14 8:30 Pamper Me-000 9:30 Morning Prayer And Devotion-DR 10:30 Garden time with our DOPO- roger 12:00 Manicure Spa Day-CK 1:30 Quiet Time-R 3:00 Comedy club -LR 6:00 Friday Night Movie-AR	15 8:30 Pamper Me-000 9:30 Morning Prayer And Devotion-DR 10:30 Fitness Time-AR2 1:30 Quiet Time-R 3:00 Parachute Fun -AR 6:00 Wind Down With Classical Music
16 8:30 Pamper Me-000 9:30 Morning Prayer And Devotion-DR 10:00 Red Hot Numbers -AR 10:30 Fitness Time-AR2 12:00 Work on your Putt 1:30 Quiet Time-R	17 8:30 Pamper Me-000 9:30 Morning Prayer And Devotion-DR 10:00 Kickball-AR 10:30 Fitness Time-AR2 10:30 Snack And Hydration with our RCC Tamicka 1:30 Quiet Time-R 3:00 Gardening -OB 6:00 Magazine Scavenger Hunt- AR	18 8:30 Pamper Me-000 9:30 Morning Prayer And Devotion-DR 10:00 Current Events -AR 10:30 Fitness Time-AR2 10:30 Snack And Hydration -AR National Animal Cracker Day 1:30 Quiet Time-R 3:00 Target Practice - LR 6:00 Hot Tea -SA	19 8:30 Pamper Me-000 9:30 Morning Prayer And Devotion-DR 10:00 Current Events -AR 10:30 Fitness Time-AR2 10:30 Snack And Hydration -AR National Banana Day 1:30 Quiet Time-R 2:00 Songbird Entertainment on AL 3:30 Kickball-AR 6:00 National Cat Lady Day - Funny Videos of Cats	20 8:30 Pamper Me-000 9:30 Morning Prayer And Devotion-DR 10:00 What's That Phrase - LR 10:30 Fitness Time-AR2 1:30 Quiet Time-R 3:00 Sparkling Wine And Cheese-DR 6:00 Wind down with Classic Music	21 8:30 Pamper Me-000 9:30 Morning Prayer And Devotion-DR 10:00 National Tea Day-Morning Tea -AR 10:30 Fitness Time-AR2 12:00 Manicure Spa Day-CK 1:30 Quiet Time-R 6:00 Friday Night Movie-AR	22 <b>Earth Day</b> 8:30 Pamper Me-000 9:30 Morning Prayer And Devotion-DR 10:00 Current Events -AR 10:30 Fitness Time-AR2 1:30 Quiet Time-R 3:00 Arts And Crafts-AR 6:00 Wind Down With Classical Music
23 8:30 Pamper Me-000 9:30 Morning Prayer And Devotion-DR 10:00 Current Events -AR 10:30 Fitness Time-AR2 12:00 Walk With Me-AB 1:30 Quiet Time-R	24 8:30 Pamper Me-000 9:30 Morning Prayer And Devotion-DR 10:00 Current Events -AR 10:30 Fitness Time-AR2 10:30 Snack And Hydration -AR Pigs in a Blanket With our HWD-Jan 1:30 Quiet Time-R 2:30 Snack And Hydration -AR 3:00 Evening Chats Out Back 6:00 Relax With a Movie	25 8:30 Pamper Me-000 9:30 Morning Prayer And Devotion-DR 10:00 Current Events -AR 10:30 Fitness Time-AR2 10:30 Snack And Hydration -AR 1:30 Quiet Time-R 2:30 Snack And Hydration -AR 3:00 Target Practice - LR 6:00 Calming Music and Hot Tea -AR	26 8:30 Pamper Me-000 9:30 Morning Prayer And Devotion-DR 10:00 Gardening -OB 10:30 Fitness Time-AR2 10:30 Snack And Hydration -AR National Pretzel Day With our DSD Shown 1:30 Quiet Time-R 2:30 Snack And Hydration -AR 3:30 Kickball-AR 6:00 TV-Time	27 8:30 Pamper Me-000 9:30 Morning Prayer And Devotion-DR 10:00 Celebrating National Tell a Story Day with a short story LR 10:30 Fitness Time-AR2 1:30 Quiet Time-R 3:00 Sparkling Wine And Cheese-DR 6:00 Wind down with Classic Music	28 8:30 Pamper Me-000 9:30 Morning Prayer And Devotion-DR 10:00 Word Search Fun -AR 10:30 Fitness Time-AR2 12:00 Manicure Spa Day-CK 1:30 Quiet Time-R 6:00 Friday Night Movie-AR	29 8:30 Pamper Me-000 9:30 Morning Prayer And Devotion-DR 10:00 Current Events -AR 10:30 Fitness Time-AR2 1:30 Quiet Time-R 3:00 Arts And Crafts-AR 6:00 Wind Down With Classical Music
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#### EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH

Rylee has been with Lake Wylie for several years. 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.



Our residents enjoy pet therapy.

## Make a Butterfly Garden

Watching butterflies flit from flower to flower is one of the many joys of tending a garden. By growing certain plants that attract butterflies, you can encourage these important pollinators to visit every day! Butterflies like a variety of colors, shapes and heights, and planting different flowers in one container, as well as in pots of varying sizes, helps provide a dense, lush habitat. Typically, butterflies are drawn to bright, warm colors—think reds, oranges, pinks and purples. Plants with tubular flowers, tiny clusters of blooms, or blossoms with large, flat petals are favorites of the insects. Some of the best choices are zinnias, petunias, marigolds and lantana. To attract even more butterflies, grow host plants such as milkweed, parsley, fennel and dill. The insects will seek out these species and lay their eggs on them, which then provide food for their caterpillars as they prepare to transform into butterflies.

Create a relaxing oasis for butterflies by adding some basking stones, which can be any flat rocks placed in a sunny spot. You can also build a drinking station by arranging some gravel, sand and smooth stones in a saucer, then adding a shallow amount of water.

