

# Bridgeway Pointe News



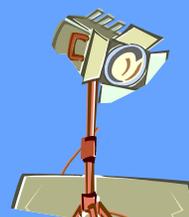
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## JULY

- July 2** Making Homemade Ice Cream, 2 p.m.  
Cooking Kitchen
- July 3** Cornhole in the Courtyard, 1:30 p.m.
- July 4** Happy 4th of July!  
Activities Office and Pool Closed
- July 8** Birthday Party & New Resident  
Welcome, 2:30 p.m., Club Room
- July 10** Cincinnati Zoo Presents: "History of  
Cincinnati Zoo & Botanical Garden,"  
1:30 p.m., Club Room
- July 15** Chair Volleyball, 1:30 p.m.,  
Club Room
- July 16** Baby Boomer Outing to College Hill  
Coffee Company, 10:45 a.m., Meet  
by Flagpole
- July 25** Jim Hart, Pianist, 2 p.m., Club Room
- July 28** Root Beer Floats in Courtyard,  
3:30 p.m.
- July 29** Karaoke, 11 a.m., Club Room



### Resident Spotlight



**Jan  
O'Herron**

**"Loves to read English  
historical novels"**

Jan O'Herron was born in Buffalo, New York, or as she likes to say, "the snow belt." She was raised with her one brother, Walter Jr., called Bud. Her dad was a carpenter, a cabinet maker. Her mom was Scotch-Irish and, according to Jan, "just a sweet, nice person...and very talented." The chair in Jan's living room is evidence of her mother's creativity. The chair upholstery was cruelled by her mother in a beautiful shade of blue, a delicate pattern of flowers. It's an heirloom, to be sure.

Jan took business courses in high school, including shorthand and typewriting, and she worked for a number of years as a secretary. She enjoyed working and formed friendships with a number of the other "gals."

She and her husband, Robert, had two beautiful children together, Mark Robert and Kathy. Mark and

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## Resident Spotlight (Continued)

his wife, Susan, live in Chicago and Kathy and her husband, Bob, are here in town. “Bless her heart, she’s always here for me. She’s very devoted,” Jan said of her daughter.

After her husband’s untimely passing in 1973, Jan later married Phillip O’Herron and was married for 32 years. He was an industrial supplies salesman. Jan said he was outgoing with a fun Irish sense of humor, a good joke and story teller.

What Jan enjoys doing most these days is reading. She particularly enjoys reading English historical novels written by Phillipa Gregory. Currently, she’s reading *The Kingmaker’s Daughter* which takes place in 1465. She’s also read *The Other Queen*, *The Virgin’s Lover*, *The Other Boelyn Girl*, and *The Boelyn Inheritance*. She also uses her computer to play games.

Over the years, Jan has enjoyed collecting. Hanging on the wall of her living room is a curio shelf of lovely brass miniatures, including an hour glass, bicycle, tea kettle, thimble,

frying pan, and windmill. She also has a collection of figurines, including one that was her mother’s, the Veiled Lady, a beautiful, mysterious-looking woman wearing a black lace veil. She also has a grouping of German Hummel figurines, including one very old one of a red-haired girl that had also belonged to her mother.

Jan has four grandchildren, Kristen, Amy, Rachel, and Josh, all married, and six “energetic” great-grandchildren that she loves.

Jan moved to Bridgeway Pointe about two years ago and said that the move has been good for her. She enjoys visiting with Marty who lives across the hall from her, eating dinner in the dining room, and the many music activities. “I feel contented,” she said, smiling broadly with her warm smile. Her daughter added, “My mom enjoys being around the caring friends, residents, and staff at Bridgeway Pointe, and I appreciate the contentment she has found living here.”

## Baby Boomers Out and About



During May and June, the Baby Boomers group enjoyed dinner at Bronte Restaurant and shopping at Joseph Beth Bookstore. They also gathered for a fun dinner and movie one hot summer evening!

All baby boomers are welcome to join the group for its July outing. Check the activity calendar or talk to Erica for details.

## Popsicles in the Courtyard



Residents kicked-off the Summer Solstice by enjoying popsicles in the Courtyard on a hot Friday afternoon...a tasty summertime treat!



## Happy July BIRTHDAY!

Chester Blair	July 2
Marie Allard	July 10
Mary Reynolds	July 11
Tom Ochs	July 26
Hubert Wilhelm	July 31

Happy Birthday to All!



## Zesty Summer Cooking!

Residents have been busy cooking up some new summer recipes, using a variety of fresh spices and herbs.

A favorite appetizer was the Asparagus Roll-Ups, and a tasty main course was the Summer Spaghetti.



## RED HAT LADIES ELECT NEW OFFICERS



The monthly Red Hat luncheon ladies traveled to the Back Porch Saloon and enjoyed a summer afternoon out on the town! This month was special because the group held its annual elections. The new President is

Judith Ketz. Vice President is Ann Mueninghoff. And, Mary Morin was elected Jester!

The group extended warm thanks-you's to outgoing President, Phyllis Eveleigh.

## IT PAYS TO REFER



**Do you know  
someone who  
might enjoy living  
here?**

Don't forget:

Residents who refer a family member or friend to Bridgeway Pointe will receive a one-time discount of \$1,000 off a month's rent...and the referred new resident will receive the same discount!\*

**See Kris Collins in the front office for specific details. \*Some exclusions apply.**



# Fun at the Annual Resident & Family Picnic

