

# Bridgeway Pointe News

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*Bridgeway Pointe News* is published monthly for the residents and families of Bridgeway Pointe, a tight-knit assisted living community located in Hartwell, 165 West Galbraith Rd., Cincinnati, Ohio 45216. Telephone: 513-418-4370.  
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## Calendar

- June 7**     **Annual Picnic**  
4 p.m. | Daniel Drake Center Cafeteria
- June 9**     **Ron Newport Trio**  
3 p.m. | Club Room
- June 10**    **Price is Right**  
2 p.m. | Club Room
- June 15**    **Hand Bell Kickoff**  
3 p.m. | Club Room
- June 17**    **Smoothies & Newsies**  
10:30 a.m. | Cooking Kitchen
- Music & Fun**  
2 p.m. | Club Room
- June 21**    **Father's Day Brunch**  
10 a.m. – 1 p.m. | Dining Room
- June 24**    **Horse Races**  
2:30 p.m. | Club Room
- June 26**    **Computer 101**  
1:30 p.m. | Library
- June 29**    **Movie & Popcorn**  
2:30 p.m. | Club Room

## Resident Spotlight



George Hill

### Welcome to the 100 Club

On May 28, George Hill celebrated his 100<sup>th</sup> birthday with family, friends, and fellow residents. Balloons and a “Wall of 100” birthday cards decorated the dining area in his honor. Everyone joined in to sing Happy Birthday to You and a beautifully decorated birthday cake was shared by all.

George was born in Washington, Georgia as an only child. His mother was a domestic worker and his father worked in a warehouse (Foodstuffs) as a shipping clerk.

George married Ophelia, his wife of 50 years, whom he met at the local YMCA. They have two adopted daughters.

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## Resident Spotlight *(Continued)*

George is close to his cousin, Bennie, who visits often. According to Bennie, George's hobby was "working." George chauffeured for a doctor and his wife until he was drafted. He served in the Army during WWII, and advanced to sergeant during his tour of duty. After he was discharged, he worked at a warehouse with his father, and went back to chauffeuring. Eventually, he was hired by the United States Post Office where he worked for more than 40 years.

George says his secret to longevity is good genes. His mother lived into her 90's. He doesn't drink or smoke (never has), which he also attributes to helping him live a long life. After his wife passed away, George lived with Bennie until Bennie found Bridgeway Pointe. George has lived at Bridgeway since October 2007.

George now belongs to an exclusive group. It is estimated that only 17 out of every 100,000 people live to be a centenarian (the term given to a 100-year-old person). Bridgeway Pointe proudly congratulates George on this rare accomplishment. He now joins Marjorie Fitzgerald as a member of the "100 Club" at Bridgeway Pointe.



## Marge Congratulates George on Becoming an 100 Year Club Member



Marjorie Fitzgerald (left) is 101 and George Hill is 100. To many more healthy years to you both!

## Congratulations Mary Morin!



On Thursday, May 7, the Cincinnati Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association presented the annual "Memories in the Making" benefit held

in the ballroom at the Horseshoe Casino. The art programs of many area communities are totally funded (materials and instruction) by the Cincinnati Chapter. Each year a painting is donated for auction from the involved art classes.

Bridgeway Pointe has participated in the auction many times, and this year Mary Morin's painting represented Bridgeway Pointe. Mary is pictured above at right with her cousin, Christa Kiefer. Over 5 million people are affected by Alzheimer's disease on a national level, and it is estimated that over 50,000 live in the Cincinnati area. The Harbor Memory Care at Bridgeway Pointe is well known for its excellent award-winning dementia care.





Bettie Maupin	June 6
Evelyn DuVall	June 11
Ray Crumbly	June 20
Ann Sturm	June 29
Bob Dorr	June 30

## Derby Day at Bridgeway Pointe

To celebrate the Kentucky Derby, residents celebrated with a Bridgeway Pointe Derby. The ladies of Bridgeway wore their Derby Hats, sipped on mint tea punch, and cheered on their favorite horse to victory. The residents were thankful for such a wonderful gift from the Schulte Family. Please see article at right.



## We Remember Evelyn Schulte

We extend sincere thanks to the family of Evelyn Schulte for their generous donation to Bridgeway Pointe. The Schulte family purchased two activities that can be used with our residents. One is a Horse Race Game and the other is a set of hand bells to form a hand bell choir at Bridgeway Pointe. Kathy Carlberg, pictured center, is one of Evelyn Schulte's daughters. She presented the gifts to the residents.



**Bobbi &  
Julius Rossi**

## Beechwood Homes Outing

A special thanks to Beechwood Homes and the Shut-Inn Society for hosting this year's luncheon. Bridgeway Pointe was honored to be a part of the patriotic luncheon with musical entertainment, line dancing and more. Each resident socialized over a nice lunch and received a potted plant and goodie box to take home with them. It was a wonderful way to spend a spring afternoon.



## Mother's Day Tea

In celebration of all mothers, Bridgeway Pointe hosted a tea complete with music from entertainer Richard Scott. The residents had a chance to socialize with friends and family over tea while listening to music of the 1940's, 1950's, and 1960's. It was a wonderful way to spend the afternoon and a chance to honor all of the mothers!



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## Thank You Jennifer Jarvis

Jennifer Jarvis, Bridgeway Pointe's manicurist's last day is Monday, June 8<sup>th</sup>. Thank you very much Jennifer for your service! We loved having you here!

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## Audiology Clinic



Audiology services during the months of June, July, and August will be by appointment only. For appointments, please call Gloria Valencia at 558-8503.



Renda Ashley  
Calvin Goodrich

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## 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. Some exclusions apply.

