

# Village Voice

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MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

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## A Very Good Year!

We are so pleased to share a look back over this last year through these wonderful memories! And we also want to take this time to wish you and your family a wonderful holiday season!

**February:** Handmade Valentine's cards from local students!



Happy Holidays

**April:** We celebrated all of our EHL pets for National Pet Day!



**May:** We welcomed Carma Douglas, NP to EHL!



**April:** We also celebrated National Superhero Day!





**May:** Mother's Day was celebrated with the delivery of flowers and cards!



**July:** We dressed up for 4th of July in red, white, and blue!



**June:** Father's Day was celebrated with cards and cupcakes!



**July:** We also got out to the park for a ukulele sing-a-long!





**August:** We welcomed back Holly Brown as a Registered Nurse. We also had a luau party!



**Welcome BACK!**



**October:** We had fun for Halloween!

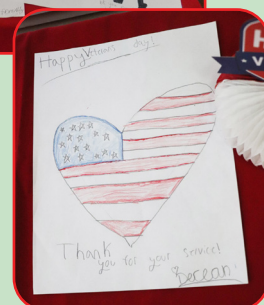


**November:** We had a fun photo shoot celebrating the arrival of fall and we welcomed Elvis back in the building!





**November:** We got to honor some of our Veterans.  
The best part was the handmade cards from  
Thurston Elementary School students!



# WELCOME to our Village!!



**Shirley Williams**

Shirley is very outgoing and has made friends everywhere she has gone. She has loved traveling, seeing new places, and learning new maps or languages. She lived in Europe and likes to look at photos of the places she has been.



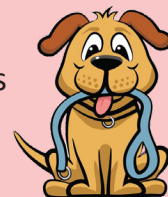
Connie loves jokes, animals, and animated conversations. She enjoys most kinds of movies. She also enjoys R&B and Rock & Roll music - her favorites include the Doobie Brothers and Stevie Ray Vaughn.

**Connie Rensema**



**Robert "Bob" Gardner**

Bob is a very quiet man. However, when he does speak up he is sweet and funny. He is also very caring. Before coming to EHL, he loved to hunt and also going for long walks with his dog.



**Mallory Jarboe**

Mallory was an active member of gardening and book clubs as well as a quilting guild. She loves car rides and travel - she has been to 89 countries! She loves reading: One of her favorite reads is The Adventure of Marco Polo by Gary Jennings.





# ElderHealth & Living's Support Group

A small group of caring people, sharing a similar journey.



## Support Group Schedule:

1<sup>st</sup> Monday of every month  
5:00 - 6:00 pm

Jan. 2nd

3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of every month  
12:30 - 1:30 pm

Dec. 20th &  
Jan. 17th

## Location:

The Club at ElderHealth & Living  
382-B S. 58th Street  
Springfield, OR 97478

Please feel free to call the main office at  
**541-747-4858** if you have any questions  
about our support groups.

# Living with Memory Loss

Our Living With Memory Loss educational series is in person now! Each session features a local professional offering information about memory loss and the community support services available.



To register, please call Willow Cordain at 541-852-3311

or visit our website at:

[www.elderhealthandliving.com/living-with-memory-loss](http://www.elderhealthandliving.com/living-with-memory-loss)



## Dates & Times:

January 10th - March 14th, 2023  
Tuesdays from 10 am to 12:00 pm

## Participant Experiences:

*"Do it! Attend every session. Ask questions. Share the information with other loved ones. It is comforting and empowering with a situation that often feels hopeless and tragic. The presenters and team are professional, kind, patient, super knowledgeable and good humored. I owe them all a debt of gratitude."*  
-Attendee from November 2022



*"If you or a loved one is experiencing Memory Loss, then you will be very well served by this program. The speakers are both knowledgeable and engaging and you will finish the series with a much better understanding of symptoms and progression of the disease(s) and a much deeper understanding of local support and care options. Participating in this series is also a great way to remind yourself that you are not alone in facing this life challenge!"* -Attendee from November 2022

Increasing Our Understanding

## ELDERHEALTH & LIVING MEMORY VILLAGE



## Living with Memory Loss Series

This 10-week educational seminar offers a unique opportunity for persons with a memory loss disease AND their care partners to gain valuable education and support. Each session features a local professional offering information about memory loss and the community support services available. There will be opportunities for questions and support for participants.

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### SPONSORS:

Willow Care Consulting LLC  
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### LOCATION:

Good Samaritan Society, Eugene Village  
3500 Hillyard St., Eugene, OR 97405 (in the chapel)

Visit our website, [www.elderhealthandliving.com/living-with-memory-loss](http://www.elderhealthandliving.com/living-with-memory-loss) or call Willow Cordain @ 541.852.3311, to register.

Fee: \$100 per family, Scholarships Available

Offered in partnership with  
Lane Community College.





## In Remembrance



**Vince Mirkovich**

Vince served two years in the Serbian military. He was outgoing and enjoyed group activities. We will miss his sense of humor, his warm smile, and his contagious laugh.



**Betty Nestle**

Betty was the perfect combination of stubborn and sweet. Through all of her stubbornness, she never missed a chance to smile and say, "I love YOU." Her sassiness, heart of gold, and love for CANDY will sure be missed.

## December Spirit Dress Up Days

**Monday, Dec. 19th**

**Holiday Characters**



**Tuesday, Dec. 20th**

**Holiday Accessories**



**Wednesday, Dec. 21st**

**Favorite Flannel**



**Thursday, Dec. 22nd**

**Ugly Sweaters**



**Friday, Dec. 23rd**

**Red & Green Day!**



**Show your EHL spirit!**  
**Let's have some FUN!**

**Photos from last year's Spirit Dress Up Days!**



### Marianne's Memo:

What better time of the year is there to spread joy and cheer! Take a moment to share a smile, a hug, or reach out to someone you love to let them know you are thinking of them. Well...we really should do that ALL YEAR LONG!

**A HUG IS A PERFECT GIFT,**  
one size fits all.



*Happy Holidays*

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