Friday, August 16th
1:30pm in the Party Room

**Stage Troupers** is a group of actors ranging from elementary through high school age boys and girls who perform a one act musical throughout the Tri-County area. During the summer Troupers perform a 30 minute musical at local fairs, civic gatherings, senior living facilities, and day camps. The Troupers receive more invitations than they can accept each summer. Cornell Estates is pleased they are available to come perform for us once again!

Lecture on the Portland Japanese Garden
Friday, August 30th
1:30pm in the Party Room

Sherry Johnston, docent from the Oregon Historical Society, is back to give us an updated lecture on the Portland Japanese Garden. She will give you a visual tour of the garden from the comfort of your chair, with her captivating photos and explain the history on how this magnificent garden came to be. Maybe in the Fall we could take a trip there!
CORNELL ESTATES WELCOMES

Irene Mathern
Anne St. Clair

August Birthdays!

Jim Colegrove 8/1
Paula Peterson 8/2
Garabed Yeghiaian 8/13
Bob Brooks 8/30

Birthday Party with
the Senior Serenaders
August 14th at
1:30pm
in the Party Room

Thank You

We could not have done it without you!

Community Gardening: Arden Sheets, Anne Matthes, Donna Detrick and Elaine Logan

Newsletter Folding: Everyone who helped 😊

Assisting with Church: Bob Brooks

Assisting with Exercise Class: Eva Beeman

Library Organizer & Daily Event Boards: Anne Matthes

Birthday Bell Ringers: Nancy Finster and Sue Colly
Resident Spotlight

JUNE RANF

This month we celebrate resident June Ranf. She has lived at Cornell Estates since April of 2006! June was born in Levelland, Texas and moved to a small town in California when she was nine. After finishing school she moved to Sacramento where she was fortunate to stay home raising her six children, and had an enjoyable ten years as a real estate agent. She later moved to Oregon to live closer to her children. When June first visited Cornell Estates she instantly felt a warm and friendly feeling from everyone she came in contact with. She had found her new home! She had also found her calling as the new welcoming committee. She thoroughly enjoyed doing this and continued up until just a couple of years ago. She agrees that the upcoming Community Support Group will be a great way to welcome new residents.

June moved over to the Assisted side about two years ago and says she still feels at home. She fought hard to get her scooter, and it has given her a new lease on life. She compliments the care staff on the compassionate and supportive help they give her. You can instantly sense June’s welcoming presence when you step through her doorway and her beautiful smile lights up the room.

Employee of the Month

JEAN MOSIER

Jean has been a caregiver on the assisted side for about three months. She has made a positive impression on the residents who say she is a hard worker that always has a smile on her face.
CONTINUING EDUCATION

Hillsboro Public Library:
Trivia Challenge
Wednesday, August 7th
1:30 pm in the Party Room

Join the Hillsboro Public Library for a fun filled hour of trivia. Library representative Philip Delgado will be hosting.

Residents form teams to help answer trivia questions. You will also get the chance to learn more about the library and what they do throughout the community.

Anyone Can Draw!
Wednesdays at 2:30
In the Art Center
(except the last Wednesday)

Anyone Can Paint!
Every Thursday at 3:00pm
In the Art Center

American Sign Language Class
Every Thursday at 10:00 am
in the Cascade Room
Learn the basics of American Sign Language in a fun and easy way!
The class is led by Jason Hanson.

Cornell College
Mondays at 10:00 am
In the Cascade Room
Cornell College is a video lecture series. Participants watch a lecture and then discuss. The current topic is Inventions that Changed the World.

Community Support Group

This is a new group we are forming with our Cornell Estates community to welcome newcomers. Come meet your neighbors and ask any questions you may have. There are residents that have lived here for more than fifteen years and are filled with valuable information about living in this lovely community.

You all share a lot of the same feelings and experiences, like having to give up your home and possibly your car. You may even share the grief you have over losing a spouse.

We encourage all residents to attend. Cindy will be there along with either Karen or Missy. They are there to answer any questions you may have regarding your new home, bus outings, activities etc.

Our first get together will be Friday, August 2nd at 2pm in the Party Room

See you there!

“Alone we can do so little; together we can do so much”
Helen Keller
Entertainment

Shute Park Evening Concert
Thursday, August 8th
Bus leaves at 5:45pm

**Pa’lante** is Portland's premier salsa and Latin jazz band! They are a nine-piece ensemble of professional, highly talented musicians who love this music and that love comes through with their big sound! It is an uplifting, joyful experience to listen and dance to Pa’lante.

August Birthday Party
with the Senior Serenaders
Wednesday, August 14th
1:30pm in the Party Room

Celebrate all the Birthdays happening this month with a party. We will have a wonderful performance by the Senior Serenaders and some sweet treats for everyone to enjoy!

Ann & Hunter the therapy dog
Monday, August 26th
3:00pm in the East Living Room

Hunter and his owner Ann are back for a visit. Hunter is always happy to entertain you with his tricks.

Fridays at 3:00pm in the Party Room

Join us for an hour of entertainment, along with snacks and an assortment of beverages. It’s a great opportunity to visit with old friends and also the chance to meet some new ones.

August 9th with pianist
Donn Rochlin
&
August 23rd with Hans on the accordion

Music Sing-along with Jan Whittaker
Thursday, August 8th & 22nd
3:00pm in the Party Room

Want to sing-along to some old favorites? Jan plays the piano and encourages you to sing with her. We have all the music lyrics printed out, so all you need to bring is your lovely voice.
Outings

Picnic at Orenco Woods Park
Thursday, August 1st
Bus leaves at 11:00 am
Come walk the spectacular new bridge on Rock Creek Trail where you can watch great blue herons in the wetlands below. This park is also home to the incredible 18 foot tall willow and red twig dogwood branch sculptures created by artist Patrick Dougherty. We will be bringing a picnic lunch to enjoy under a covered picnic shelter.

Trip to Seaside Beach
Thursday, August 15th
Bus leaves at 9:00 am
We’re off to the coast to enjoy some sea air. Seaside beach is known for the surf breaks and a 1920’s promenade. You can enjoy the incredible view of the ocean from the promenade or walk along its one and a half mile stretch. Then we’re off to lunch at Mo’s Seafood and Chowder restaurant, where it boasts a gorgeous view of the ocean with either indoor or outdoor seating.

LUNCH TRIPS
Prime Time Restaurant
Thursday, August 22nd
Bus leaves at 11:30am
&
Shopping at Washington Square
& lunch at The Cheesecake Factory
Thursday, August 29th
Bus leaves at 9:30am

Evening Concert
AmberGlen Park
Thursday, August 22nd
Bus leaves at 5:30pm
This summer the Showtime Concert Series is extending the entertainment to AmberGlen Park in the Tanasbourne district of east Hillsboro. The final concert of the season will be featuring Cloverdayle, a band who satisfies country purist fans looking for raw and real emotion.
Express Yourself

A place for Cornell Estates residents to express themselves and share their written work or work they have enjoyed. This month we are sharing a poem from Cornell Estates resident, Evelyn Steele.

A Place for Me

God set me in a place…
A place to retire
And, I do love it here.
And, I DO retire here.

Retire with a book, I do.
Time now to read.
Or, sit in the flower garden.
Just relax and… muse.

Small little apartment.
Feathered with memories.
The painting of the ocean,
The one from my daughter.

That little basket.
It holds the photos.
Pictures of my dear husband.
He’s waiting, he is, for me.

The tambourine I used to play.
Dance to the music, I did.
Celebrating the One I found.
My savior, he is.

The picture Eli drew of me.
My ten year old grandson then,
Now turning into his manhood.
Life turning a corner for him.

The very old pin cushion doll
Gracing my bureau chest now.
Mama had it on her bureau…
Prettiest doll I ever saw, it was.

That old cedar chest.
Sitting next to my bed.
Used to hold dear treasures then.
My Mama stored them there.

Over there, over my couch.
There hangs the old family mirror.
It used to hang over our fireplace.
Roasted hot dogs right there, we did.

My Siamese cat on the couch…
The cat I couldn’t “afford”.
Called her “Pearl of great price”.
Shot my budget she did, she did…!

My little black and white Sheltie dog…
She goes where I go.
Reminds me of Brian… My old black Collie.
I got Brian when Daddy died.

The quilt on my bed.
Made by my daughter, Deb.
I snuggle in it every night.
Love it so… yes I do.

That huge blue planter.
The one on my patio now.
My Russ and my Laura…
Well, they placed it there… somehow…

And so it goes.
I’m in my rocker.
Perusing my nest.
All feathered out in good memories.
Magic Moments @ Cornell