

The Messenger

Home • Friendship • Health • Heritage

4 Legged Friends

Animals of all sizes and shapes were warmly welcomed by over 80 residents at a “Scales and Tales” traveling zoo program. During the program, the animal handlers walked throughout the room giving the residents the opportunity to interact with each animal.

A wide assortment of animals were included in the program. Some of the residents’ favorite animals included newborn baby chickens, bunny rabbits, and a chin-chilla.



Resident Rose Hughes stated that she has a special place in her heart for animals. While holding a soft rabbit (pictured above) she stated, “I love him!”

Many of the residents displayed remarkable bravery when they volunteered to hold a snake! Resident Edna Cale (pictured left) was all smiles as she wrapped a small snake around her neck. When asked why she was not afraid, Edna replied that she was raised on a farm and as a child she would often play with small snakes.

This special event was funded through the generous support of the Talarico Family in memory of their father, former resident Joseph Talarico. We would like to thank them for making this memorable program possible.



Village Announcements

Chicago Ballrooms and Orchestras of the 1940's

Let's take a look back at the classic ballrooms of Chicago including the Aragon, Trianon, Edgewater Beach Hotel and Empire Room! Refreshments and tours will be offered as well.



Thursday,
September 24th
10:00 a.m.

Please RSVP for this event to 708-583-8500

MOVIE TIME FUN!

You are welcome to join us for this complimentary movie:

Friday, October 9th:
“The Notebook”

The movie will be shown in the Multi-Purpose Room at 1:30 p.m.

Refreshments and snacks will be served!

Alzheimer's Association Memory Walk Sunday, September 13th



Please consider supporting Central Baptist Village's team which will be participating in the Alzheimer's Association's Memory Walk! We welcome donations of all amounts and your gift may be made in honor or in memory of a loved one.

Help us reach our goal of \$1,500!

Donations for the Memory Walk may be made at the front desk. For more information, please contact Jessi at 708-583-8509.

Flowers, Fun, and Friendship

Over 40 attendees recently participated in a flower arranging class at Central Baptist Village. The class was taught by Joanne, owner of Joanne's Flower Fantasy in Norridge. This complimentary event was open to our Independent Living residents as well as community members.

As Joanne demonstrated cutting, placement, and arrangement techniques, the participants were able to follow along and put together their own arrangement to keep.

During the class Joanne answered questions from the attendees and offered tips for keeping flowers fresh.

We would like to thank Joanne for sharing her expertise with us. Additionally, Joanne generously donated all of the supplies for this program.

The attendees greatly enjoyed the program stating, “It was fun, we would love to have Joanne come back to teach us again!”



Resident Mary Biagioni proudly displays her flower arrangement at the conclusion of the class.



A Community Designed Around YOU