

COVENTRY PLACE

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Coventry Place Staff Directory

- Jo Ann Smith Executive Director
- Barbara Olver Marketing and Activities
- Anita Day Office Manager
- Wilda Johnson Resident Care Director
- Tony Ezzard Chef/Dining Service Dir.
- Anthony Leverett Maintenance Director



OFFICE HOURS

- Monday–Friday 8:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.
- Weekends 9:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.

COVENTRY PLACE PHONE NUMBERS

- Office - (404) 296-0962
- Emergency - (404) 825-9943
- E-mail - marketing@coventryplace-ga.com
- Fire, Police, Ambulance - 911
- Coventry Beauty Shop - (404) 294-9695
- Sierra Therapy - (404) 501-9122

FROM THE DIRECTOR

Our staff is dedicated to making you feel at home in your new home at Coventry Place. Our job is to make sure that your life in our community is comfortable, safe and enjoyable. We want you to be happy here and to feel you've found a place to stay, that you're part of the family. Thank you for being here.



WHO IS THIS? HINT - SHE'LL BE 101 ON JULY 29.

YOU ARE INVITED
 TO A BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION
 IN HONOR OF MALA MOTT
 ON JULY 29, AT 5:30 IN THE AFTERNOON

WELCOME

NEW RESIDENTS

I know you'll all want to welcome the new residents who will be moving in during July and some who moved in during June, after the newsletter was published.

Watch for the new faces and introduce yourselves. It can be challenging moving to a new home, so let's all be good neighbors.

102

Eryka Reynolds

428

Margie Adcock

514

Betty McBride

\$200

COULD YOU USE AN EXTRA \$200? Talk to your friends at church, at meetings, wherever you get together. If they move into Coventry Place, not only will you have a new neighbor, you'll get \$200 after they've been here for 45 days.

TALK IT UP! LET'S FILL IT UP!

\$200 could be yours.



AS THE FLAG FLIES OVER 2806 ON JULY 4, WE'LL CELEBRATE.

MENU

BBQ Chicken and Fried Catfish

Baked Beans

Potato Salad

Salad and Fruit Bar

Rolls

Pecan Pie

ENTERTAINMENT

After our July 4th lunch celebration, we'll have entertainment in the dining room with keyboard music by Denise.

After the entertainment, at 2:30 p.m., we'll have watermelon on the patio.

Invite your friends and family.

Mala Mott

Mala I. Mott was born on July 29, 1907, in Arcadia, Florida. She was the youngest of three sisters and one brother.

Mala graduated in 1925 from Hines City, Florida, High School at the age of 18. She met and married her husband, Richard C. Mott, in 1929, in Davenport, Florida.

Mala and Richard moved to Atlanta and lived in the Grant Park Area. They bought a home on SnapFinger Road and lived there for 33 years.

Richard and Mala were married for 48 years and had no children. Mala said, "I always have considered my sister Louise's children as my own. They are Rolle Hughes and Carol Ann Miller." Mala never worked outside the home but was happy as a homemaker.

Mala said, "In 1986, my sister Louise and I would drive by Coventry every other week or so watching the construction. One day, I decided I would move into Coventry. I have been very happy here and plan on living a few more years as long as I can stay active and in good health." Mala moved into Coventry Place in January of 1988. She still lives in independent living.

Let's all celebrate Mala's 101st birthday. It will be a wine and cheese party in the dining room (heavy hors d'oeuvres) with entertainment by the Blue Grass Band at seven o'clock.

WHO IS IT?



WE'VE MADE PROGRESS ON OUR PARKING LOT!



OUR NEW TRANSPORTATION

It was time for new transportation for our residents when we take them to their appointments. As I was discussing this with the managing partner, I said I really wanted something that was not as high as a van because it is hard for some of our residents to climb up versus just sitting down in a regular car. Well, one thing led to another in that discussion, and look what we ended up with for our new vehicle?

Thank you, Mike and Louise. We really love our new limo.



WE NEED HELP

We need help from the families and friends of our residents for the sixteen residents who still own and drive their cars but have difficulty walking long distances. We have assigned parking spaces to those who have handicap permits. Those residents met with me and worked out on their own which resident would have which parking space. When it says **H2**, that refers to a certain resident. **FAMILIES AND FRIENDS**, don't park in those spots. We will be re-lining in the lower level parking lot, also where you can use the back elevator.



WHO IS IT #1?



WHO IS IT #2?



WHO IS IT #3?



WHO IS IT #4?

MEAL HOURS


Breakfast
7:15-8:15 a.m.
Lunch
12-1:30 p.m.
Dinner
5-6 p.m.

BE SURE TO ...


1. Check the bulletin board DAILY for additional activities or cancellations.
2. Listen to announcements.
3. When you sign up for a trip to the doctor, put down the time as 30 minutes before your appointment to allow time to get there.
4. No plastic, magazines or phone books can be put in the newspaper recycle bins. Be sure not to put your newspaper back in the plastic bag.

CHURCH BUS SCHEDULE

Decatur Heights Baptist Church
Sunday, 9:20 and 10:15 a.m.
N. Decatur Methodist Church
Sunday, 10:35 a.m.
1st Baptist Church of Decatur
Sunday, 9 a.m.
1st Baptist, Avondale Estates
Sunday, 9:10 a.m.
St. Thomas More Catholic Church
Saturday Mass, 5 p.m.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
	 Happy 4th of July	1
6	7	8
3:00 Hymn Sing-along 3:30 Chapel Service	10:00 Sit and Be Fit 2:00 Residents' Council Meeting 3:45 Vegie Van	9:00 - 1:30 Doctor Shuttle 10:00 Sit and Be Fit 2:30 Bingo
13	14	15
3:00 Hymn Sing-along 3:30 Chapel Service	9:30 Wal-Mart Shopping 10:00 Sit and Be Fit 3:45 Vegie Van	9:00 - 1:30 Doctor Shuttle 10:00 Sit and Be Fit 2:30 Bingo
20	21	22
3:00 Hymn Sing-along 3:30 Chapel Service	10:00 Sit and Be Fit 2:00 John Noonan 2:30 Let's Play Scrabble 3:45 Vegie Van Happy Birthday Michael Daily	9:00 - 1:30 Doctor Shuttle 10:00 Sit and Be Fit 2:30 Bingo Happy Birthday Joe Higgins
27	28	29
3:00 Hymn Sing-along 3:30 Chapel Service	10:00 Sit and Be Fit 3:45 Vegie Van Happy Birthday Grace Dowis	9:00 - 1:30 Doctor Shuttle 10:00 Sit and Be Fit 2:30 Bingo 5:30 Wine and Cheese Party Honoring Mala Mott's 101st Birthday Happy Birthday Mala Mott 7:00 Blue Grass Band

Wednesday**Thursday****Friday****Saturday**

2	3	4	5
<p>9:30 Kroger Shuttle 10:00 Sit and Be Fit</p> <p>1:30 Kroger Shuttle 2:30 Let's Play Rummikub</p>	<p>9:00 - 1:30 Doctor Shuttle</p> <p>10:00 Sit and Be Fit</p> <p>2:30 Bingo</p>	<p>10:00 Sit and Be Fit Independence Day</p> <p>1:45 Keyboard Music with Denise in the dining room</p> <p>2:30 Watermelon on the Patio</p> <p>Happy Birthday Jean Hilbun</p>	<p>2:00 Movie Matinee</p> <p>"SPACE COWBOYS" starring Tommy Lee Jones</p>
9	10	11	12
<p>9:30 Kroger Shuttle</p> <p>10:00 Sit and Be Fit</p> <p>1:30 Kroger Shuttle</p>	<p>9:00 - 1:30 Doctor Shuttle</p> <p>10:00 Sit and Be Fit</p> <p>2:30 Ice Cream Social in the card room</p>	<p>10:00 Sit and Be Fit</p> <p>12:15 Birthday Luncheon</p> <p>2:30 Bingo</p> <p>Happy Birthday Mary Coker</p>	<p>2:00 Movie Matinee</p> <p>"SLEEPING WITH THE ENEMY" Starring Julia Roberts</p> <p>Happy Birthday George Patterson</p>
16	17	18	19
<p>9:30 Kroger Shuttle 10:00 Sit and Be Fit</p> <p>1:30 Kroger Shuttle 2:30 Tony's Tantalizing Tidbits</p> <p>Happy Birthday Katherine Wright</p>	<p>9:00 - 1:30 Doctor Shuttle 10:00 Sit and Be Fit</p> <p>3:00 Meet Your Neighbor and Orientation - in the card room</p>	<p>10:00 Sit and Be Fit</p> <p>2:30 Bingo</p>	<p>2:00 Movie Matinee</p> <p>"THE ENGLISH PATIENT" Starring Ralph Fiennes and Juliette Binoche</p>
23	24	25	26
<p>9:30 Kroger Shuttle 10:00 Sit and Be Fit</p> <p>1:30 Kroger Shuttle 2:30 Wilda's Wellness Workshop 3:00 Fire Drill</p>	<p>9:00 - 1:30 Doctor Shuttle</p> <p>10:00 Sit and Be Fit</p> <p>2:30 Let's Play Skip Bo</p>	<p>10:00 Sit and Be Fit 11:00 Dining Out at Mary Mac's</p> <p>2:30 Bingo</p> <p>Happy Birthday Anna Chiles</p>	<p>2:00 Movie Matinee</p> <p>"NOTTING HILL" Starring Julia Roberts and Hugh Grant</p>
30	31		
<p>9:30 Kroger Shuttle 10:00 Sit and Be Fit</p> <p>1:30 Kroger Shuttle 2:30 "Cool Jule" <u>Catch Me If You Can</u> Happy Birthday Bruce Stamey</p>	<p>9:00 - 1:30 Doctor Shuttle</p> <p>10:00 Sit and Be Fit</p> <p>2:00 Crafts with Anita</p>	<p>NATIONAL HOTDOG MONTH </p>	

SING-ALONG



THE LEADER

We really want to thank you for coming to Coventry Place so often and leading us in a Sing-Along. (Sorry the picture is from the back.) Our residents love music and look forward to your coming each month.



OUR RESIDENTS

As you can see, there's always a good turnout for the Sing-Along. Tell your neighbors how much you enjoyed it so they'll watch the calendar for the next opportunity to join.

As always, the refreshments served afterwards were delicious, thanks to Kay Potter.



JOHN BEAVERS

SHORT ROWS

It's been a long and sweaty grind.
We've left the longest rows behind.
Whoever thought someday we'd find
We've about worn out the plow.

Through rainy days and sleepless nights,

Through childhood games and pillow fights,

Through carefree parties and delicatous,

Survived all that - somehow.



The bulletin board is located in the hall across from the post office boxes.

OUR BULLETIN BOARD

It sure isn't very pretty but it serves an important purpose. You'll find the monthly calendar, a weekly calendar, a weekly menu, sign-up sheets for doctor shuttles on Tuesday and Thursday, for the Kroger runs both morning and afternoon on Wednesday, for special trips, for Barbara's Nails, and even enlarged pictures of our residents who are participating in the "Who Is It?"

Because pretty is important to me, it's on my list to get a really beautiful frame to put on a fabric-covered bulletin board. As you've probably noticed, my list is pretty long, but little by little I'm getting "A ROUND TUIT."

Now comes the time for retrospect,
A time to pause and - yes - reflect,
A time to gather and collect.
It's time to milk the cow.

Life is tender and it's tough,
The joy of living - sometimes rough.

It's almost time to say "enough!"
We're in the short rows now.

by John Beavers

A THOUGHT

When I was young, I admired clever people.

Now that I am old, I admire kind people.

Abraham Joshua Heischel,
Polish-born American theologian

AND

Kind words can be short and easy to speak, but their echoes are truly endless.

Mother Teresa

FATHER'S DAY



JOHN WILLIAMS AND HIS FAMILY



NICK SPIVEY AND FAMILY WITH HIS SISTER RACHEL AND GLADYS SWINDALL



CHANDLER LANGSTON AND GRANDSON



EARL POLK WITH HIS DAUGHTER



CONRAD FREEMAN AND HIS FAMILY



AND WE EVEN HAD ENTERTAINMENT



FLOWERS FOR THE TABLES



THE BACK DINING ROOM



THE BUFFET SERVICE



Marion Hodges had guests



Brenda Jones and her sister



July 2008

HAPPY BIRTHDAY



Ellen Wright, Jane Elliott, Earl Polk, Flora Chen, Randy Morgan and Ginny McCamey

A birthday party was held on June 13 for those residents having a birthday in June. The honorees in attendance were Ellen Wright, Jane Elliott, Earl Polk, Flora Chen, Randy Morgan and Ginny McCamey. Not able to attend were Theda Laffitte and Mildred Long. Each of our honorees had guests and family to celebrate with them.

Birthdays are important to us at Coventry Place and we strive to make each one memorable by providing a special menu and birthday cake. This is the one time we don't charge for up to four guests per resident to come and join us at a meal. We want to honor the friends and families of our residents.

Just remember to check the calendar each month.



I REALLY HOPE YOU LIKE OUR NEW ARTWORK.
This piece in the dining room was made possible by Pat McDaniels of JFM Enterprises in Norcross. Thanks, Pat.