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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.m5:00	p.m.
Weekends	9:00	a.m5:00	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.

September 2008



HAPPY BIRTHDAY to MALA MOTT

Mala's 101st birthday was celebrated with lots of family, lots of friends and even the managing partners, Mike Cress and Louise, making a special trip from Charleston.

Chef Tony and the kitchen crew presented a beautiful and delicious buffet, while the office staff, along with some caregivers and housekeepers, all assisted with the serving.

The birthday cake may not have had 101 candles on it, but it was beautiful and delicious.

On pages six and seven you'll see pictures of Mala's family, her friends and all of those residents who turned out to celebrate with her.

WELCOME

NEW RESIDENTS

I know you'll all want to welcome the new residents who will be moving in during September and some who moved in during August, 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.

130
Ray Johnson
132
Marty Smith
204 Ann and Dick
Gottlieb
330 George Kramp
507
Ruth Johnson

\$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.



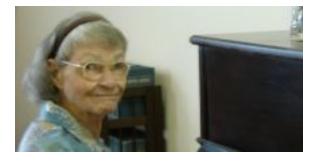
TAKE LOVE

Today I went walking When sky had lost its blue Its gray suited my mood My thoughts clinging to you.

The years have come and gone I can still hear your voice Its sound well remembered Ever to be my choice.

You have gone to heaven
While I still tread the earth
Love still keeping me strong
How wonderful its worth.

Soon we'll be together
Never to part again
Then no more sad goodbyes
My love and dearest friend.
A Poem from Mildred Holton









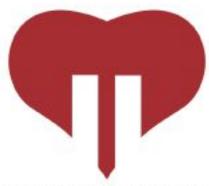


RED WATERMELON

We all enjoyed our **red** watermelon Thursday, Aug. 14, thanks to Barbara. Actually I think pretty much everyone thought the yellow was good, too!



UNITED WE STAND



Honoring those whose lives were touched by the events of September 11, 2001.

From Sea to Shining Sea

To commemorate Patriot Day, Sept. 11, memorial services and candlelight vigils take place across the country in remembrance of the innocent victims of the terrorist attacks on the World Trade Towers. U.S. flags fly at half-staff, and the country shares a moment of silence beginning at 8:46 a.m. (EDT).

Although the country mourns this loss, the spirit of the Twin Towers lives on. Steel from the towers has risen from the ashes and is now plunging through ocean waves as a U.S. Naval warship, defending American freedom. The Navy found the twisted steel to still be of significant strength, so parts of the Towers' remains were used in the new ship's bow stem.

Though state names are typically reserved for naval submarines, New York Governor George E. Pataki asked that this special surface warship bear the name "New York" in honor of the victims, heroes and

courageous New Yorkers who immortalized that day. His request was granted. This ship will be the fifth ship of the U.S. Navy to have the name New York. Ironically, the keel of a previous USS New York (BB-34) was laid on Sept. 11, 1911, exactly 90 years before the World Trade Center attack.

Governor Pataki eloquently stated, "In September 2001, our nation's enemies brought their fight to New York. The USS New York will now bring the fight to our nation's enemies well into the future."



ASYLUM

O Coventry Place, how blest I am To reside within

To reside within these walls.

Thy ever-loving helpful staff

Stands ready for my calls.

All needs, from alimentary to zest,

Are met with prompt attention.

(As are forms of entertainment

Too numerous to mention.)

The trips to doctors come to mind

And the supermarket junket.

Just don't pop me with a quiz

For surely I would flunk it.

So please continue to tolerate

And greet me with a smile;

And if you don't object too much,

I think I'll stay awhile.

by John Beavers



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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 <u>DAILY</u> 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
Sunday	MOHUAY 1	1 uesuay 2
	LABOR DAY 10:00 Sit and Be Fit 2:30 Special Entertainment by Marion McFarland	9:00 - 1:30 Doctor Shuttle 10:00 Sit and Be Fit 2:30 Bingo
NATIONAL GRANDPARENTS DAY 3:00 Hymn Sing-along 3:30 Chapel Service	10:00 Sit and Be Fit 2:30 Resident Council Meeting 3:45 Veggie Van	9:00 - 1:30 Doctor Shuttle 10:00 Sit and Be Fit 2:30 Bingo 3:30 Wine & Cheese by Hospice Provider 7:00 Decatur Sing-a-long
3:00 Hymn Sing-along 3:30 Chapel Service	15 10:00 Sit and Be Fit 1:30 Dr. John Noonan 3:45 Veggie Van HAPPY BIRTHDAY CHUCK CULPEPPER	9:00 - 1:30 Doctor Shuttle 10:00 Sit and Be Fit 2:30 Bingo 7:00 Bluegrass Band
3:00 Hymn Sing-along 3:30 Chapel Service	9:30 Shopping at Wal-Mart 10:00 Sit and Be Fit 2:00 Let's Play Rummikub 3:45 Veggie Van	9:00 - 1:30 Doctor Shuttle 10:00 Sit and Be Fit 2:30 Bingo 6:00 Attorney and Certified Senior Advisor, Jim Swain Will Do a Presentation on VA Benefits
3:00 Hymn Sing-along 3:30 Chapel Service HAPPY BIRTHDAY JOHN KITCHENS	10:00 Sit and Be Fit 3:45 Veggie Van	9:00 - 1:30 Doctor Shuttle 10:00 Sit and Be Fit 2:30 Bingo

Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
9:30 Kroger Shuttle 10:00 Sit and Be Fit 1:30 Kroger Shuttle		9:30 Shopping at Farmers' Market 10:00 Sit and Be Fit	2:00 Movie Matinee "I Am Sam" starring Sean Penn
7:00 Entertainment by the Ukulele Group	2:30 Let's Play Rummikub	2:30 Bingo	HAPPY BIRTHDAY BRENDA JONES
HAPPY BIRTHDAY BETTY HARRIS	HAPPY BIRTHDAY CHARLES METZ	HAPPY BIRTHDAY MILDRED BALDWIN	ED TURNER PATSY EDWARDS
9:30 Kroger Shuttle 10:00 Sit and Be Fit 1:30 Kroger Shuttle 2:30 Tony's Tantalizing Tidbits	9:00 - 1:30 Doctor Shuttle 10:00 Sit and Be Fit 2:30 Ice Cream Social	10:00 Sit and Be Fit 11:00 Reading and Signing of Novel by Alice Blins 12:15 Birthday Luncheon 2:30 Bingo	2:00 Movie Matinee "Big Fish" starring Jessica Lange
2:30 Tony's Tantalizing Hobits		HAPPY BIRTHDAY BETTY McBRIDE	HAPPY BIRTHDAY NICK SPIVEY
9:30 Kroger Shuttle 10:00 Sit and Be Fit 1:30 Kroger Shuttle 2:30 Wilda's Wellness Workshop	9:00 - 1:30 Doctor Shuttle 10:00 Sit and Be Fit 2:30 Let's Play Skip-Bo	10:00 Sit and Be Fit 10:30 Dining out at the Blue Willow Inn 2:30 Bingo	2:00 Movie Matinee "The Kid" starring Bruce Willis HAPPY BIRTHDAY ROSA BROWN
9:30 Kroger Shuttle 10:00 Sit and Be Fit 1:30 Kroger Shuttle	9:00 - 1:30 Doctor Shuttle 10:00 Sit and Be Fit 2:30 Arts & Crafts with Anita	10:00 Sit and Be Fit 11:00 - 1:00 at DeKalb Mall SENIOR VOTERS AWARENESS DAY Concert with a live band, prizes, food and more 2:30 Bingo	2:00 Movie Matinee "Guarding Tess" starring Shirley MacLaine and Nicholas Cage
		PATRIOT DAY	

Nuisance Calls

Michael Daily, one of our newer residents, suggests that any resident who wishes to block incoming "nuisance" calls please call (888) 382-1222. It's easy, just give them your phone number.

THINGS TO DO TODAY ...

Pay someone back For a favor owed. Run through a field

That's just been mowed.

Pick up a mess That's not your own.

Call someone lonely

On the phone. Give someone a

hug

You haven't hugged in a while. And remember God loves you, Remember. And Smile. Contributed by Lucy Mills

"From death springs life, and from the graves of great patriots springs a great nation."—Patrick Henry Pearse



Mala with Mike and Louise





Mala with Frank Geiger





The serving line



Charles Davis and Mike Cress

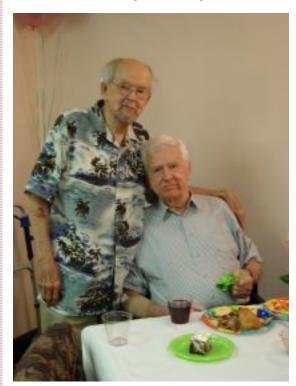




You can see how much the residents enjoyed themselves.



Anna Chiles and granddaughter Lindsey



Nick Spivey and Charles Davis



Live and Learn

While it's back to school for students this month. promoters of Self-University Week hope everyone continues lifelong education. If you are a person who has traditionally viewed education as something you can "finish," take time from Sept. 1 to 7 to brainstorm ways to continue your learning.

Hit the books.
Check out the
bestseller list or catch
up on some classics.
List books you'd like
to read, and then visit
the library or a
bookstore.

Be a tourist. Explore your hometown. Plan a weekend to visit local museums, zoos, historical sites or other attractions.

Study up.
Museums, libraries
and art centers often
host literary and art
classes for students of
all ages.

Hog the remote.
Television isn't all
bad. Watch an hour of
educational TV.

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Honored at our August birthday party were: Horacetine Vann, Lee Yelton, Adrienne Pardieck, Bea Gilliam, Charlie Phillips, Doris Angier, and seated, Marguerite Wolfe. Not pictured are Arthur Reid and Olin Sibert.



Going to Costley Mills Park for "A Day to Remember" were Hazel Morris, Jonathan Young, Frances Gray, Kay Potter, Edith Petty, Barbara Olver; 2nd row: Peggy Hardegree, Jane Elliott, Nick Spivey, Brenda Jones; 3rd row: Beverly Bowman, Charles Davis and Rosa Chastain.

