



FRIENDS PLACE CAREGIVER'S NEWSPAGE

APRIL 2017

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APRIL EVENTS

M	3	1:45 pm	Aussie Crooner Brad Ackland
Th	6	11:45 am	Heart of Texas Therapy Dogs
T	11	1:45 pm	Norris Perry performs your favorites
W	12	2:00 pm	"Experience the Drum "
Th	13	11:00 am	Midweek Devotionals
F	14	11:45 am	Heart of Texas Therapy Dogs
TH	20	11:45 am	Heart of Texas Therapy Dogs
Th	27	11:00 am	Midweek Devotionals
Th	27	1:45 pm	Birthday Party with Toney Walsh
F	28	11:45 am	Heart of Texas Therapy Dogs

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

for

ALZHEIMER'S/DEMENTIA CAREGIVERS

Speaker and discussion each 4th Thursday of the month

This month, we welcome

Cheron Taylor, BSW

Community Liaison with

Faith Presbyterian Hospice

An Overview and Answers

About How Hospice Can Help You

Thursday, April 23 2:00-3:30 pm

Caregiver's Resource Room

Meetings are open to the public

Care & activities provided free of charge for attendees

Please call for reservations

Community Corner

Texas Winds Musical Outreach Benefit Pancake Supper

Gratitudes and appreciation to those who volunteered their time and talents, and to those who attended. You just can't beat an evening of sharing delicious food, fine friends, and delightful music.

Texas Winds provides music to those who would otherwise be unable to experience it. We are so very proud to support this fine organization by hosting this event.

Back by popular demand!

Caregiver Notebook Workshop

Tuesday, May 9

12:30-3:30 pm

Lunch & Supplies provided

Suggested donation to cover expenses:

**\$20/Friends Place members, \$25/
others**

Space is limited, so sign up soon!

**For more information, contact Jane
972-437-2940**

*Save the date! Families are invited
to attend this special event!*

Mother's Day Luncheon & Tea

Friday, May 12th

12:00-1:30 pm

*Finger sandwiches, salads, assorted
breads, fruit, teas & cookies*

Accompaniment by Harpist

Carla Siegesmund & Fashion Show

Curated by Heritage Farmstead

Reservations required.

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Caregiver's Support Groups Offered

- Meetings are open to the public
- Loved ones can attend activities free of charge during the meetings
- Please call 972-437-2940
- Please let anyone know who might benefit from these programs

**Alzheimer Association's
Caregiver Support Group Meetings**
2nd Thursday of each month
Thursday, April 13th 2:00-3:30 pm

**Lewy Body Dementia
Caregiver Support Group**
1st Wednesday of each month
Wednesday, April 5th 5:00-7:00 pm
Light supper provided

Men-Only Support Group
1st and 3rd Thursday of each month
April 6th & 20th 2:00-3:30 pm
This specialized group addresses unique concerns of men in the caregiver role.
Please call George Davis for more information.
972-900-9774

**Frontotemporal Dementia (FTD)
Caregivers Support Group**
4th Tuesday of each month
Tuesday, April 25th 4:00-5:30 pm

Wives-Only Support Group
1st and 3rd Tuesdays of the month
April 4th & 18th 2:00-3:30 pm
Addressing the distinct challenges and issues caregiver wives face as relationships evolve.

Welcome to New Friends Place Members:

Larry Browndyke	Scott Long
Bob Cason	Chad Cooper
Ted Dornseifer	Jane Campbell



Happy Birthdays to:

Bill Smith , April 6
Joan Peurifoy, April 14
Dick Polakoff , April 14
Staff member Mary Dennison, April 15
Jane Campbell, April 18
Kathryn Herring, April 20
Mary Lou Williams , April 21
Frances King , April 25
Phil Puckett, April 29

APRIL STAYCATION TO THE NETHERLANDS

Join us for a delightful "visit" to the land of lovely, historical windmills, where the breathtaking tulips draw visitors from around the world, and the arts include the likes of Van Gogh and Vermeer.

Our Staycation week this month travels to the gorgeous country of Holland. Such history! And such beauty! This promises to be an enjoyable look at the perfect springtime destination.

If you are one of the lucky people who has visited the Netherlands, we invite you to bring in any items you might like to share-photographs, souvenirs, etc. for display in the living room cabinet during April. We look forward to hearing your stories, as well!