

# THE WOODLAND CONNEXION

RESIDENTS' NEWSLETTER

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*Merry Christmas!*

## Grand Illumination

The Woodland's first annual Grand Illumination will be held on Thursday, December 8th, 2016, starting at 5:30pm at Brookview Lodge.



## GO TEAM WOODLAND!

In October, Team Woodland held several fundraisers for the Walk to End Alzheimer's. They were able to raise \$2000! Thank you to all those visitors, staff, and residents for their participation to help raise money. We also had 7 team members walk at Longwood on October 20th. Congratulations for achieving the status of Grand Champions.



## New Year's Eve Auction

Back by popular demand we will be hosting our New Year's Eve Auction at the Community Center. For those that have never had a chance to participate, it is one of the most enjoyable things that residents seek to attend. Watch your Activities Calendar for more details...



## Goodbye 2016 And Hello 2017

The Woodland added many events to the 2016 Activity Calendars, but for 2017 there seems to be a buzz in the air concerning all the new clubs and trips. Don't be bored this winter; check with The Wellness team and see what's going on...



## Trivia Whiz

### The Coldest Place on Earth

Antarctica, home of the South Pole, is the coldest, windiest and driest continent on Earth. The highest temperature ever recorded in Antarctica was 58 degrees Fahrenheit; the coldest was 129 below zero.

Norwegian Roald Amundsen was the first person to reach the South Pole, arriving on Dec. 14, 1911.

Antarctica has no government. It is run under the terms of the Antarctic Treaty, which declares that the continent be used only for peaceful scientific research. Dozens of nations have signed the treaty since it was first written in 1959.

There are 1,000 to 4,000 researchers in the polar region at any one time.

About half a dozen penguin species live on the continent.

### Events Planned for December for the Courts Residents

High Bridge Van Tour, Longwood University Holiday Dinner Concert, Farmville Christmas Parade, Grand Illumination of The Woodland, Farmville Holiday Home Tour, The Commonwealth Chorale presents "Elijah," Virginia Historical Society and lunch, Farmville Model Train Museum Blackstone Tour and lunch, Christmas Mother Tour of Farmville Wasabi Japanese New Year's Traditional Lunch for more info contact Haley or Mary-Kate



### Confederate Museum in Appomattox

The Courts enjoyed a day strolling around in the Confederate Museum located in Appomattox, VA, then enjoyed lunch at the wonderful Babcock House Bed and Breakfast.

### Lexington Carriage Company

The Courts Residents enjoyed a carriage ride along with lunch at Sheridans Livery & Inn in Lexington, VA.



### Veterans Day Ceremony



### The Woodland Amenities

Don't forget, The Woodland has a lot to offer!

Start off 2017 right by joining our Wellness program which includes Aquatics and land classes. Ask for Taylor for more information.

The Community Center is also open for community use. For rental information, please ask for Mary Kate or Karen Kitchen.







## Halloween 2016 Memories



## Wit & Wisdom



### Warm With a Word

“One kind word can warm three winter months.” —Japanese Proverb





