

# THE WOODLAND CONNEXION

RESIDENTS' NEWSLETTER

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## Fragrant Forecast

Loved by many people, there's actually a name for the unmistakable scent of rain: petrichor. When certain plants and soil-dwelling bacteria get wet, they release oils and chemicals that create the earthy odor.

## Happy Easter!

May you have the happiest of celebrations on this special day!



## The Birth of Baby Carrots

Did you know that baby carrots were created to give ugly carrots a chance at being sold? In 1986, a California carrot farmer sprouted the idea to cut and peel imperfect, unwanted full-grown carrots into identical 2-inch pieces, and they were an instant hit at grocery stores. Packaged baby carrots now make up nearly 70 percent of carrot sales.



## The Woodland Café

11am till 7pm, 7 days

## Java Station

8am till 4pm, 7 days

## Gift Shop

Wed & Fri 10am till 3pm

Thur 11am till 6pm

Located at Brookview Assisted  
Living

Open to the public



## Trivia Whiz

### Busy Beavers

Known for their unique ability to adapt their environment to suit them, beavers are fascinating animals.

With powerful jaws and strong teeth, beavers fell trees and use them to build log and mud structures that block streams. These dams turn fields and forests into ponds.

Beaver dams are an important part of the ecosystem, helping slow floodwaters and control erosion.

These semi-aquatic rodents move easily through the water thanks to their stiff, flat tails and webbed feet. Their thick fur is waterproof, and they can hold their breath underwater for up to 15 minutes.

Beavers have orange teeth that never stop growing. They eat bark, roots and leaves from trees, as well as aquatic plants.

### Edgar Allen Poe Museum

The Courts residents visited the Edgar Allen Poe Museum in Richmond, VA. Then stopped by Baskin Robbins and enjoyed a frozen treat!



### Shagging at the Woodland

“The Carolina Shag” term was originally believed to originate from the area of the strand between Myrtle Beach, SC and Wilmington, NC in the 1940s. It is also considered a descendant of the Carolina Jitterbug and is primarily performed to beach music. The Shag is considered the state dance of South Carolina!





## Pictures From Events Over the Past Month



## Wit & Wisdom

“Baseball was, is and always will be to me the best game in the world.”  
—Babe Ruth

“There are only two seasons—winter and baseball.”  
—Bill Veeck

“Love is the most important thing in the world, but baseball is pretty good, too.”  
—Yogi Berra

“People ask me what I do in winter when there’s no baseball. I’ll tell you what I do. I stare out the window and wait for spring.”  
—Rogers Hornsby

“Now, there’s three things you can do in a baseball game. You can win, or you can lose, or it can rain.”  
—Casey Stengel

“Baseball, it is said, is only a game. True. And the Grand Canyon is only a hole in Arizona.”  
—George Will

# April 2017

Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

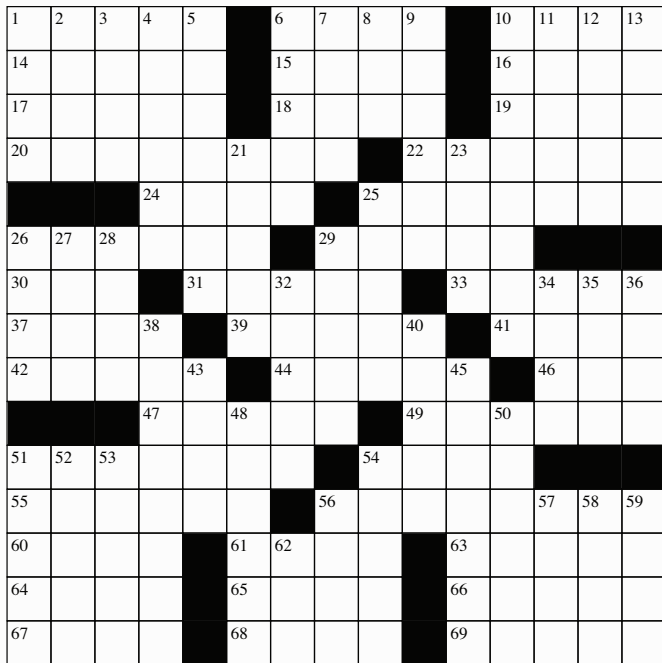
Friday

Saturday



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2 Catherine Stith William Phillips		3		4 Harold Neihouse Thomas Kennedy Zelma Carr		5		6		7 Virginia Hancock		8 Catherine Estes	
9		10 Evelyn Giannetti Hugh Allen Hontas Harrison		11 		12		13		14		15	
16 Robert Beck Robert Jenkins		17		18		19		20		21 		22 Doris Amos	
23/30 23-Waverly Copley 23-Clarence Williams		24		25		26 Edith Stith		27 Mabel Taylor		28		29	

## Crossword Puzzle



### ACROSS

- Caught some Z's
- "Shoot!"
- Wedge-shaped piece of wood
- Modern surgical device
- "I cannot tell \_\_\_!"
- Piece of glass
- Bridal path
- Bud holder
- Fitzgerald, for one
- Bishops
- Dug
- Boys' school
- Use up
- 2 altos, 3 tenors and 2 baritones
- \_\_\_ Osmond
- Flurry of activity
- Wicked one
- Part of a pie
- Feral
- Cook chopped onions
- Word with crazy or fry
- Impassive
- Martin or Allen
- Lemony concoction
- Cut
- Irritating skin sensations
- Sacred cup
- Suffix for mob or old
- Luxembourg's location

### DOWN

- Strike
- Refuge
- To be: Lat.
- Tiny stone
- Gave medical care to
- Crow
- "Ach!"
- Poet's contraction
- Sower's device
- Bee entrants
- Split down the middle
- Stream
- Union General George
- Bears
- Heroic tale
- Poet who attended Bologna University in 1287
- Sharp tools
- Make scholarly corrections
- Outdoor sport
- Dentist's view

- Billiards stroke
- St. George's place
- Faction
- Uno y uno y uno
- Perform the Heimlich maneuver
- Hit Broadway play
- Do a lawn chore
- Fastener
- Endless
- Containing vinegar
- Many a New Orleanian
- Desist
- Weather word
- Give someone \_\_\_; phone
- Snow toys
- Extremities
- Eye part
- Recreational spot
- Beautician's offerings
- Letters on some TVs

