

Community Connection

New Horizons at Marlborough, LLC **Serving Metrowest Seniors Since 1994** A Turning Point in Senior Living!

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In the words of Mark Twain, "If you don't like the weather in New England now, just wait a few minutes." Whatever Mother Nature has in store, our "Snow

Team" is prepared with plows, shovels, and snow rakes. Meadows resident Frank Gurley, for one, appreciates New Horizons' snow- related services. According to Frank, "The amenities here are incredible! They even brush snow off my car!" When the snow plan is in effect, you will see orange cones blocking parking spaces. Please follow your building's posted snow plan. If we have a set of your keys, our maintenance team will move your car; otherwise, as a last resort, we must tow any cars that hinder safe snow removal. Thank you for your cooperation.



MARTIN LUTHER KING DAY is Monday, January 15. The federal holiday honors the birthday of the slain civil rights leader. His inspirational preaching advocated nonviolent protest to effect social change. Our observance will begin at 2:00

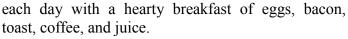
PM in O'Connor Town Common with a lecture by Dick Pearson. It will be followed by the playing of King's iconic "I Have a Dream" speech. It was delivered August 28, 1963, at the steps of the Lincoln Memorial in Washington, D.C.. The event capped the March on Washington for Jobs and Freedom. In February, we will commemorate Black History Month with several special events. Check your February events calendar and watch Channel 918 for details

M A Y FORCE BE WITH HIM! The "him" Joe New Quinn, Horizons' latest centenarian and Brookline's oldest living police



Brookline's finest dispatched a special officer. delegation to New Horizons in honor of Joe's 100th birthday. They joined about 60 members of Joe's family and the New Horizons community to mark the occasion (one that Joe has been planning since he was 95). They presented the self-described "Greatest of All Time" Pats fan with a New England Patriots football autographed by owner (and Brookline

resident) **Bob Kraft**. They also let him try on a little bling: a Patriots Super Bowl ring! Joe's secrets to longevity are 1) never sweat the small stuff and 2) start



Pictured, left to right: Officer Jim Reardon makes the Kraft football "hand off" to Joe Quinn, with an assist from Sergeant Andrew Amendola.



CULTURAL CORNER: Did you know that January is Month? Check Artists Alley, our newly created display of residents' art-

Wayside Elevator. This month will feature paintings Margaret Davis. Pictured: stunning fall photographs by resident Arnie Schneider.



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HOLIDAY SCRAPBOOK Pictured below, left to right: Santa "helpers" **Mei Chen**, **Alysse Farlow** and **Carol Olsen**; **Bob Broxton** reprises his role as Santa (and gives a high five); **Elizabeth Gebhard** returns as Mrs. Claus, with her granddaughter Brooke; **Frances Denzel** gives her annual reading of "The Night Before Christmas" to a spellbound audience.











FRIENDLY COMPETITION, ANYONE?



Dominoes? Cribbage? Rummikub? If you're ready for a little gamesmanship, our staff is ready to play! Join us **Monday**, **January 15**, at **10:00 AM** in O'Connor Town Common for our

first monthly board game extravaganza. *Pictured:* Scrabble players **Doris Ellison** and **Herb Raphael**.

dent "Bobs," Simcoe and Noonan, put their heads together to solve a problem afflicting our chapel: occasional inaudible audio. Bob

Noonan, formerly of famed speaker maker Bose Corporation, and **Bob Simcoe**, electrical engineer extraordinaire, came up with a solution. It involved a new mixer, a 31-millisecond sound delay processor, matching speaker impedances and a new wireless mic. The results are clear as a bell! Thank you, Bobs!

VNA Care Advantage

MEET YOUR NEW OCCUPATIONAL THERAPIST



Connie Durkin is excited to be joining the VNA team at New Horizons as the new primary occupational therapist for all residents receiving home health care services. Connie has more than 10 years of occupational therapy experience, including two years with VNA Care. "My passion is behavioral and cognitive assessment and treatment in geriatrics," said Connie. "I am modality certified and plan to expand my knowledge of manual treatment of musculoskeletal impairments. A fun fact about me is that I love reading and learning about fashion and home decor!"

Mark Your Calendar! Every Tuesday in January: Interactive Short Stories at 2:00 PM January 3 Art Matters: Beasts of Fame & Fable 2:00 PM January 15 Gamesmanship with New Horizons Staff 10:00 AM January 15 Martin Luther King Jr. Day Observances 2:00 PM January 18 New Resident Reception with Saxophonist Brian Kane 2:30 PM January 21 Randy Scaletta & Sunnyside Swing Band 2:00 PM January 22 Richard Hughes: Traveling Silent Movie Show 2:00 PM January 31 Hearthstone Caregiver Support Group 6:00 PM Taxing this acceptance as the pasting throughout the acceptance of the pasting stilent acceptance of the pasting stilent Movie Show 2:00 PM January 31 Hearthstone Caregiver Support Group 6:00 PM Taxing this acceptance as the pasting throughout the acceptance of the pasting stilent acceptance of the pasting stilent Movie Show 2:00 PM January 31 Hearthstone Caregiver Support Group 6:00 PM Taxing this acceptance of the pasting stilent Movie Show 2:00 PM

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