

Community Connection

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

May 2018

CELEBRATING TRAILBLAZING WOMEN: Four accomplished New Horizons residents graciously agreed to take part in a panel to share their remarkable stories. **Barbara Rule** is author of *Polar Knight: the Mystery of Sir John Franklin.* The book sets right history's misconceptions concerning her ancestor's ill-fated Northwest Passage expedition of 1845. **Harlene Briggs** found a career in the FBI's Identification Division. Her talents on the court earned her a coveted spot on the Bureau's women's basketball team. First-generation American **Edie Venti Orr** put herself through design school and worked for the prestigious bridal gown maker Priscilla of Boston, as well as for famed fashion designer Alfred Fiandaca. During her 38 years at the JFK Presidential Library, **Megan Desnoyers** worked with both Jacqueline Kennedy Onassis and Caroline Kennedy Schlossberg to chronicle the Kennedy family. Another interesting claim to fame is her experience personally transporting the restored Emancipation Proclamation to Washington, D.C.!



Pictured, left to right: author **Barbara Rule**; **Harlene Briggs** points to an image of her basketball team with then-boss FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover; designer Edie Venti Orr; archivist Megan Desnoyers.

UPLIFTING! Residents were mesmerized by a dazzling floor demonstration from professional pair



skaters Kylie Duarte and Andrew Speroff (pictured). The newly engaged couple spent five years on Team USA. After some graceful lifts, they narrated a film about fabulous their ice show. Their trainer is Beth-Anne Duxbury, daughter of resident Nancy Duxbury.

RECORD RESERVATIONS: This year's Easter Buffet was our most popular to date! Don't miss our equally scrumptious **Mother's Day Buffet.**

<u>All guest reservations must be</u> <u>made by Friday, May 4.</u>



The charge for guests — and residents not on a dinner plan — is \$20 per person

and \$10 for children under eight. Please email your reservations to: <u>diningservices@cummings.com</u>

Pictured: CSA Katelyn Reynolds as our Easter Bunny with resident Herb Raphael.

Memorial Day, Monday, May 28, the Concord Dining Room will serve traditional barbecue fare.

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HIGH STAKES FUN: O'Connor Town Common was transformed into a scene out of "Casablanca" for Casino Night (by Day). New Horizons at Marlborough staff became croupiers and dealers, spinning the roulette wheel, doling out winning hands for blackjack and Texas hold 'em, and rolling the dice for craps (only chips exchanged hands). At the end of the day, resident **Gil Zucker** was our highest high roller.



Pictured, left to right: Gil Zucker on a lucky roll; taking a chance at blackjack; placing roulette bets.

BRINGING DOWN THE HOUSE! New Horizons' Resident Talent Show played to a capacity crowd in O'Connor Town Common. It was a dazzling display of musical and dramatic talent!









Pictured, left to right: Anita Rizzo recites her poetry; Cecil Sprung looks on as wife Diane Sprung does stand-up comedy; a dramatic reading by Frances Denzel; a French horn performance by Alysse Farlow.



ART STUDIO OPENING: Resident Carol Olsen (*pictured*) led the ribboncutting ceremony for our new, light-filled resident art studio. Carol shepherded the project from vision to frui-

tion. The event was celebrated with chocolatecovered strawberries, champagne, and an art display!



RESIDENT SATISFACTION SURVEY: Community services associates will hand out the annual New Horizons Residents Survey on May 7. Please return completed sur-

veys to the Front Desk by **May 14**. A link to an online survey will be sent to family members who provided us with email addresses. Suggestions are always welcome!

	Mark Your Calendar!	
May 1	Guitarist Jeff Thomas	2:00 PM
May 3	Cooking with the Chef: Mexican Taco Bar	11:30 AM
May 5	Cinco de Mayo celebration	2:30 PM
May 5	144 th Running of the Kentucky Derby	6:30 PM
May 19	Royal Wedding Watch on the Telly	7:00 AM
May 20	Guitarist Larry Domenico	2:00 PM
May 21	Music Appreciation with Frank King	2:00 PM
May 22	400/420 Chinese-themed Dinner	
May 24	Keyboardist Ray Valente	2:30 PM
May 30	Hearthstone Caregiver Support Group	6:00 PM

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