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**BROOKSIDE**  
HEALTHCARE AND REHABILITATION  
CENTER

A Member of **NATIONWIDE**  
HEALTHCARE SERVICES



## MEET OUR DEPARTMENT LEADERS

- **Missy Hallman**  
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- **Jennifer Thompson**  
*Assistant Director of Nursing*
- **Sara Jones**, Admissions Liaison
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- **Sylvia O'Connell**  
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*Maintenance Director*
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*Program Director*
- **Monique Brown**  
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- **Nicole Chandler & Angela Jackson**, RNACs
- **Cathy Kuemmerle**  
*Medical Records*
- **Kathy Palionis**  
*Infection Control*
- **Julie Kimble**, Dietitian
- **Camilla Burke**, Central Supply
- **Millie Seltzer & Jenna Cassel**  
*Unit Managers*
- **Lori Kennedy**  
*RN/Restorative*

## From Our Administrator

A quote to keep in our thoughts this month:

“Never let life impede on your ability to manifest your dreams”

- Corin Nemec

**Missy Hallman**

*Administrator, Brookside Healthcare & Rehabilitation Center*

## Resident of the Month: Dirk Baird

Dirk was born May 16, 1939 in Darby, PA. He says he had a great childhood. He loved to make model cars, especially California Hot Rods. He had a great education and played baseball as a catcher throughout his childhood.

After graduation, Dirk joined the Air Force, where he says he spent most of his time in isolated tours in Canada. He was part of a Strategic Air Command. After spending four years in the Air Force, he then went to Temple University.

At Temple, Dirk studied Economics and Psychology. While studying at Temple, he was the co-founder and president of an organization called VAT (Veterans At Temple), with over 300 men and women. After Temple, he worked for many medical companies as a detailed medical representative. At one of the companies he worked for, Alcon, he made a surgical film with two doctors called “A New Approach to Cataract Surgery.”

Dirk was married in 1963 and has two beautiful daughters who he adores. Throughout his life, Dirk says he taught himself all about computers and how to program them. While at Penn State Graduate School, his Masters Thesis was writing a program called “Paperless Resumes over the Internet,” which was intended to help graduate students look for work. He also did research projects for the Hershey Medical Center.

Later in life, Dirk spent time in the city of Wuhan, in the People’s Republic of China, as a University Professor teaching English. Now, Dirk enjoys adult coloring books, writing children’s literature and reading books, especially about mythology.



**DIRK BAIRD,**  
**OUR RESIDENT OF THE MONTH**



**OUR RESIDENTS ENJOYING OUR**  
**EASTER EGG HUNT**




**BOB WEISER SHOWING OFF HIS**  
**EASTER BONNET**



**BROOKSIDE'S 5-STAR TEAM WITH**  
**OUR DOROTHY YOUNG**

# May 2018 Activity Calendar

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
 <p><b>May 2018</b> <b>Happy Mother's Day</b></p>		<p>9:30 Morning Brew Crew <b>1</b> 10:30 Morning Stretch 11:00 Bringing in the May <b>2:00 Singing with Amy Dee</b> 4:00 Popular Nursery Rhymes 6:30 Pokeno <b>Mother Goose Day</b> May Day</p>	<p>9:30 Morning Brew Crew <b>2</b> 10:30 Morning Stretch 10:45 Bible Study 1:30 Rosary 2:00 Bingo 3:30 Manicures &amp; A Movie 6:30 Name that Hymn</p>	<p>9:30 Morning Brew Crew <b>3</b> 10:30 Morning Stretch 11:00 Communion 11:15 Lets Remember James Brown 2:00 Derby Hats 4:00 Brain Teasers 6:30 Pokeno <b>Lag B'Omer National Day of Prayer Centenarians Luncheon</b></p>	<p>9:30 Morning Brew Crew <b>4</b> 10:30 Morning Stretch 11:00 Finish The Phrase 2:00 Bling Bling Bingo 3:30 Making Maracas 6:30 Horseshoes <b>Star Wars Day "May the 4<sup>th</sup> Be With You"</b></p>	<p>10:00 Morning Brew Crew <b>5</b> <b>10:30 Jammin Church</b> <b>2:00 Mexican Fiesta</b> 3:30 Horse Racing 6:30 Run For The Roses Card Games &amp; Mint Juleps <b>144<sup>th</sup> Running of the Kentucky Derby</b> Cinco de Mayo</p>
<p><b>National Hug Week</b> <b>6</b> 10:00 Morning Brew Crew 10:45 Morning Stretch 11:00 Motherly Humor! <b>2:00 Salem Baptist</b> 3:30 Bowling 6:30 Cats &amp; Dogs <b>Family week</b> <b>Hospital Week</b> <b>Nurses' Week</b> <b>Pet Week</b></p>	<p>9:30 Morning Brew Crew <b>7</b> 10:30 Morning Stretch 11:00 Junk Food Hangman 2:00 BINGO <b>2:15 Book Mobile</b> 3:30 Great Football Names 6:30 Monday Night Fun <b>Melanoma Monday</b></p>	<p>9:30 Morning Brew Crew <b>8</b> 10:30 Morning Stretch <b>11:00 Food Committee</b> 2:00 Casino 4:00 Adult Coloring 6:30 Pokeno <b>Ann of V-E Day</b> <b>National Teacher Day</b></p>	<p>9:30 Morning Brew Crew <b>9</b> 10:30 Morning Stretch 10:45 Bible Study 1:30 Rosary 2:00 Bingo 3:30 Manicures &amp; A Movie 6:30 Music Bingo</p>	<p>9:30 Morning Brew Crew <b>10</b> 10:30 Morning Stretch 11:00 Communion 11:15 I Spy <b>2:00 Graduation Party</b> 4:00 Happy Birthday, Fred Astaire 6:30 Pokeno <b>Ascension Thursday</b></p>	<p>9:30 Morning Brew Crew <b>11</b> 10:30 Morning Stretch 11:00 Funny Mom Stories 2:00 Bling Bling Bingo 3:30 Famous Mothers 6:30 Sing-A-Long <b>Eat What you Want Day</b></p>	<p>10:00 Morning Brew Crew <b>12</b> 10:45 Morning Stretch 11:00 Springtime Fun <b>2:00 Shabbat Services</b> 3:30 Painting Vases 6:30 Fishing <b>Let's Go Fishing Day</b> <b>Limerick Day</b> <b>Nurses Day</b></p>
<p><b>Happy Mother's Day</b> <b>13</b> <b>Happy National Skilled Nursing Care &amp; Nationwide Week</b> 10:00 Morning Brew Crew 10:45 Morning Stretch <b>11:00 Bible Fellowship</b> <b>2:00 Celebrating Our Mom's English Tea party</b> 6:30 All About Stevie Wonder Mother's Day</p>	<p>9:30 Morning Brew Crew <b>14</b> <b>10:30 All About Me</b> <b>2:00 This Is Your Life</b> 4:00 About My Childhood <b>6:30 BINGO</b></p>	<p>9:30 Morning Brew Crew <b>15</b> <b>10:30 Time Slips</b> <b>2:00 Good Times with Todd Horn</b> 4:00 Being A Teenage 6:30 Pokeno</p>	<p>9:30 Morning Brew Crew <b>16</b> <b>10:30 Life Stories</b> 10:45 Bible Study 1:30 Rosary <b>2:00 Staff - Resident Minute To Win It</b> <b>6:30 Bingo</b> First Day of Ramadan</p>	<p>9:30 Morning Brew Crew <b>17</b> <b>10:30 Planting Your Story</b> 11:00 Communion <b>2:00 Staff - Resident Eating Contest</b> 4:00 Married Life 6:30 Pokeno</p>	<p>9:30 Morning Brew Crew <b>18</b> 10:30 Memory Jar <b>2:00 Celebrating Brookside's Story with Jimmy Wells</b> 4:00 Relax <b>6:30 Bling Bling Bingo</b> <b>Pickle Week</b></p>	<p>10:00 Morning Brew Crew <b>19</b> <b>10:30 Armed Forces Ceremony</b> <b>2:30-4:30 Brookside's Got Talent</b> 6:30 Jingle Bell Volleyball <b>143<sup>rd</sup> Running of the Preakness</b> Armed Forces Day</p>
<p>10:00 Morning Brew Crew <b>20</b> 10:45 Morning Stretch 11:00 GeoBee Challenge <b>2:00 Hope Community</b> 3:30 Guess Who 6:30 Band Stand First Day of Shavuot</p>	<p><b>Victoria Day</b> <b>21</b> 9:30 Morning Brew Crew <b>10:30 Catholic Mass</b> 11:00 Who Am I? 2:00 BINGO <b>2:15 Book Mobile</b> 3:30 Discuss &amp; Recall - British Royal Obsession 6:30 Anything Goes <b>National Backyard Games Week</b></p>	<p>9:30 Morning Brew Crew <b>22</b> 10:30 Morning Stretch 11:00 Charades 2:00 Backyard Game Day 4:00 Trivia 6:30 Pokeno</p>	<p><b>Lucky Penny Day</b> <b>23</b> 9:30 Morning Brew Crew 10:30 Morning Stretch 10:45 Bible Study 1:30 Rosary 2:00 Bingo 3:30 Manicures &amp; A Movie 6:30 Word Scrambles</p>	<p><b>Tiara Day</b> <b>24</b> 9:30 Morning Brew Crew 10:30 Morning Stretch 11:00 Communion 11:15 What's In The Bag? <b>2:00 "May" We Have Another Happy Hour?</b> 4:00 Mix &amp; Match <b>6:30 United Fellowship</b> <b>Brothers Day</b></p>	<p>9:30 Morning Brew Crew <b>25</b> 10:30 Morning Stretch 11:00 Patriotic Sing-A-Long <b>12-2:00 Memorial Day BBQ with DJ Willy</b> 2:30 Bling Bling Bingo 3:30 Ella Fitzgerald <b>6:30 Pokeno</b></p>	<p>10:00 Morning Brew Crew <b>26</b> 10:45 Morning Stretch <b>11:00 Faith Fellowship</b> <b>2:00 7<sup>th</sup> Day Adventist</b> 3:30 John Wayne Social 6:30 Balloon Tennis</p>
<p><b>Trinity Sunday</b> <b>27</b> 10:00 Morning Brew Crew 10:45 Morning Stretch 11:00 Car Racing <b>2:00 Bible Fellowship</b> 3:30 Patriotic Pinwheels 6:30 Mason Rim Sun Catchers <b>Indianapolis 500</b></p>	<p>9:30 Morning Brew Crew <b>28</b> 10:30 Morning Stretch 11:00 Honoring Memorial Day 2:00 BINGO 6:30 Holiday Bingo <b>National Hamburger Day</b> Memorial Day</p>	<p><b>Full Moon</b> <b>29</b> 9:30 Morning Brew Crew 10:30 Morning Stretch <b>11:00 Resident Council</b> <b>2:00 Birthday Party with Young At Heart</b> 4:00 The Jewish Americans: A Series by David Grubin 6:30 Pokeno</p>	<p>9:30 Morning Brew Crew <b>30</b> 10:30 Morning Stretch 10:45 Bible Study 1:30 Rosary 2:00 Bingo 3:30 Manicures &amp; A Movie 6:30 Fitness Time <b>National Senior Health and Fitness Day</b></p>	<p><b>World No Tobacco Day</b> <b>31</b> 9:30 Morning Brew Crew 10:30 Morning Stretch 11:00 Communion 11:15 Positive Thinking 2:00 Tie Dye Party 4:00 Discussion Ball 6:30 Pokeno</p>	<p><b>"Life doesn't come with a manual, it comes with a mother." ~Unknown</b> <b>"Today and everyday, we are grateful for our military; past and present, and the families who support them." ~Anonymous</b></p>	

RESIDENTS

- Anna Salicondro • 5/2
- Dirk Baird • 5/16
- William Firman • 5/19

STAFF

- Karen Dixon-Peebles • 5/2
- Marsheila Parker • 5/3
- Lori Kennedy • 5/6
- Marie Michel-Renois • 5/9
- Marie Dieujuste • 5/10
- Malisa Tate • 5/15
- Monique Taylor • 5/21
- Joshua Loss • 5/24
- Aeradonna Roberts • 5/25

One day, a little girl was sitting and watching her mother do the dishes at the kitchen sink. She suddenly noticed that her mother had several strands of white hair sticking out in contrast to her brunette hair. She looked at her mother and inquisitively asked, "Why are some of your hairs white, Mom?" Her mother replied, "Well, every time you do something wrong and make me cry or unhappy, one of my hairs turns white." The little girl thought about this revelation for a while and then asked, "Momma, how come all of grandma's hairs are white?"

MIXED-UP KENTUCKY DERBY

Unscramble the letters to reveal words associated to the Kentucky Derby!

1. JEYKCO \_\_\_\_\_
2. SOHRSE \_\_\_\_\_
3. IGB HSTA \_\_\_\_\_
4. NIMT ULEPJ \_\_\_\_\_
5. TSCIEKT \_\_\_\_\_
6. SETSAK \_\_\_\_\_
7. TONAILSL \_\_\_\_\_
8. RZEPI \_\_\_\_\_
9. NKYEKCTU \_\_\_\_\_
10. BTTGINE \_\_\_\_\_
11. CERA CAKTR \_\_\_\_\_
12. LAIFVSTE \_\_\_\_\_
13. NATGDSRAND \_\_\_\_\_
14. ANTRIER \_\_\_\_\_
15. ADSDEL \_\_\_\_\_

**Answers:**  
 1. jockey 2. horses 3. big hats 4. mint julep 5. tickets 6. stakes 7. stallion  
 8. prize 9. Kentucky 10. betting 11. race track 12. festival  
 13. grandstand 14. trainer 15. saddle

Carmen Beauvil

