

THE KNIFE RIVER CARE CENTER

INFORMER

February 2026

Knife River Care Center
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~MONTHLY BIRTHDAYS~

**Katherine B.
Carol B.
Delphine S.
Deanna S.
Alice B.**

*****If you would like to
contact your loved one via
email please send to:
krista.baytosh@krcc-nd.org**

REMINDERS

- **WINTER Cleaning
Time!!!- please check
your loved ones closets,
drawers and
refrigerators.**
- **When bringing new
items (clothing,
bedding, etc.) please
stop at the front desk
to have them marked.**

Thank you!

“Jokes of the Month”

Q: What month is the best
month to tell a lie?

A: FIB-ruary!

Q: What is a frog's favorite
month?

A: February. It has a LEAP
year!

Q: When is the best day to
wear a tutu?

A: February 2nd (2/2)!

Q: What did the French
groundhog see on February
2nd?

A: His chateau!

Q: What do you call two
birds in love?

A: Tweet-hearts!

Q: What's the difference
between a \$20 steak and a
\$55 steak?

A: February 14th!

RESIDENT RIGHTS

INVOLVEMENT IN HEALTH CARE

- * You have the right to choose the health care providers you want while in the facility such as your doctor, pharmacy, and dentist.
- * You have the right to choose your pharmacist regardless of the type of medication distribution system used by the facility, and to not be charged a fee or receive a financial incentive or disincentive for choosing a pharmacy other than the facility's preferred pharmacy. The resident may not be charged for repackaging if that cost can be included on the facility cost report.
- * You have the right to services and care that will help you attain and maintain your highest level of physical, mental and psychosocial well-being.
- * If you receive services from someone outside of the facility, you have the right to know who they are and what agency they work for.
- * You should be informed about your total health status including your medical care, nursing care, nutritional status, activities potential, rehabilitation potential and any physical impairments.
- * You should be informed in advance of any care or treatment to be provided and be given the opportunity to participate in decisions regarding proposed care or treatment.
- * You should be included in the development and implementation of the person-centered care plan. You should be informed in advance of any changes to the care plan.
- * You can give yourself certain medications and drugs unless professionals have determined it is not safe for you to do so.
- * You should choose who you want involved in or notified about your care.
- * You are to be informed immediately, plus your legal/resident representative or an interested family member, if:
 1. You are involved in an accident resulting in injury which may require a doctor's involvement.
 2. There is a significant change in your physical, mental or psychosocial condition.
 3. Your treatment needs to be changed significantly.
 4. You are going to be transferred or discharged from the facility.
- * You, plus your legal/resident representative or an interested family member, should be informed promptly of any proposed room changes.
- * If there is a change in your rights the facility must promptly inform you of those changes.
- * You can request, refuse or discontinue treatment to include medications. When doing so you should be notified by your doctor of any medical consequences of your decisions.
- * You can look at, or authorize someone else to look at, your records within 24 hours of your request, excluding weekends and holidays. You can purchase copies of your records, at a reasonable cost, within 2 working days at your request.
- * The facility should give you a written statement about their policy to follow any advance healthcare directive you may have. If the facility will not follow your wishes, it must take reasonable steps to transfer your care to a facility or care provider who will.



Leap Day
Every 4
Years



Library
Lovers Day



Violets + Primrose
February Flowers

Presidents Day

FEBRUARY



National
Cherry
Month



Random Act of
Kindness Week

KINDNESS



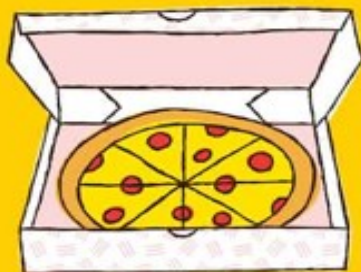
National
Tater Tot
Month

National
Golden
Retriever
Day

Most
Romantic
Month



National
Pizza Day



Super Bowl
2nd Sunday

WINTER

Valentine's
Day



Make a
Friend Day

Astrology Signs



Aquarius Pisces



2nd Month
of The Year

Groundhog
Day



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February Communion Services



Catholic Communion and Rosary Service
February 4, 11, 18, 25

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**St. Matthew's and  
Concordia Communion**  
February 10

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Peace Lutheran Communion
February 4

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**Prince of Peace Communion**  
February 3

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Trinity / Golgotha Lutheran Communion
February 5

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**Zion Lutheran Communion**  
February 19

*And He took bread, gave thanks and  
broke it, and gave it to them, saying,  
"This is My body which is given for  
you; do this in remembrance of Me."  
Likewise He also took the cup after  
supper, saying, "This cup is the new  
covenant in My blood, which is shed  
for you.*

Luke 22:19-20

**WE'VE GOT SOMETHING FOR YOU TO SEE...  
CHECK OUT KNIFE RIVER CARE CENTERS  
FACEBOOK PAGE:**

[www.facebook.com/kniferivercarecenter](http://www.facebook.com/kniferivercarecenter)

THOSE WE'VE LOST:



\*The activity department continues to offer video calling capabilities for you and your loved one! Please contact Krista if you would like to schedule a video chat.\*  
**(701) 873-3274**

