

# The Villa Grapevine

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*Villa Maria Nursing and Rehabilitation Community, Plainfield, CT*  
*The mission of the Villa Maria is to provide outstanding care and support to our residents and their families, in an environment that promotes their individuality.*

## Did You Know?

The average mother changes her baby's diaper 7,300 times by its second birthday.

The most popular birth day is Tuesday.  
The most popular birthday is October 5<sup>th</sup>.

There are 105 boys born for every 100 girls.

Household laundry is done 88% of the time by the wife/mother, totaling 330 loads of laundry and 5,300 articles of clothing annually.

## THANK YOU YOU ARE AWESOME!

The Villa Maria will be honoring its staff during National Nursing Home Week on May 13 - 18. During this week, we acknowledge our staff for the dedicated, faithful and compassionate, care they provide to our residents every day! Heartfelt thanks to every staff member. Your hard work is truly appreciated!!

## The Villa Maria



A Medicare 5-Star Facility!!!!  
and




The proud recipient of the "Quality of Care Award"

For our residents & staff...


## Memorial Day Picnic

Friday, May 25  
12 Noon

## Nursing Home Week SCHEDULE


 May 13- *Mother's Day Open House*  
1:00 pm - 3:00 pm  
Entertainment and loads of fun for all!

May 14- **"Pretty in Pink" Day**  
Residents and Staff are invited to dress in PINK!!  
PRIZES AWARDED!

 May 15- **"Crazy Hair" Day**  
We challenge our staff to come in with the craziest, wackiest hair style!!!  
PRIZES AWARDED!

May 16- **"Mellow Yellow" Day**  
Residents and staff are invited to dress in YELLOW!  
PRIZES AWARDED!

May 17- **"BEST STAFF" DAY**   
Staff Picnic and goodies!

 May 18- **"Country-Western" Day**  
EEEEEEhaw! Staff is invited to dress in their best cowpoke, bronco bustin', buckaroo outfits!! (Blue jeans are allowed!)

**Spa Day!**  
Come and enjoy the relaxation and peacefulness at our monthly spa day.  
May 28 at 2:00pm

*Happy Mother's Day to all the wonderful ladies of the Villa Maria. We wish you love & happiness on this day and always!*

We finally have some spring-like weather!! That means the facility patios will be "open" soon!! 

Monthly Movie:  
*"Our Little Girl"*



MAY 11  
2:00 pm  
Starring  
*Shirley Temple*

# Mother's Day Word Search

W Y U P B U T D N I K  
 N R Q Z W N B T M Q T  
 T U E V E S S E C U K  
 P B S I S R E A I U E  
 D W T I E M I C E Q Q  
 R A L N S O K H S T C  
 P U N E S M O E R Z G  
 C I L V I M O R U G Q  
 P A I O K Y C H N A X  
 Y S F L O W E R S J O  
 P E S G U H A C N R G

MOMMY  
 LOVE  
 HUGS  
 KISSES  
 KIND

PATIENT  
 NURSE  
 COOKIES  
 FLOWERS  
 TEACHER



## Meetings & Inservices

5/2- "Resident Dining" Inservice  
 1:00 pm / 2:00 pm / 3:00 pm  
**MANDATORY FOR ALL LIC/C.N.A. STAFF ON  
 1<sup>ST</sup> AND 2<sup>ND</sup> SHIFTS ONLY**

5/7- C.N.A. Meeting  
 1:30 pm- 2<sup>nd</sup> Shift  
 2:00 pm- 1<sup>st</sup> Shift  
 9:30 pm- 3<sup>rd</sup> Shift

5/7- Dietary Inservice- 1:00pm  
 5/8- Environmental Services Inservice- 1:00 pm

5/16- Skills Fair- "Injection Safety"  
 2:15 pm / 3:15pm / 10:15 pm  
**MANDATORY FOR ALL NURSES**



5/17- Dementia Training  
 Mod. 5- 2:00 pm  
 Mod. 6A- 3:15 pm

5/31- "Emergency Plans" Inservice- 2:00 pm  
**MANDATORY FOR ALL STAFF**

## Leah's Ala Carte

### Old Fashioned Bread Pudding

2 cups milk  
 ¼ cup butter  
 2 eggs, slightly beaten  
 ½ cup sugar  
 1 teaspoon cinnamon  
 ¼ teaspoon salt  
 6 cups soft bread cubes (about 6 slices bread)  
 ½ cup raisins or chocolate chips  
 Whipped Cream, if desired.  
 Heat oven to 350 degrees. In 2-quart saucepan, heat milk and butter over medium heat until butter is melted and milk is hot. In large bowl, mix eggs, sugar, cinnamon and salt. Stir in bread cubes and raisins. Stir in milk mixture. Pour into ungreased deep round dish. Bake uncovered 40 to 45 minutes or until knife inserted 1" from edge comes out clean. Serve warm with whipped cream.



Members of the Plainfield Senior Chorus present their spring songs selection for our residents.

*"I've learned that people will forget what you've said, people will forget what you did, but people will never forget how you made them feel."*

Maya Angelou

