



Residents Enjoying An Outing To The Menil Collection.

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COMMUNITY NEWS

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RESIDENT SPOTLIGHT



Fanny Kjeldsen was born in Columbia and lived there till she graduated from Javeriana College. She moved to the northeast United States in 1967. She then moved to New Jersey where she worked as a drafter in the engineering and architectural field for Stone and Webster. She has lived in Houston for

over 40 years. Fanny has 1 son. Her hobbies include playing the piano, dancing, and painting. Fanny considers herself very blessed. "I had good parents, very close family ties, and a wonderful husband." She has traveled all over the world but her favorites are Denmark, Sweden, and Germany.

Writer's Corner

Welcome, Spring! The birds sing
Little squirrels are everywhere
The gardens are in bloom
At night, a big silvery moon
With millions of stars all aglow
It's springtime you know,
So there is no snow,
(We never have much anyway)
To all of you out there
Don't just sit in your chair
Go out and have a glorious day!



**"A WELCOME TO SPRING"
BY LEN HICKS**



Earth Day was founded in 1970 as a day of education about environmental issues and will occur on Monday, April 22. The holiday is now a global celebration that's sometimes extended into Earth Week, a full seven days of events focused on green living and confronting the climate crisis. The brainchild of Senator Gaylord Nelson inspired by the protests of the 1960s, Earth Day began as a "national teach-in on the environment" and was held on April 22 to maximize the number of students that could be reached on university campuses. By raising public awareness of pollution, Nelson hoped to bring environmental causes into the national spotlight.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

APRIL 1 | APRIL FOOL'S DAY

The history of April Fool's Day is full of brilliant and ingenious hoaxes published by reputable sources, which is exactly why they can fool so many people. The media, such as newspapers and TV channels often take part in practical jokes by reporting on fictional news stories, or advertising products that don't exist. Famous brands also participate, often in ways that poke fun at themselves:



APRIL 4 | WELLNESS LECTURE SERIES

Join Parkway Place's Melanie Lewis for a lecture on health and wellness as we age.



APRIL 8 | TOTAL SOLAR ECLIPSE

Get your solar glasses ready for the total solar eclipse! This eclipse will start at about 12:20 pm and end at 3 pm. The eclipse will reach its peak at 1:39 pm.



APRIL 18 | TAX DAY

This is the last day for people in the United States to declare their income tax details with the Internal Revenue Service, or IRS.



APRIL 19 | PARKWAY'S ANNUAL SHRIMP BOIL

Join us on April 19th for a resident and staff appreciation Crawfish and Shrimp boil!



APRIL 22 | EARTH DAY

It is a day to educate people about the issues affecting the planet and to raise awareness for and celebrate the efforts in place to protect the environment.





Residents And Family Enjoying The Easter Egg Hunt!



Fun Fit Friday Walk To Pecan Creek Grill.

RESIDENT BIRTHDAY CORNER!



4/18 Anna Olexy
4/18 Yvonne Haas
4/23 Sarah Moore

4/23 Margery Ambrose
4/24 Liz Callahan

ASSOCIATE OF THE MONTH

Parkway Place is honoring Abibata Ibrahim (CNA), as associate of the month! Abi has such a wonderful personality that brightens our facility! She is so joyful and caring to our staff and residents. Abi is always taking the time to get to know all residents and associates. Thank you for inspiring happiness in everything you do. Congratulations, Abibata Ibrahim, March's associate of the month!



Birds of a Feather Flock Together!

Friends make the best neighbors! For each qualified referral who moves in, you'll receive a one-time \$1,500 credit towards your monthly fee.

Please see the marketing team for more details.

Search for April!

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April is Volunteer Month

Every year the United States celebrates National Volunteer Month during the third week of April. President Nixon mandated the observance by executive order in 1974. Later we started observing the entire month of April as National Volunteer Month to make the event even more pronounced and to give even greater credence to the importance of volunteerism. Parkway Place would like to give a huge THANK YOU to all of the volunteers who spend their time in this wonderful community.

The words listed below can be found vertically or horizontally. Disregard spaces between words.

ALL FOOLS' DAY
ARBOR DAY
ARIES
BASEBALL
DIAMOND
BULL
EARTH DAY
DAISY



EASTER
FOURTH
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SWEET PEA
TAURUS
TAXES



PWP Loves Birthdays!



Smiling on St. Patrick's Day!



Wreath Making!



Making Easter Baskets!