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COMMUNITY NEWS

Inspiring Happiness.



HONORING DRAGO'S 20 YEARS OF SERVICE

Congratulations to Dragoslav Lukic for 20 years of service at Buckner Parkway Place as Director of Facilities Management. Drago came to America in 2005 from Croatia. His first job at Parkway Place was night security. On his first night at work his boss said he would have to answer the phones. This first job enabled him to view the overall picture of the positions of Parkway Place. This empowered him to have a strong foundation in which to build for his future success.

Since then, he has proved himself as an example of Buckner's Vision Statement: "Set the Standard of Excellence in Serving Vulnerable Seniors." In 2020, he was nominated for and won the Prestigious

National Leading Age Award "Excellence in Leadership." His leadership abilities have caught the attention of the Buckner Executive Level Team as they have assigned Drago to train, and problem solve in our other Senior Living Communities. He has a passion and willingness to serve to make Parkway Place the best it can be. Drago on many occasions has been seen coming to work weekends and in the middle of the night to ensure whenever we have a challenge, it gets fixed properly. I remembered during an emergency he remained on campus for 3-4 days without seeing his family. His compassion for the welfare and security of our Seniors is beyond compare. In addition, his work ethic demonstrates the quality that we all should aspire to obtain. His job is truly his calling.

He is married to Majia and has three sons: Aleks, Stefan and Kosta. He is called by many names, Boss, Husband, Dad, Doc, but I just call him friend.

-By: Chaplain John Bender



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UPCOMING EVENTS



MAY 1 | MUSICAL TRIBUTE WITH LAVONNE COLLINS
Join the talented Ms. LaVonne Collins for a joyful musical tribute you won't want to miss!



MAY 2 | STRATFORD PLAYHOUSE: JOSEPH AND THE AMAZING TECHNICOLOR DREAMCOAT
Let's Go to Stratford Playhouse! Enjoy a lively theater outing to a musical featuring colorful costumes, unforgettable songs, and the timeless story of Joseph and the coat of many colors.



MAY 5 | UNO, DOS TRES FIESTA!
A Cinco de Mayo FIESTA with music, festive treats, and traditional Mexican Folklorico dancers in colorful costumes.



MAY 8 | MOTHER'S DAY HIGH TEA
Celebrate the wonderful women of Parkway Place with an elegant afternoon of tea, sweet bites, and special moments in their honor.



MAY 15 | HOUSTON GREEK FEST
Opa! An afternoon of culture, flavor, and tradition showcasing all things Greek, from authentic cuisine to music, dancing, and community spirit. Sign-Up in the Message Center.



MAY 21 | MEMORIAL SERVICE WITH CHAPLAIN JOHN BENDER
Join Chaplain John Bender at 10:00 AM in the Chapel for a meaningful Memorial Day service as we honor those who gave their lives in service to our country. We will also remember our Independent Living residents who have passed away from June 1, 2025, through May 31, 2026.



EXPLORING BLUEBONNET TRAILS & BLUE BELL CREAMERY



THE GREAT EGG HUNT HAD HUNDREDS OF HIDDEN SURPRISES

MAY BIRTHDAYS

Marilyn Taylor 5/03
 Bonnie Meador 5/04
 Carolyn Nelson 5/04
 Luetilla Carter 5/05
 Bob Pace 5/08
 John Johnson 5/11



Kay Dunlap 5/15
 Sue Januhowski 5/16
 Margo Taylor 5/17
 Brigitte Benbrahim 5/19
 Glenn Dicken 5/21
 DeLores Samford 5/22
 Marilyn Spradling 5/31

ASSOCIATE OF THE MONTH - ANGEL NOROMO

Angel consistently goes above and beyond in her role as a Medication Aide, demonstrating that her commitment extends far beyond medication administration. She is known for her sweet and caring nature, always taking the time to ensure residents feel supported, valued, and comfortable. Whether she is assisting residents with their daily needs, helping them get to and from activities, or stepping into the dining room to refill drinks and assist with meals, Angel approaches every task with genuine compassion and a willingness to serve. Her kindness creates meaningful connections with residents, who truly look forward to seeing her each day. Angel's dedication, attentiveness, and heartfelt care make her a valued member of our team and a wonderful example of what exceptional service looks like.



THERE ARE FAR, FAR BETTER THINGS AHEAD THAN ANY WE LEAVE BEHIND



SPRING FEST - WHEN SMILES LEAD THE WAY, EVERYTHING ELSE FOLLOWS