

SPRING 2011



**UPCOMING  
EVENTS**

- **New Bible Study starting Wed Evenings**
- **Planetarium Outing**
- **Ladies of Charity St. Patrick's Party**
- **Movie Outing (we pay!)**
- **Weekly visits with our therapy dog-Kiva**



# The Barth News



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## Flu shots

Our biggest challenge during the "indoor months" is keeping everyone healthy! This year we have focused on getting all the interested residents flu and pneumonia shots through the Visiting Nurses Association. This worked so well that we did not have one documented case of the flu during the whole winter season!

Working with seniors with low incomes, our goal is to offer as many supportive services using external providers as we can. We have been able to partner with doctors, nurses, home health, dentists and even a podiatrist comes to help meet the needs of our residents and give the best care possible!

## Buffets Gone Wild!

Starting with a beautiful Breakfast Buffet on Christmas Eve morning, residents have voted to continue this style with an upcoming potato bar buffet. We will have chili, cheese, onions and sour cream to top off the perfect spud! We are also going to be having a soup and salad buffet while also continuing the weekend breakfast buffet! Choice is always on the menu!

## Valentine's Day Party & Dance



## Welcome Home Kelli! New Resident Services Director, Kelli Mosley!

Kelli's background has been primarily in Assisted Living, Skilled Nursing, and Alzheimer's care. She says, "Now that I am getting the hang of things here I am having more time to sit and visit and get to know the residents personally and I feel very lucky to be able to learn so much from them. We have a special group of residents who are very sweet and understanding." Kelli also worked at another SHO Residence and we welcome her back!

## Over the Counter Medications

When a doctor prescribes a medication that is not covered by Medicaid, but is needed, the resident is responsible for that cost. Since our residents are on a very limited budget, this can create a real hardship for them. These medications might include: Tylenol, Tums, Claritin or even Milk of Magnesia. We are very blessed with community support as we have several organizations that are helping us with these costs! Of course, we can't guarantee that this help will continue indefinitely but this is just an example of how we go "above and beyond" to provide for the needs of our residents!

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