



Platte County Memorial
Nursing Home

P.O. Box 1148
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February 2015

FOLK TALES



In Loving Memory of Christy Watkins 2/13/1951—1/19/2015

Christy was born Feb. 13, 1951 in Ames, Iowa the daughter of Robert and Marilyn Boldt.

She was an amazing wife, mother, grandmother, daughter and sister. She came to work at the nursing home in 2009. Christy loved working with the residents. She was truly a resident advocate.

Christy's creativity was evident in the craft projects she did with the residents. She had the gift of getting everyone involved at their own level and interests. Her art work on the windows of the dining room brightened the entire area.

We will miss her bright smile her laughter and friendship.

Vote for our King & Queen of Hearts

The Ballot Box will be in the Activity Department

**Valentine Party
February 14th at 10am**

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NATIONAL WEAR RED DAY

National Wear Red Day is

**February 6th. This event is held every year on the
first Friday in February and is designed to bring atten-
tion and awareness to heart dis-
ease and its impact on women.**

**In memory of Christy Watkins,
that passed away from a heart
attack on January 19th,**

Please wear Red





Watch us Grow! The new facility is coming right along.
The buildings are connected, the roof is on and they are starting on the sheet rock.
Drive by and check out the progress.



Care Plan Schedule

February 5th
10:00 Glen Hall
10:20 Owen McGill
10:40 Donald Querry
11:00 Fannie Querry
11:20 Bev Geschwender
11:40 Emmett Reed
12:00 Madge Huckfeldt

February 12th
10:00 Rose Mendenhall
10:20 Roy Oscar
10:40 Edna Ryff
11:00 Sigrid See

February 19th
No Scheduled Care Plans

February 26th
10:00 Randy Bailey
10:20 Cindy Bishop
10:40 Lela Gorsuch

March 5th
10:00 Ruth Irvine
10:20 Jerry Lorenz
10:40 Dan McGuire
11:00 Edna Sprague



****PLEASE****
It is **flu season**. Remember the **number 1** defense against the flu and infection is **hand washing**. If you feel ill, have a cough or fever, please do not visit.
Holly Montgomery
Infection Prevention Nurse



Resident of the Month



FLORENCE SMITH



Florence was born on September 16, 1927 to Henry and Christy Haeman. She grew up in the Badlands. She married Henry Smith after school and had 3 boys, Scott, Bruce and Rick. Her primary occupation was being a ranch woman. She cleaned hotels most of her life also. Florence belonged to the Moose Lodge, the Elks, VFW and the American legion. In her down time she always liked to do handy work to keep busy. She also enjoyed painting and word search puzzles. Games and Bingo are her favorite activities at the nursing home.

Groundhog Day
February 2nd
“Away in a meadow all covered with snow, the little old groundhog looks for his shadow. The clouds in the sky determine our fate, if winter will leave us all early or late.” Don Halley



IN
LOVING MEMORY OF
DEANIE GILBERT
AUGUST 26, 1927—JANUARY 20, 2015

NURSING HOME VOLUNTEER 20 YEARS

DEANIE GILBERT RETURNED TO WHEATLAND MORE THAN 25 YEARS AGO TO ENJOY THE REMAINING YEARS OF HER LIFE. SHE LOVED MUSIC AND NEVER MISSED AN OPPORTUNITY TO SING OR PERFORM. SHE WAS A TIRELESS VOLUNTEER, CONTRIBUTING HUNDREDS OF HOURS EVERY YEAR TOWARD HUMANITARIAN CAUSES IN WHEATLAND. HER PASSION WAS ELDER CARE AND SHE SPENT MUCH OF HER TIME FINDING WAYS TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN THE LIVES OF NURSING HOME RESIDENTS. A RECIPIENT OF THE SILENT DISCIPLE AWARD BY THE WHEATLAND UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, SHE DEMONSTRATED AN UNWAVERING FAITH IN GOD THAT EARNED HER A PLACE IN HEAVEN. HER SERVICE AND DEDICATION TO OTHERS EARNED HER A SPECIAL PLACE IN THE HEARTS OF THE HUNDREDS OF FRIENDS AND FAMILY SHE TOUCHED.

February 2015

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Supper Bowl Sunday Movie 10am Church Service 4pm Jason Crossman Super Bowl Game 4pm after church	2 Ground Hog Day  Resident Council 10am Tea Party 2pm 	3 Music: Luanne 10am Memorial Service for Deanie Gilbert 2pm Activity Room 	4 Manicures 9:30am Bible Study 11am Bingo 2pm Computer Games 4:30pm	5 Times to Remember 10am Music with Nita 11am Games 2pm	6 Wear Red Day Breakfast Group 8am Exercise Games 10am  Bingo & Popcorn 2pm	7 Music with Pat & Johnny 10am Crafts 2pm
8 Movie 10am Church Service 2pm Adam Lovett	9 Bowling 10am Piano: Jason 11am Ball Exercise 2pm	10 Music: Luanne 10am Horse Races 2pm Supper 5pm Dance 6:30pm	11 Manicures 9:30am Bible Study 11am Bingo 2pm Computer Games 4:30pm	12 Times to Remember 10am Music with Nita 11am Ball Exercise & Trivia 2pm	13 Wild Bunch Breakfast 8am Exercise Games 10am Bingo & Popcorn 2pm	14 Valentines Day Party 10am Mind Teasers 2pm 
15 Movie 10am Church Service 2pm Dale Smith	16  Presidents Day Bowling 10am Mind Teasers 2pm	17 Music: Luanne 10am Joints in Motion 4:30pm	18 Manicures 9:30am Bible Study 11am American Legion Aux. Social 3pm 	19 Joints in Motion 10am Happy Hour with Joyce 3pm	20 Breakfast Group 8am Exercise Games 10am Bingo & Popcorn 2pm	21 Times to Remember 10am Crafts 2pm
22 Movie 10am Church Service 2pm Josh Bruns	23 Music with Pat & Johnny 10am Ball Exercise 2pm	24 Music: Luanne 10am Horse Races 2pm Joints in Motion 4:30pm	25 Manicures 9:30am Bible Study 11am Bingo 2pm Computer Games 4:30pm	26 Times to Remember 10am Music with Nita 11am Ball Exercise & Trivia 2pm	27 Breakfast Group 8am Exercise Games 10am Bingo & Popcorn 2pm	28 Mind Teasers 10am Games 2pm

Employee of the Year Patricia Perez



Patricia was born in Spain, moving to Mexico as a child. After high school, Patricia moved to Glendo. She has been married to Leo for 30 years. The couple have two sons and one daughter. Patricia became a member of our Nursing Home family in August of 2011. She started working in the Housekeeping department. She later became a Certified Nurse Assistant. When asked what she liked best about her job she replied, the “best part about my job are the residents. I enjoy helping them and talking to them. Taking care of the residents is very important.” Family members often comment on how caring Patricia is. Patricia makes a special effort to make sure that the residents in her care attend the activities they enjoy.

Congratulations for being chosen the Employee of the Year by your co-workers



Miss Match Day at the Nursing Home
I hope these styles never catch on!

February Staff Birthdays.

2/2	Jackie Hilger
2/5	Josie Lauck
2/7	Norman Mistica
2/9	Nicole Dentler
2/14	Monis Buettner
2/18	Marilyn Shoemaker
2/19	Vicky Schamel
2/21	Chris Kennedy
2/21	Michael Crowley