### **MARCH 2020**

## HOSPICE HAPPENINGS

#### HOPE HOSPICE AND PALLIATIVE CARE

### SPRING IS JUST AROUND THE CORNER



As winter bids farewell and the days start warming and brightening, it's possible to start feeling your mood improve, as you're less weighed down by the cold and dreary days of winter. Spring is a time to renew your goals, refresh your home, and to unearth your garden from its wintry layers. As the evergrowing days beckon you to spend more time outside, you'll easily find many ways to keep you outside of the house enjoying the fresh spring days.

Spring clean. This age-old tradition of clearing away the cobwebs of winter will give your house a fresh beginning for the warmer months ahead and make the house and surrounds more inviting and enjoyable for you and your family and friends. Spring is a great time to do thorough cleaning because many of us have pent-up energy to expend and after being cooped up for much of winter, the energy levels are on the rise again. Spring cleaning isn't as mundane as routine cleaning because it's about making space, and clearing out things

Get outside more often. While the TV season is still well underway, timing your life by the TV timetable seems less sensible as the days begin to lengthen and the sun shines more often. Find lots of ways to spend time outdoors, including exercising, walking the dog, gardening, getting back into team sports, or simply taking regular walks to enjoy the scenery.

Smile and take time to check out what's changing around you. Listen to the birds sing, watch the birds building their nests, look out for animals beginning to have their young, and watch the plant life around you emerge, shoot ahead, and finally start to blossom. Every week brings subtle changes until suddenly it seems as if spring is in full bloom around you. Set yourself a goal of noticing all the little changes that get spring to this point.

### **March is Social Work Month**

We as a team at Hope Hospice & Palliative Care, Inc. would like to say thank you and good job to our 2 wonderful Social Workers,

Nicole Syryczuk and Missy Zuleger. You both give your all and then some.

We appreciate everything that you both do!

Keep up the good work!



# JUST A REMINDER THAT MARCH 8TH WE NEED TO PUT OUR CLOCKS AHEAD 1 HOUR



SATURDAY, MARCH 21, 2020

10 AM TO 2PM

MEDFORD AREA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

1065 W BROADWAY AVE. MEDFORD

FREE ADMISSION

BRING THE WHOLE FAMILY!

THERE'S SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE.



PALLIATIVE

ARE, INC

SERVING BEGINS AT 4:30 PM UNTIL GONE

- RAFFLES ALL EVENING
- WINNING TICKETS DRAWN @ 9:00 PM NEED NOT BE PRESENT TO WIN

Music throughout the evening

(RAFFLE PRESALES THURS, APRIL 23<sup>RD</sup> • 4:00 - 7:00 PM)

ANYONE INTERESTED IN DONATING ITEMS FOR THE BUCKET RAFFLES AT THE FISH BOIL PLEASE BRING THEM TO THE OFFICE BY APRIL 13TH. ALSO IF ANYONE IS INTERESTED IN MAKING DESSERTS OR SNACKS PLEASE LET US KNOW BY CALLING





## Please help welcome Jan Tischendorf to our Volunteer team.

## Daily Calendar Bizarre, Special and Unique Holidays March, 2020

- 1 Namesake Day
- 1 National Pig Day
- 1 Peace Corps Day
- 1 Peanut Butter Lovers' Day
- 1 World Compliment Day
- 2 Old Stuff Day
- 3 Caregiver Appreciation Day
- 3 I Want You to be Happy Day
- 3 If Pets Had Thumbs Day
- 3 National Anthem Day
- 3 Peach Blossom Day
- 4 Holy Experiment Day
- 4 Hug a GI Day
- 5 Multiple Personality Day
- 6 Employee Appreciation Day
- 6 Dentist's Day
- 6 National Frozen Food Day
- 7 National Crown Roast of Pork Day
- 8 Daylight Savings begins at 2:a.m.
- 8 Be Nasty Day
- 8 International (Working) Women's Day
- 9 Panic Day
- 10 International Find a Pay Phone Booth Day
- 10 Middle Name Pride Day
- 11 Johnny Appleseed Day
- 11 Worship of Tools Day guys, you can relate
- 12 Girl Scouts Day
- 12 Plant a Flower Day
- 13 Ear Muff Day
- 13 Jewel Day
- 14 Learn about Butterflies Day
- 14 National Potato Chip Day
- 14 National Pi Day- Why today? Because today is
  - 3.14, the value of Pi.
- 14 Popcorn Lover's Day
- 15 <u>Dumbstruck Day</u>
- 15 Everything You Think is Wrong Day
- 15 Ides of March
- 16 Everything You Do is Right Day
- 16 Freedom of Information Day
- 16 International Sports Car Racing Day
- 16 National Quilting Day

- 17 Corned Beef and Cabbage Day
- 17 Submarine Day the hero sandwich or the boat??
- 17 Saint Patrick's Day
- 18 Goddess of Fertility Day
- 18 Supreme Sacrifice Day
- 19 Poultry Day
- 19 Tea for Two Tuesday
- 20 International Earth Day
- 20 Extraterrestrial Abductions Day
- 20 Proposal Day
- 20 National Agriculture Day
- 20 Spring (Vernal) Equinox
- 21 Absolutely Incredible Kid Day
- 21 Credit Card Reduction Day
- 21 Fragrance Day
- 21 Purim begins at sundown
- 22 National Goof Off Day
- 23 Melba Toast Day
- 23 National Chip and Dip Day
- 23 National Puppy Day
- 23 Near Miss Day
- 24 National Chocolate Covered Raisin Day
- 25 Feast of the Annunciation
- 25 Pecan Day
- 25 Waffle Day
- 26 Make Up Your Own Holiday Day
- 26 National Spinach Day
- 27 National "Joe" Day
- 28 Something on a Stick Day
- 28 Weed Appreciation Day
- 29 National Mom and Pop Business Owners Day
- 29 Smoke and Mirrors Day
- 30 I am in Control Day
- 30 National Doctor's Day
- 30 Take a Walk in the Park Day
- 30 Turkey Neck Soup Day
- 31 Bunsen Burner Day
- 31 National Clam on the Half Shell Day
- 31 World Backup Day

## **MARCH 2020**



BIRTHSTONE: AQUAMARINE

FLOWER: DAFFODIL



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5 IDT 8AM	6  EMPLOYEE APPRECIATION DAY	7
SPRING FORWARD THIS STOAY	9	10	11	12	13 PAYDAY	14
15	16 BOARD MEETING 4:30 PM	17 St. Happy St. Patrick's Day!	18	19 IDT 8AM BEGIINS	20	Health & Safety Fair 10AM to 2PM
22	23	24	25	26	27 PAYDAY	28
29	30	31				

## **SOCIAL WORK MONTH**