

STANDISH VILLAGE AT LOWER MILLS

UPCOMING EVENTS

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 2

“Health is Wealth” Fair from 10:00 A.M.-
2:00 P.M. at the Tower Hill Center, One
Meadowbrook Way in Canton

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 6

Shamrock Club Luncheon at 12:00 P.M.
at the Irish Cultural Center in Canton.



WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 13

Men’s Trip to the Museum of Science
at 1:00 P.M.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 27

Halloween Party at 5:30 P.M.



SAVE THE DATE!

Family and Resident Holiday Party

Tuesday, December 14th from 5:00-8:00 P.M.

RESIDENT PROFILE



Meet one of our new residents, **Norman Holler!** Norman was born in Boston and grew up in Quincy. He recalls loving to swim in Quincy Bay. In typical fashion he fought with his four brothers growing up—and was not always the winner! Sadly, Norman lost his Dad when he was just nine years old. Despite this difficulty, Norman continued to live by one of the principles that was passed down in his family: “Succeed no matter what. The will

and the lust to succeed are what must carry you forward.”

After graduating from Quincy High School in 1962, Norman joined the Navy for “four years, two months and five days!” His tenure was spent in Alaska, The Philippines, Guam, Japan, and Hong Kong. Norman is a decorated Vietnam Veteran, having acquired the Good Conduct Medal and the Vietnam Campaign Medal. All of his brothers were in the Navy as well. After his military service, Norman spent 41 years in the data processing field working for leading companies such as Blue Cross Blue Shield and Ocean Spray. He was a pioneer in this field, where he “worked with giant IBM machines, disk drives, tape drives, and punched cards. It was the beginning of data processing that is called IT today.” Norman left Ocean Spray as a Security Analyst responsible for maintaining all of the computers.

Norman loves movies. Some of his favorites are *One Flew Over the Cuckoo’s Nest*, *Platoon*, and *Apocalypse Now*.

We wish Norman all the best as he makes new friends at Standish. He has already offered to join the Dietary Committee to ensure that the dining experience for residents remains very enjoyable. Most likely he will soon be helping Social Program Director **Lauren Scherer** choose the movies the residents head out to see!



LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD



Kay McNerney, a member of our Compass Memory Support Neighborhood, was born and raised in South Boston. She has two children, **Anne Marie** and **Jackie**, who visit often. Kay also has eight grandchildren! Kay worked at Brecks and in the offices of Stop & Shop. Kay enjoys being social and playing cards, and she is also quite a dancer.

She will teach you the Cha Cha and the Jitterbug if you're willing!

Kay is an active member of our community, participating in many of the activities we offer. Congratulations, Kay! And Happy Birthday on October 5th!



DOGGIE BAGS



Residents of our Compass Memory Support Neighborhood recently made doggie bags for the Brockton Blue Dog Shelter.



*Top: **Mazie Fernandes** and **Marion Lorogeree** decorate doggie bags; bottom: the group is extremely focused on the task at hand!*

FAMILY FUN DAY



*Clockwise, from top left: Executive Director **Jean Patel Bushnell** gets dunked; **Jean Vitt's** family entertained*

*all of the residents, associates, and children; Resident Care Directors **Marilyn Connolly** and **Susie Seitzman** and Memory Support Program Director **Brooke Patterson** are proud to show off their shirts; everyone loved singing along with **Nick Latte**.*

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