



POCASSET POST

March 2009



Welcome, New Residents!



L to R: Everett Gallego, Lorraine Lauzon & Gladys Oskey



You're invited to our

MARCH SPECIAL EVENTS!

THURSDAY,
3/12



THE VICTROLA SOCIETY
PRESENTS "A SPRING AFFAIR"
AT 2:30 P.M.

MONDAY,
3/16



BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND,
SONNAY FIDDLERS WILL OFFER
"JIGS AND REELS" AT 3:00 P.M.

TUESDAY,
3/17



"IRISH FOR A DAY!" JOIN US
FOR A THEME DAY THAT WILL
INCLUDE DRESS, FOOD AND
MUSIC! FRANK NOONAN WILL
COMPLETE THE DAY WITH AN
HOUR OF MUSIC AT 7:00 P.M.

FRIDAY,
3/27



LEARN HOW TO **CROCHET**
EASTER EGGS WITH
INDEPENDENT RESIDENT BRIDIE
FALLON AT 7:00 P.M. (BRIDIE
ALSO LEADS A KNITTING GROUP
EACH WEDNESDAY AT 7:00 P.M.)

Margery "Marge" Brown was born and raised in Gardner, Massachusetts. Following her high school graduation, she was employed at Gardner Electric Company where she worked until her marriage to Kenneth Brown.



Marge says, "This place is great; it is relaxing when you deserve it, and stimulating when you need it!"

Marge and Kenneth had three of their four children while living in Gardner and with the transfer of Kenneth's job, the family moved to Pittsfield. They had a fourth child and raised them all in Pittsfield. When Kenneth retired, he fulfilled his dream of moving to Cape Cod. Marge has always kept herself busy with crafts, knitting, exercise, and volunteering at her Methodist Church. Today, she is often seen enjoying her children, four grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

On occasion she flies on her son's airplane and in the summer she enjoys the open seas on Cape Cod on her other son's boat! Marge starts each day with a coffee social with a few lady friends. Her outgoing manner and warm smile draw people to her.

RESIDENT PROFILE



Mitchell Turns One!

Right: Resident Vivian Dehecchio holds CNA Michelle Kirkland's son, Mitchell, who turned one on February 3rd. Mitchell is our first CCSR baby. My, how quickly a year flies by!





Happy March Birthday!

<i>Yvonne Brodil</i>	18th
<i>Kate Tufts</i>	18th
<i>Lena Carlman</i>	23rd
<i>Josephine Gulotta</i>	29th
<i>Phyllis Riley</i>	30th

CNA **Caroline Bergamini** was born and raised right here on good ol' Cape Cod. After graduating from Lawrence High School in Falmouth, she was unsure of what she wanted in life and found herself working various jobs, trying to find her niche. In the late 1970's she began working in the office for Pepsi-Cola and soon met her husband. They married in 1980 and had a son and a daughter. In 1982, Caroline's mother turned their family home into a retirement home, and Caroline finally found her calling when she decided to help her mother out by working there. She got certified as a CNA in 1992 and has been working with seniors since!



At age 55, Caroline decided to take some classes at the Community

STAFF PROFILE

College, surprising herself that she did quite well although she says she can't remember a thing she learned!

Caroline's daughter got married last August, and has taken on a mother role with her husband's two young sons. Caroline and her husband have thus become instant grandparents, a title they love! When not busy with work, Caroline enjoys spending time with her family, walking her dog, playing with her two cats, and reading.



CCSR Inaugural Ball



A Presidential "Inaugural Ball" was organized by Independent Residents **Anna Mae Cecelio** and **Bridie Fallon**. The evening consisted of music, refreshments, dancing, and a "toast to change," as well as a guest appearance from Barack Obama! Above, left: **Bridie Fallon** and **Richard Landry** with the president; right: **Anna Mae Cecelio**, **Bridie Fallon** and **Sonny LeMaire** pop a cork and start the festivities.

March 2009 is

National Social Workers Month

People who become social workers recognize that there are many different paths where a social work degree might lead. CCSR's **Liz Gossington** became a social worker in 1990 and her career has always focused on the geriatric population. She has worked in an assisted living facility, hospitals, nursing homes, and in various communities in both Massachusetts and Florida. Liz wanted a purpose-based career and has always felt that by advocating for the elder population she has attained her professional goals. Liz enjoys being the voice of so many elders who feel they do not have one. We are fortunate at CCSR to have a knowledgeable, dedicated, and outgoing social worker!



Be My Valentine!



Members of the Bourne High School Honor Society helped our residents make valentine cards a few days before the holiday!

