



NOVEMBER 2024

## COFFEE SOCIAL WITH OUR POLICE OFFICERS

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR  
Christie Ashby

RESIDENT SERVICES  
DIRECTOR  
MaryBeth Melancon

CNA SUPERVISOR  
Sandra Thomas

BUSINESS OFFICE  
DIRECTOR  
Amy Breau

FOOD SERVICES  
DIRECTOR  
Jessica Navarre

LIFE ENRICHMENT  
DIRECTORS  
Maria Young  
Bethany Comeaux

We would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to our dedicated police department for joining our Coffee Social event. This gathering provided a wonderful opportunity for residents and officers to connect and engage in meaningful conversations. Thanks to all who made this possible!



## EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH



**Markasha  
Phillips**

As a dedicated resident attendant, Markasha has been with us for a year and brings a friendly, positive energy to our community. She has made a lasting impression on our residents, who truly appreciate her warmth and commitment. We are grateful for your hard work and dedication, Markasha! Congratulations on earning Employee of the Month!

## RESIDENT OF THE MONTH



**Ms. Donna Stansbury**

Having been with us for nearly five months, Donna brings joy and warmth to our community. Her vibrant spirit shines through in everything she does. Before joining us, she enjoyed a fulfilling career with the postal service, where she dedicated many years of service. We're grateful to have her with us! Congratulations on being named Resident of the Month!

## *Celebrating Birthdays and Anniversaries*

### **Resident Birthdays**

Prigeon F. 11/23

### **Resident Move-In Anniversaries**

Alice C.	11/10	1 year
Helen L.	11/14	4 years
Frances W.	11/30	4 years

### **Employee Birthdays**

MaryBeth Melancon	11/03
Steve Comeaux	11/06
Maria Young	11/16
Shondrika Etienne	11/20
Daranisha Milson	11/21

### **Employee Work Anniversaries**

Clovis Thomas	11/08	1 year
Ava Breau	11/30	1 year



## HAPPY BOSS'S DAY, MRS. CHRISTIE!



Boss's Day, celebrated on October 16th, is not just a day to acknowledge our supervisors; it's a reminder of the vital role they play in our professional lives. Great leaders inspire us, help us grow, and create a thriving workplace.

As our leader, Mrs. Christie's dedication to residents, families, and employees truly goes the extra mile. From balancing budgets to being the go-to person for countless team members, Christie is always on the move, ensuring everything runs smoothly. Thank you, Mrs. Christie, for being such a fantastic leader and for all that you do!

We appreciate you more than words can express!

## CELEBRATING INDIGENOUS PEOPLE

In honor of Indigenous People's Day, we were honored to have a local Lipan Apache Tribe visit to share their beautiful culture and dances with our residents! Thank you to Chief kugr Goodbear and fellow tribal members from the Canneci Tinnè Tribe for coming. Everyone was so excited and enjoyed every minute of your visit!



## OUR MISSION

Our mission is to operate and manage the highest level of quality independent and assisted living communities, providing superior service and unmatched value where residents and their family members are shown compassion, understanding, respect, dignity and caring support, and team members feel a sense of belonging.



An Independent and Assisted Living Community

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### REMINDERS:

- If you have any family or friends that would like to receive a monthly newsletter and calendar, please let us know. If you wish to view the newsletter and calendar online, please visit our website at [www.acadianatsouthwind.com](http://www.acadianatsouthwind.com).
- During inclement weather, Wal-Mart trips will be canceled.
- The covered driveway is for picking up and dropping off only. Please DO NOT leave your vehicle unattended at any time. Emergency vehicles need access to this fire lane at all times. Thank you for your cooperation.
- Any resident in need of transportation for doctor's appointments, please give your information to the Activity Department a MINIMUM OF **ONE WEEK** before the appointment. Additional charges may apply with less than a one week notice.
- The Acadian would like to remind guests that smoking is prohibited on the front porch and we ask that you please kindly discard cigarette butts in a safe manner and not on the ground. Thank you for your cooperation.

### ABOUT US

The Acadian is a continuing care retirement community designed to provide a healthy, secure living environment; quality apartment housing with thoughtful amenities; and individual care programs designed for the senior and their families. Our living arrangements will allow you to maintain as independent a lifestyle as possible. We are convenient to shopping, medical providers, and all community services.