



### Celebrate October

- October brings us Columbus Day and Halloween.
- October's birthstone is the opal.
- October's flower is the calendula

Resident birthdys: Dee Zehner (10/17), Susan Rice (10/26)

BFM birthdays: Meagan Hurlock (10/6)



### Always Something Fun Happening At Wabash . . . Just for Fun

The Resident Council will meet on Tuesday, October 2, at 10 am.

The Food Council will meet on Tuesday, October 2, at 3:30 pm.

Trick or Treating on October 31 from 6:30 to 7:30 pm.

In August we celebrated Hollywood Day. You can see some of our stars below. In September we celebrated National Assisted Living Week by, among other things, creating a Bickford yearbook. We had a lot of fun.



For Halloween we dressed up as almonds. Everyone could tell we were nuts.

Q: What does a skeleton orders at a restaurant?  
A: Spare ribs.

Q: What is a vampires favourite type of ship?  
A: A blood vessel.

Q: Where does Dracula keep his valuables?  
A: In a blood bank.

Q: What kind of key opens a casket?  
A: A skeleton key.

Q: Why do demons and ghouls hang out together?  
A: Because demons are a ghouls best friend!

Q: What do you call a witch's garage?  
A: A broom closet.

Q: Know why skeletons are so calm?  
A: Because nothing gets under their skin.

Q: Why did the vampire need mouthwash?  
A: Because he had bad breath.

### Outstanding October

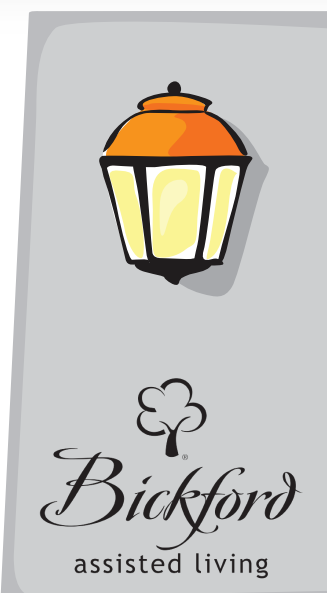
It's difficult to think of October without thinking about Halloween. The word Halloween comes from "hallowed evening." It's believed that many of our Halloween traditions come from Celtic harvest festivals. Traditional Halloween activities include trick-or-treating, costume parties, carving pumpkins into jack-o'-lanterns, lighting bonfires, bobbing for apples, playing pranks, and telling scary stories.

community to trick-or-treat with us. We are also planning a Halloween party in the afternoon. Many of the Bickford Family Members will dress up. We'll have fun treats. We may even tell a scary story or two. We hope you will make plans to join us. The more the merrier.

Of course, you know you are always welcome to visit us at Bickford of Wabash. We enjoy seeing you whether you arrive in costume or not.

At Bickford of Wabash we will be inviting children from the

Happy Halloween!



# October



10:30a Manicures  
2:30p Make & Eat  
Apple Monsters  
4p Book Club  
6:45p Game Time  
Residents' Choice  
6p Music w/Carl Sparks

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10a Resident Council  
10:30a Games w/Linda  
2:30p Relaxing w/Piano  
3:30p Food Council

2

10:30a Bible Study in  
the Family Room  
2:30p Spider Toss  
4p Indoor Horseshoes  
6:45p Game Time  
Residents' Choice

3

10:30a Fun with Linda  
1:30p Afternoon Fun  
2:30p Craft Corner  
w/Rescue Resort  
4p Book Club

4

9:30a Pet Therapy  
10:30a Happy Feet  
1p Bingo w/Students  
2:30p What's in the  
Balloon  
3:15p Mystery Tale  
4p Puzzles  
6:45p Game Time  
Residents' Choice

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1p Movie Matinee  
4p Game Time

6

11a Balloon Bop  
1:30p Puzzle Time  
2:15 High Tea  
3:30p Church Service

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**Columbus Day**  
10:30a Manicures  
2:30p Hangman  
3:15p Spooky Tales  
4p Book Club  
6:45p Game Time  
Residents' Choice

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10:30a Games w/Linda  
2:30p Relaxing w/Piano

9

10:30a Bible Study in  
the Family Room  
2:30p Betty Smith The  
Giving Tree  
4p Indoor Horseshoes  
6:45p Game Time  
Residents' Choice

10

10:30a Fun with Linda  
1:30p Afternoon Fun  
2:30p Craft Corner  
w/Rescue Resort  
4p Book Club

11

**Family History Day**  
10:30a Games w/Linda  
2:30p Lima Bean  
Auction  
4p Puzzles  
6:45p Game Time  
Residents' Choice

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1p Movie Matinee  
4p Game Time

13

11a Balloon Bop  
1:30p Puzzle Time  
2:15 High Tea  
3:30p Church Service

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10:30a Manicures  
2:30p Make & Eat  
Banana Caterpillars  
4p Book Club  
6:45p Game Time  
Residents' Choice

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10:30a Games w/Linda  
2:30p Relaxing w/Piano

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10:30a Bible Study in  
the Family Room  
2:30p Pumpkin Toss  
4p Indoor Horseshoes  
6:45p Game Time  
Residents' Choice

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10:30a Fun with Linda  
1:30p Afternoon Fun  
2:30p Craft Corner  
w/Rescue Resort

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9:30a Pet Therapy  
10:30a Happy Feet  
1p Bingo w/Students  
2:30p Make & Eat  
Halloween Trail Mix  
4p Puzzles  
6p Music w/The Rosses

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1p Movie Matinee  
4p Game Time

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11a Balloon Bop  
1:30p Puzzle Time  
2:15 High Tea  
3:30p Church Service

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10:30a Manicures  
2:30p Spooky Bingo  
6:45p Game Time  
Residents' Choice

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10:30a Games w/Linda  
2:30p Relaxing w/Piano

23

10:30a Bible Study in  
the Family Room  
2:30p Fall Coloring  
Pages  
4p Indoor Horseshoes  
6:45p Game Time  
Residents' Choice

24

10:30a Fun with Linda  
1:30p Afternoon Fun  
2:30p Craft Corner  
w/Rescue Resort

25

10:30a Games w/Linda  
2:30p Taste Testing  
w/Rae  
3:15p Rainy Tale  
4p Puzzles  
6:45p Game Time  
Residents' Choice

26

1p Movie Matinee  
4p Game Time

27

11a Balloon Bop  
1:30p Puzzle Time  
2:15 High Tea  
3:30p Church Service

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10:30a Manicures  
4p Book Club  
2:30p Bingo Store  
3:15p Pet Rain Clouds  
6:45p Game Time  
Residents' Choice

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10:30a Games w/Linda  
2:30p Relaxing w/Piano  
6p Music w/David Gray

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**Halloween**  
10:30a Bible Study in  
the Family Room  
2:30p Halloween Party  
4p Indoor Horseshoes  
6:30p Trick or Treat

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