

## Relax and enjoy the Dog Day's of Summer

#### Attention All Residents

Due to this hot weather it is really important to keep **Hydrated** by drinking water and keeping the air conditioning on in your rooms. It may not appear warm in your rooms but the humidity is very hard on you physically. So please, keep the air on to keep your room comfortable. BFM's will assist you if necessary.



# Bickford Happynings

Happy Birthday, enjoy your

Friends Birthdays 8-3 Bill Schipani 8-27 Carol Brandys

## BFM's Birthdays

8-10 Mary Vahst 8-22Fredericka White 8-24 Sophie Stefoski 8-27 Deborah Sidney

Growing old is not easy. Please have a little patience with others. God test our patience!

Life is ten percent what you make it and ninety percent how you take it!

day if you were born from July 23-August 22, you are a Leo, the lion. If you were born from August 23-September 22, you are a Virgo, the virgin. Leo is the most extroverted sign in the zodiac. They are ambitious, selfconfident, and born leaders who thrive when faced with adversity. Virgos are logical, conscientious, hard-workers who value stability and are always ready to offer a helping hand.

# Food for Thought

## Entertainment in the Bistro

8/6 2pm Jerry Vernon celebrates our for our western theme dinner 8/14 2pm Paul Vogrin entertains 8/22 2pm Sid evens on the Keyboard/singa-long 8/29 2pm Fred Walker entertains for Labor Day

'Work like you don't need the money. Sing like no one is listening. Dance like no one is watching because life is not measured by the number of breaths we take, but by the moments that take our breath away.

### **AUGUST IS FOOT CARE MONTH**

### FOR ALL FEET

- Wash your feet daily. Rinse off all soap and dry thoroughly, especially between the toes.
- Do not trim, shave, or use over-the-counter medicines to dissolve corns or calluses.
- Wear clean stockings or socks, changing daily. Don't wear any that are too short or too tight.
- Wear shoes that fit.

### OR FEET THAT SWEAT

- Wear shoes made of leather or canvas - not synthetics.
- Switch shoes from day to day.
- Use foot powder.
- See your doctor if severe problems persist



# Welcome to Bickford of CP

Making the Emotional Transition when moving to your New Residency

Moving is hard. It can make anyone feel overwhelmed and stressed. However, these feelings are generally temporary and disappear after you establish your own routine. "Give it time and you will adjust," said one resident. In talking with other residents, you will find many of them felt the same way. Some residents found comfort in talking with clergy. Others found comfort in talking to a neighbor or close friend. Residents say the best strategy is to stay busy,

introduce yourself to other residents, and participate in the activities. It is normal to have a tendency to stay in your

apartment at first.

Yet, getting out and meeting other residents as well as participating in activities were repeatedly identified as the quickest ways to become comfortable with your new surroundings.













