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Well I am going to say it...... The Groundhog didn't do us any favors, but really for Iowa, this has not been a bad winter at all... there I said it... Spring starts on March 20th... What can happen in 20 days or so...... With Spring just around the corner, are you ready to have some fun? Grand Haven offers so many activities to choose from, and with our bus, it is limitless what we can do. I personally can not wait to get the grill back out and all warmed up again to start our monthly cookouts again! Who is betting how many ducks we will have this year?

February was a busy month for us at Grand Haven as we celebrated Mardi Gras on Fat Tuesday, and enjoyed the delicious cake that our kitchen made for us. March is going to be fun celebrating St. Patrick's Day. Did you know that St. Patrick Blue was the original color associated with St. Patrick? I am not sure if drinking blue beer would be any better than drinking green beer, but the green goes with the green grass that we are about to enjoy as spring gets here.

In closing we are surrounded by wonderful kind people that work and reside here. They never fail to brighten our day, make us laugh, and make our community whole. Make it a point to make a difference in the lives of the people you see daily.





Mardi Gras King & Queen Bob & Sue

Happy St. Patrick's Day!

+ Senior on Spotlight +

Terri Lynne Hospodarsky Passig Shelton grew up on a farm just South of DeWitt. They had crops, cattle and hogs and grew a huge garden every ear. Terri had 3 sisters growing up: Barb, Karen and Vicki (deceased). Terri remembers her favorite memories growing

up were swinging on her tree swing, having slumber parties with her friends and playing games. Terri attended a country school until 2nd grade and then attended DeWitt Central Schools for the rest of her schooling.

Terri met her husband at high school. Terri's husband was a farmer with his family until he was drafted into the Army. With her husband away Terri sold Avon. Terri and her husband lived in Columbus, Georgia at Fort Benning for 9 months. Terri was pregnant when her husband was sent to Vietnam and had her daughter Kelli while he was away. Sadly, her husband was killed during his tour. Terri then remarried and had another daughter Carri. Terri recalls family trips to Council Bluffs and Cedar Rapids every year to visit relatives, attending many car shows (they had a 68 Chevette convertible) and also Aladin Lamp shows every year.

Terri has 6 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren. Terri enjoys watching them grow and visiting them as much as possible. Her grandchildren love computer, playing outside, sports and just being with the family.

Terri loves being at Grand Haven. She enjoys the staff, visiting with friends, entertainment, playing cards, reading, football and games. She loves feeling safe and cared for.



Staff Anniversaries

1 year **Lindy McGranahan Stephanie Garcia Karly Schorrenberg** 3 years **Lisa Collins** 6 years **Grace Hansel**









March Birthdays





11th 11th 14th 15th 20th

22nd















