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#### Resident of the Month: Willis Gourlay

Willis and his wife Dodie (who passed away 2  $\frac{1}{2}$  years ago) were married for 65 years. A family-oriented man, he and his wife raised two children and were blessed with 7 grandchildren and 7 greatgrandchildren.

Willis graduated in 1950 from University of Toronto and went on to pursue a career in Forestry. He was in charge of all crown land in the province and retired 35 years ago.

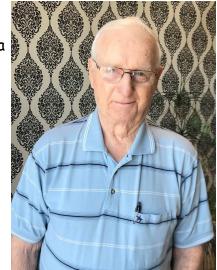
Always active, Willis used his new-found freedom to pursue a life-time passion, genealogy. As past President and continuing member of the Historical Society, Willis was instrumental in publishing a book many years ago about families in the surrounding counties. He has visited most cemeteries, transcribing records and always looking for that missing link in his own family tree and helping others to find their lost ancestors.

Willis also enjoys gardening, wood working, lawn bowling, curling and reading - especial-

ly interested in anything related to WWII.

A member of the Legion for over 65 years, Willis is also a member of Kinburn Seniors Club and has managed to attend most of his "Radar" reunions in Ontario, and also East and West Coast.

Willis, a recent addition to our Orchard View family, has been getting a lot of enjoyment sharing his story about his years in the forestry industry with an Almonte High School student who visits with him weekly.



#### Laugh out Loud at Orchard View

Be decisive. Right or wrong, make a decision. The road of life is paved with flat squirrels who couldn't make a decision.



Life is short. Smile while you still have teeth.

#### June is Senior's Month

We have filled June with many events and activities for our residents.

From comedy night with Sage Age, a trip to the racetrack and casino, it wouldn't be summer without a teddy bear picnic. This year's theme is trying something new. So for us we will be testing our rhythm with Zumba dancing. We will also be hosting a special Senior's BBQ for all seniors in our community to come for the day. June is senior's month and we can't wait to create lasting memories! For more information please contact Michael, Recreation Director at 613-963-5000 or at ownrecreation@ovlc.com

SENIORS MAKING A DIFFERENCE



#### Introducing The Towns by Orchard View by the Mississippi



We are all very excited that construction has started on the soon to be available 32 new homes for Independent Seniors in the Almonte area.

Each Town Home will be 1,500sq. ft. have a garage, kitchen, 1 1/2 bath, bedroom & den, laundry, indoor & outdoor living space and more!

For more information please contact Julie at 613-963-5000 or ovmmarketing@ovlc.com

# Keep on Smiling











We have been so lucky to have an incredible group of youth come in every week to, spend time, learn and even teach our residents.

The smiles say it all.





Thank you Almonte
District High School
Civics class and teachers for making the
effort and bettering
our community.

















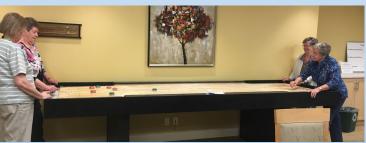












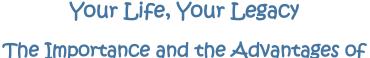
#### Testimonial - Catherine Renwick - Family Member

Orchard View staff members are friendly, caring and take time to listen. We work together to support my father's health and safety. I really appreciate the communication between Orchard View staff and our family - it's responsive and practical.

#### Employee of the Month - Ian Lanouette

Ian is now a part of our Employee of the Month group. He has been with OVM for a short amount of time, however he has made such an impact throughout the building. Should you have a question, problem or concern, Ian will go above and beyond to help. His work is meticulous and he is a friend to all residents. We are so happy to have Ian a part of the OVM family. Congratulations Ian and keep up the great work!

### School of Support at OVM





Planning your Funeral in Advance

June 12th at 7:00pm in the Theatre/

Chapel

A hard topic, however it's important to prepare our loved ones for one of life's most difficult days. Like preparing a will, planning your funeral in advance is more about protecting our loved ones than it is about planning a funeral.

Don from First Memorial Funeral Services will be here to outline their services and answer your questions.

#### Special Activities / Events

Comedy Night with Sage Age

Election Day - Polling Station

The Hub Pop Up Shop

Teddy Bear Picnic

Zumba-Seniors Dance

Father's Day Brunch

Seniors BBQ

#### Residents in Action

Joanna's Book Picks

Chat with Pat

Bingo with Joanna

Open Art with Audrey

Orchard View Chorus with Barb

French Conversations with Helen

Lyrically Speaking with Beryl

#### Musical Entertainment

June 8th ~ Arlene Quinn

June 29th ~ Vintage Fiddlers

#### Amenities & Services

24-Hour Nursing Staff

Chapel Services

Wellness Centre—Physiotherapy

**Emergency Response System** 

Esthetician

Foot Care Nurse

Full Service Dining Room

Hearing Aid Clinic

Hair Salon

Library

House Physician

Snack and Beverage Bistro

Wheelchair Accessible Bus

Pool & Shuffleboard Table

Bus Trips and Shopping Trips

Tuck Shop

#### Regular Activities

Mind Body

Game of Euchre & Bridge Fitness Classes

Puzzle Corner Walking Club

Bingo Game of Darts

Scrabble Game of Pool

Chat with Pat Gardening



Soul

Movie Nights Orchard View Chorus

Entertainment with Religious Services

Joe Princiotta Chair Yoga

### Hope to see you at our upcoming events

## Father's Day BBQ

Sunday June 17th

Enjoy Father's Day with your family at Orchard View by the Mississippi.

Backyard BBQ (weather permitting) will be on the patio outside the Main Dining Room

Please RSVP 613-963-5000

## More upcoming events include:

Welcoming the Animals ~ June 1st

Comedy Night with Sage Age ~ June 5th

Father's Day Brunch ~ June 17th

Canada Summer Olympics ~ July 2nd

Strawberry Social ~ July 12th

Country Harvest ~ August 30th

See you then!