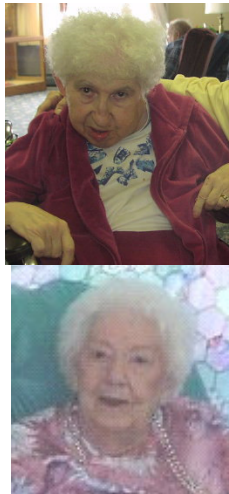


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Happy Birthday to you!

Doris (photo on far left) holds up the Birthday sign for all this month's birthdays! Elmira (top photo) on Sept. 7; Doris on Sept. 15; Liberty (making cookies below) Sept. 20; and Dorothy (bottom at left) will celebrate on Sept. 29.

Want to try something new? We made chocolate (Sharon and Lucille, at right, didn't mind that at all!), but our kitchen made them in lemon and peanut butter, too. We've put the recipe on the back of the newsletter, so if you come up with a winning combination, please let us know! We may give your fa-



As you can see, it's always a full house when Cowboy Jim comes to play and sing for us. Megan (below) gets to play with Cowboy Jim's horses. He never fails to surprise us.

Watch our calendar for his next visit, please join us!



Community Coffee Special Guests

At the Sept. 14 Community Coffee, our special guests will introduce you to the hospice options for Pocahontas County. Join us at 10:00 am and learn ways to make those hard decisions with confidence.

August means it's time to clean corn!

Thanks to Ray, Charissa and the other who brought us the sweet corn to eat. We didn't even mind cleaning the husks off the cob. It's not so bad when we can leave the mess outside.



Community Coffee will be Monday, September 14 at 10:00 am. Please join us!



SNEAK PEEK! Audrey Peterson has been crocheting up a storm. We've loved having Marge Spear come to help us crochet towel tops for the bazaar. Thanks, Marge!

Josh Hammen brought the Pocahontas County Sheriff K-9 dog, Rainey for a visit. She's a beautiful dog, quite learned in the Dutch language, we found out.



Rainey shows us in the photo above just what she can do to stop the "bad guy." She wouldn't let go! We were glad we were the "good guys!"



Staff Birthdays- Jody, Sept. 1; Lucille, Sept. 6; Caroline, Sept. 9; Sharon F., Sept. 14. **Staff Anniversaries-** Celeste, 18 years; Ann, 5 years; Belinda, 3 years; Charissa and Phil, 1 year. **Welcome New Employees:** Sherri Hall, Sarah Casey, Jazzmin Hall and Denise Koob

Thank you Housekeeping Staff Sept. 13-19 is Nat'l Healthcare Housekeeping Week!

Lemon Cream Cheese Cookies (makes 36 cookies)
 1 (8 oz) package cream cheese
 1/4 c butter
 18 oz package lemon cake mix
 1/4 tsp vanilla
 1 egg
 Pre-heat oven to 375. Beat cream cheese and butter until light and fluffy. Mix in 1/2 of the cake mix, the egg and the vanilla until smooth. Stir in remaining cake mix. Drop by teaspoons. on ungreased cookie sheet. Bake 8-10 minutes.