

April 2024

# BRILLION WEST HAVEN

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## Celebrating April

Inspiration with Brenda

*April 2, 9:30*

Voices of Peace

*April 4, 9:30*

Tom Kees

*April 9, 1:30*

Catholic Mass

*April 11, 2:00*

Inspiration with Brenda

*April 16, 9:30*

Brillion Nature Center

*April 18, 12:30*

Music with Steve Thuss

*April 22, 1:30*

Bingo Bucks Store

*April 23, 2:00-3:00*

Wayside Singers

*April 24, 9:30*

Music with Tom Eppener

*April 25, 1:30*

Mission Karaoke

*April 29, 1:30-3:00*

Inspiration with Brenda

*April 30, 9:30*

## RESIDENT OF THE MONTH **ELAINE KRUEGER**

Elaine Tetzlaff grew up on a large dairy farm in De Pere. She never milked cows -- she was her mother's helper, and she owes her cooking skills to her mother. Elaine was the oldest of ten children (four girls and six boys), living in a busy house.

She married Paul Krueger on June 23, 1956, when they were just 20 and 22 years old. Elaine and Paul built their lovely home on Apple Creek, north of Kaukauna, and lived there 41 years.

Elaine was a stay-at-home mom of four children (three girls and one boy). As the children got in high school, Elaine would take crafting/house decorating classes at the Tech. She then worked for Sears and managed their custom window/furniture/carpeting store for 17 years.

When the kids were young, they were given camping equipment in order to take their children camping. That led to many camping trips, owning their own tent, camper, and eventually two motorhomes. Paul got the chance to retire early, so they jumped in their motorhome and traveled the US, spending three months in Alaska. They also traveled to Hawaii, Germany, and Switzerland.

While shopping for their forever home, the Kruegers were directed here, to Brillion West Haven, by their niece, whose mother-in-law also lives here. They checked our facility out, and the rest is history! Elaine likes the activities here, especially Craft Day.



## EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH **BROOKE PRITZL**

Brooke started working as a caregiver for Assisted Living by Hillcrest in October, 2023. We are fortunate to have her here, at Brillion West Haven, where she loves listening to our residents.

She is from Two Rivers, and she has three children: Braelyn (9), Brinleigh (4), and Beckham (3). She loves to be outside with her kids, going to parks, going to zoos, hiking at State parks, or just playing in the yard.

Brooke does not watch sports, but she does love Mexican food. Among her favorite is tacos and margaritas.

In ten years, Brooke sees herself having a degree in nursing and working in a hospital. She does not travel much, but when she does, she would like it to be somewhere warm.

When she wins the lottery, Brooke will adopt all of the animals at the humane society, and she will have to buy a bigger house.

Hello  
April



## Happy Birthday!

*Don't forget to wish the following a happy birthday.*

**FAYE HUCHRO**  
*April 8*

**MARY ANN SCHUMACHER**  
*April 10*

## ORANGE FLUFF SALAD



### Ingredients

1 cup sour cream  
1 package (3 ounces) lemon gelatin  
2 cans (11 ounces each) mandarin oranges, drained  
1 can (21 ounces) pineapple tidbits, drained  
1 carton (8 ounces) frozen whipped topping, thawed  
Pastel miniature marshmallows, optional

### Directions

Place sour cream in a large bowl. Sprinkle with gelatin and stir until blended. Fold in the oranges, pineapple and whipped topping. Sprinkle with marshmallows if desired.