



## September 2024

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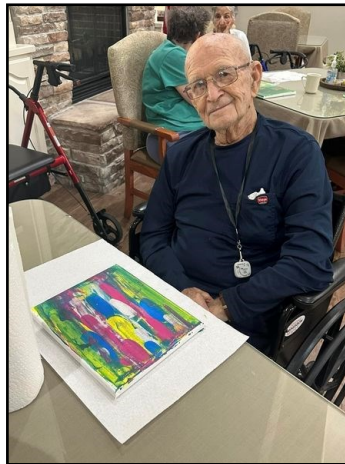
**Dietary Manager**  
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**Activity Director**  
Lexi Harrington

**RA Supervisor**  
Brittany Menard

### GETTING ARTSY

This month, our residents got crafty and embraced their inner Jackson Pollock. They thoroughly enjoyed trying their hand at abstract painting, and their art turned out just as vibrant as their smiles.



*“Abstract art was the equivalent of poetic expression; I didn’t need to use words, but colors and lines. I didn’t need to belong to a language-oriented culture but to an open form of expression.”*

— Etel Adnan

## EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH

### Winter Knott Resident Assistant

Winter is a resident assistant here at the Vermilion. She is always ready to brighten our residents' days with her infectious smile! Thank you for all you do for our residents, and congratulations on being selected as our September Employee of the Month!



## RESIDENT OF THE MONTH

### Buddy Hebert

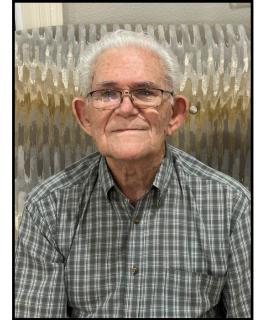
Mr. Buddy was born in November of 1936 to his parents Mr. Emile "Milo" and Mrs. Avia "Tootsie" Hebert in Abbeville, Louisiana. He is the middle child of three children.

He was married to his late wife Gloria Desormeaux for 66 years and together they have 6 children, whom he loves very much.

Mr. Buddy worked as an HVAC technician for the Vermilion Parish School Board for over 25 years. Previously, some of Mr. Buddy's favorite activities included traveling with his wife and going out dancing. Mr. Buddy currently enjoys listening to music, playing bingo, and spending time with his children and grandchildren any chance he gets!

His advice to the younger generation is to always be kind to everyone.

Congratulations on being selected as our September Resident of the Month!



## Celebrating Birthdays and Anniversaries

### Resident Birthdays

Alma M.	9/5
Connie B.	9/8
Perchis C.	9/8
Vernis T.	9/9
Claudette C.	9/13
Kay T.	9/21
Gloria C.	9/30

### Employee Birthdays

Laura Jolly, Cook	9/4
Brittany Menard, RA Supervisor	9/15

### Resident Move-in Anniversaries

John C.	9/2, 5 years
Rebecca H.	9/23, 2 years

### Employee Anniversaries

Shae Theall	9/18, 1 year
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## GO BOBCATS!

Thank you, Erath Bobcats, for visiting our residents. Best of luck this year from The Vermilion! We're cheering you on!





## JOY RIDE

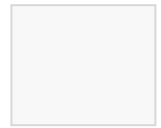
For this month's joy ride, our residents voted for a trip to Church Point to visit The Little Cajun Saint, Charlene Richard. Servant of God Charlene Richard was 12 year-old Catholic girl from Acadiana who offered her suffering to God after being diagnosed with leukemia. The residents spent time visiting and asking for her intercession. It was a very special joy ride for our crew!



## EATING GOOD!

Our day out and about wouldn't be complete without a trip for lunch. We returned once again to our residents' favorite: SHUCKS! The food was good and the company was even better.





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## The Vermilion

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### Reminders and Announcements

- All monthly rent is due by the 5th of each month.
- Transportation for doctor appointments occurring after 2:30 pm will incur an additional fee.
- Newspapers are to be distributed by staff only.
- The covered area is for drop-off and pick-up only.

### Our Philosophy

Our philosophy is based on the definition of Assisted Living - To foster independence for each resident, treat each resident with dignity and respect, promote individuality, allow each resident choice of care and lifestyle, and protect each resident's right to privacy.

### Our Mission

Our mission is to operate and manage the highest level of quality independent and assisted living communities, providing superior service and unmatched value where residents and their family members are shown compassion, understanding, respect, dignity and caring support, and team members feel a sense of belonging.