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It's a new year and we have big plans! There is much work ahead of us as we prepare to break ground for a new health center and memory support building. Yet even as we dedicate time to campus changes, we continue to put philanthropic dollars to work to meet our mission of serving local seniors. Our mission is always at the heart of what we do. Generous gifts made a difference in 2016: six team members received Employee Scholarships to pursue further education; over \$400,000 in charitable subsidy supported residents in financial need, we taught 360 Senior University classes, we held 1,917 Wellness classes, we funded over a dozen special projects on campus, and the Point Defiance Ruston Senior Center received operating and special projects funding. Philanthropy matters! Your gifts help us touch many lives as we served over 3,000 local seniors in 2016. Thank you and here's to 2017!

Your Dollars at Work

Following the generous donation of a DVD player, Life Enrichment team members came up with a creative way to use it to best benefit our Health Continued on page 3

WELCOME TO FRANKE TOBEY JONES

Bobby Brown, Al Chaffee, John and Lea Hamilton, Albert Justice, Marily and William Keebler, Daniel Kerr,

Donor Spotlight Judy Sloan

Judy Sloan spent her career in the medical field retiring after 35 years as a family practice provider. Her work history and resume are very impressive. When Judy started graduate school she worked as a volunteer fire fighter for five years. She used her nursing skills on many aid calls and is proud to have been the first women fire fighter in University Place. Yes, she did go into a burning building.

Judy's father, Judge Bertil Johnson, became our resident at the age of 95 and

enjoyed living at FTJ until passing at the age of 101. Continued on back page



Save the Date!



Please join us for the 8th Annual Senior **Prom!** It will be held Saturday, April 8th at the McGavick Conference Center in Lakewood from 6:00 – 9:00 p.m. for anyone age 55 and better. Welcomed back is the wonderful 'Route 66', a 16 piece big band! Dress

up or down, have your Prom photo taken and enjoy light refreshments. Tickets are \$5 each and can be purchased on line atwww.FrankeTobeyJones.com, in person at Franke Tobey Jones or at the door the night of the dance.

IN MEMORY

We will miss these dear residents who have passed away.

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Beat the Winter Blues with Wellness

If you are looking to beat the winter blues and stay active, come see what our Wellness Center is all about. The center is open to community members age 55+ for \$30 a month with an endless list of fitness classes. Cozy up to our strength and cardio machines that include one-on-one training with certified instructors included in the cost. Come be a part of a close knit community and make



warm memories while keeping fit this winter.

Senior U

Music & Memory

On Saturday, January 21st, **Residents and Community** Members attended "Music & Memory with Chaplain Michael Byrd." Attendees learned about the Music and Memory approach and the power of personalized music playlists to tap deep memories and feelings. This approach helps those suffering a wide range of cognitive and physical challenges find renewed meaning and connection in their lives through the gift of music.

Senior Center

Great Beginnings

The year 2017 is off to a great beginning at the Center. AARP Tax Preparation is available on Monday afternoons, Fridays and Saturdays starting in February. This is a free service provided to the entire community. Beginning in February, we will serve lunches on Saturdays. Our Dementia series by Pierce County **Community Connections** continues on Tuesdays. Stay warm, stay well; and let's have a great year! See you at the Center or FTJ soon!

Care residents. They requested a small amount of funding from the Health Services Fund for the purchase of a TV and AV cart. This great combination of one donated item and a few philanthropic dollars has led to big fun for our residents! A small TV used with the DVD player has made it much easier for busy staff to play movies; before they would have to hook up the DVD connection to residents' wall mounted TVs. It is a nice portable unit to wheel in and out of resident rooms. Residents watch pre-selected movies (we offered 10 the first week we had the



cart rolling) a couple times a day. A big thank you to our donors whose gifts resulted in this new entertainment option for our wonderful Health Care residents!

Planned Giving



Edward Maxwell Morgan passed away in September 2016 at the age of 101. He was a resident of Franke Tobey Jones for 23 years. Upon his death, we received a gift from his estate through his Will. Max's wife Shirley, who predeceased Max and had also been a resident, had named us in her Will years earlier to support our mission of

serving seniors. We are honored and humbled to receive such heartfelt gifts from these very dear residents. We remember them with a plaque in one of our campus gazebos. Gifts like this help us carry on our mission, and we honor their legacy, as we honor the legacy of so many others who have been members of our Franke Tobey Jones family.

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