

# ACTIVITY DEPT. NEWS

May 2009

## MIRA VISTA CARE CENTER

### *May has many special moments...*

#### **Resident Birthdays**

10– Suzanne  
16– Esther  
19– Agnes  
21– Virginia  
26– Jeanette

#### **Staff Birthdays**

8– Lisa R.  
16– Carrie & Carmen  
21– Bruce  
25– Lilibeth  
27– Debbie

#### **Anniversaries of Employment**

1985– Shawn  
1995– Ana  
1996– Claudia  
2001– Bruce  
2002– Sharon  
2004– Debbie  
2005– Karen & Josefina  
2007– Coni & Shannon  
2008– Rebecca

*Editor's Note: My apologies if I missed anyone's special day.*

#### **Observances:**

- Nat'l Nurse's Week  
May 6-12
- Nat'l Day of Prayer  
May 7
- Nat'l Asthma & Allergy Awareness
- Nat'l Stroke Awareness
- Nat'l Mental Health Awareness

#### **Holidays:**

10- Mother's Day  
16- Armed Forces Day  
25- Memorial Day

### *Residents enjoyed a Taste of Latin America*

On April 25, Yadi Young gave a presentation of the foods of Latin America. Residents tasted yucca root, cactus, papaya, taro root, chayote hash, jicama, fried plantain, and coconut milk. Yadi is the

daughter of resident Gladys Gonzalez and an active volunteer in our program. The Gonzalez family immigrated from Costa Rica and enjoy sharing their culture with us.

Perhaps you would like to give of your time/talents. Volunteers are always appreciated! Contact April Kindler for more information.

#### **MUSIC PERFORMANCES**

5/5 4:00 p.m. Piano by David  
5/6 2:00 p.m. Melody Makers Choir  
5/8 2:00 p.m. Bluegrass by Ernie Queen  
5/13 2:00 p.m. Oldies by Jim & Ken  
5/20 10:00 a.m. Music by Marsha  
5/21 3:00 p.m. Ernie Tyree Band  
5/27 2:00 p.m. Music by Kim & Ward

#### **FAMILY BRUNCH MAY 16th**

- Served from 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
- Guest tickets \$8.00 purchased by 5/11, \$12.00 after that time
- Special seating for groups of 5 or more with a reservation