

# *Cordell Christian Home's* **R**esident's Digest

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Our new Valentine's Kings and Queens have been chosen and look quite royal in their crowns. On the Special Care Unit, Ruby Wyatt was crowned Queen with Rollen Moore as King. Reigning over the larger part of the facility are King and Queen George and Dixie Drake, who are sixty-plus-years sweethearts together. We are proud to honor each of these as our favorite darlings for Valentine's Day 2010. There were sweets and party favors for all the sweets that attended the party.

We had 26 Bingo players last week, with several of them having five or six Bingos in one day! Each day had two or three people black out, and it seemed there was a lot of luck going around the room all week long!

We enjoyed the Cordell High School students who came with singing valentines for a couple of folks. The students did a great job with their greetings and were very sweet.

The HeadStart students also came in two groups on Wednesday. They were adorable as they sang for us, delivered lollipops and handmade Valentines and shared some great hugs and Valentine greetings.

Continuing in the party mode, this week we will be celebrating all of our residents and employees who were born in the month of February.

Getting a little bit of a late start, our Relay for Life team met last week and made several fundraising plans. We have one team this year instead of two, but there are 28 staff members and residents on the team, so we're hoping to accomplish great things! We are looking forward to your support and to supporting the other teams raising funds for the great cause of cancer research.

Our own fund raising efforts are still going on for our dining room furniture project. We have a goal of about \$30,000 to complete this much needed update and are looking forward to reaching it with the support of all of our friends and family. Thanks to all of you for sharing in our mission and supporting our community.

We enjoy all of your visits, see you again soon.