# Coy D. Estes Senior Housing Newsletter





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## November days to celebrate:

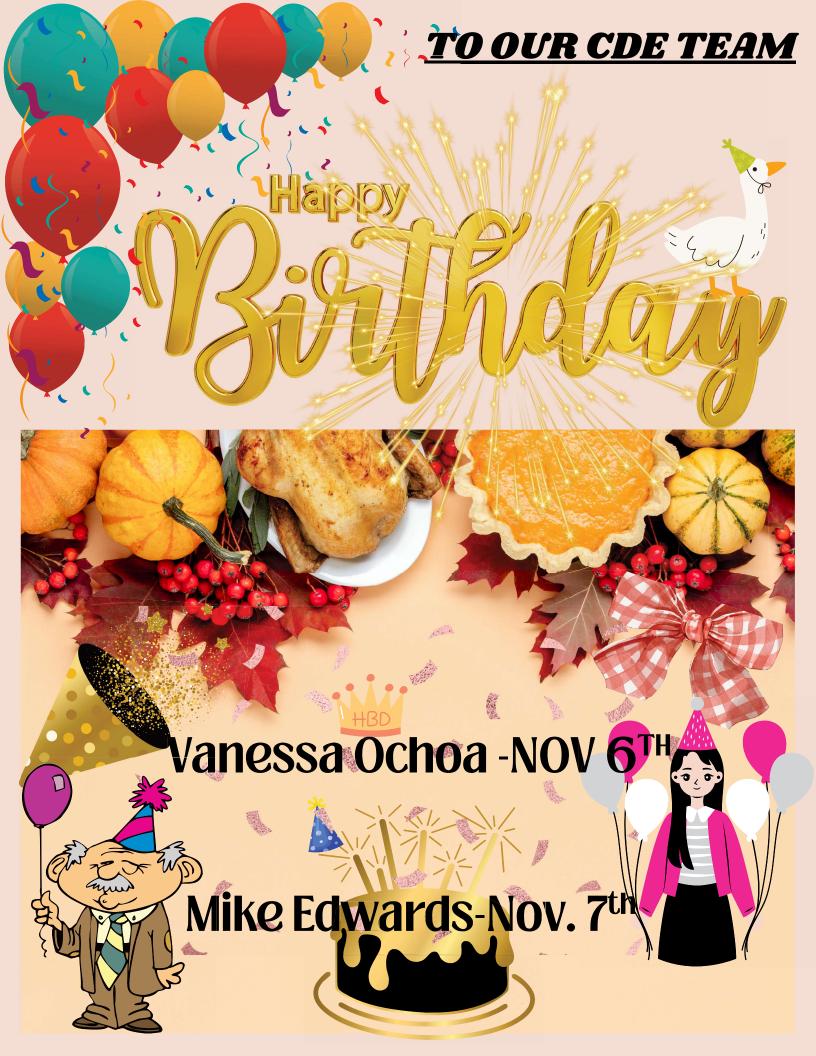
- Nov. 1<sup>st</sup> All saints day
- Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup> Día De Los Muertos
- Nov. 11<sup>th</sup> Veterans Day
- Nov. 27<sup>th</sup> Thanksgiving
- Nov. 28<sup>th</sup> Black Friday











# A Heartfelt Thank You

Tanya, your hard work is truly



turn over to hear her message to YOU

#### 15 years...

day.

As November 1st approaches, I've been reflecting on the fact that this date marks my **15th year** at Coy D. Estes Senior Housing. It's hard to believe how quickly time has passed. When I first began working here, I knew it would be meaningful work, but I could never have imagined just how deeply this community would shape my life.

It seems like yesterday that Sarah, Al, and Connie were cheering me on during my 5th anniversary. Moments like that, and the people who made them special, are a big part of what makes Coy D. Estes feel like home to me.

Every day, I'm reminded of how special this place is, not just because of the beautiful property or the programs we offer, but because of *you*. The conversations in the office, the laughter in the courtyard, and the way you look out for one another, those moments are what make this community feel like family. Working here has been one of the greatest privileges of my life. I've learned from you, grown alongside our team, and found immense joy in helping make Coy D. Estes a place where people are proud to call home. Our staff shares that same commitment and heart; together, we're able to do what we do

And just to be clear, *I'm currently not going anywhere*. I'm excited for the time ahead, continuing to serve you and support our excellent staff.

because of the kindness, patience, and spirit you bring every

Thank you for allowing me to be part of your lives for the past 15 years. Your stories, your strength, and your sense of humor continue to inspire me daily.



With gratitude and warmth, **Tanya Burdick**Managing Director





#### Taste of Home



### Pumpkin Cheesecake

■ TotalTimePrep:20 Min.+Chilling Bake:

55 Min. + Cooling

Yield16 Servings



**Test Kitchen Approved** 

Move over, pumpkin pie: This pumpkin cheesecake recipe might just be our new favorite fall dessert.

#### Ingredients

- CRUST: 1 cup graham cracker crumbs 1
- tablespoon sugar
- 1/4 cup butter, melted
- FILLING:
- 2 packages (8 ounces each) cream cheese,
- softened
- 3/4 cup sugar
- 2 large eggs, room temperature, lightly beaten
- 1 can (15 ounces) pumpkin
- 1-1/4 teaspoons ground cinnamon
- 1/2 teaspoon ground ginger



- 1/2 teaspoon ground nutmeg
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- \* TOPPING:
- <sup>•</sup> 2 cups sour cream
- 2 tablespoons sugar
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract12 to 16 pecan halves, chopped



#### **Directions**

In a small bowl, combine the graham cracker crumbs and sugar; stir in butter. Press into the bottom of a 9-in. springform pan; chill.

For filling, in a large bowl, beat cream cheese and sugar until smooth. Add

eggs; beat

on low speed just until blended. Stir in the pumpkin, spices and salt. Pour into crust. Place pan on a baking sheet. Bake at 350° for 50 minutes.

Meanwhile, for topping, combine the sour cream, sugar and vanilla until smooth. Spread over filling; return to the oven for 5 minutes. Cool on rack for 10 minutes. Carefully run a knife around the edge of pan to loosen; cool 1 hour longer.

Refrigerate overnight. Remove ring from pan. Top with chopped pecans.

Refrigerate leftovers.

#### **Nutrition Facts**

1 piece: 285 calories, 21g fat (11g saturated fat), 81mg cholesterol, 198mg sodium, 22g carbohydrate (16g sugars, 1g fiber), 4g protein.



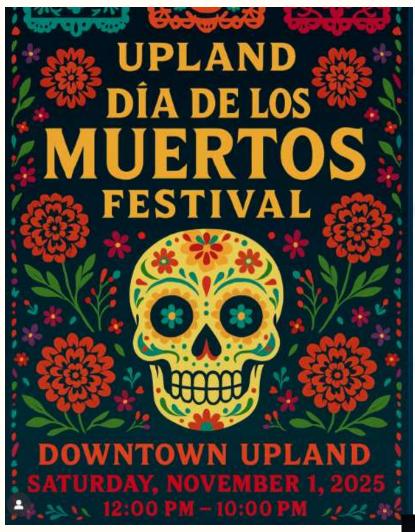
"My joints are getting stiffer. Pretty soon I'll creak louder than my rocking chair".

> "I was going to retire, but then I realized... I'm already tired. "

"They say with age comes wisdom. So why can't I remember where I put my glasses?"

Q: Why did the senior bring a ladder to the bar? A: Because they heard the drinks were on the house.

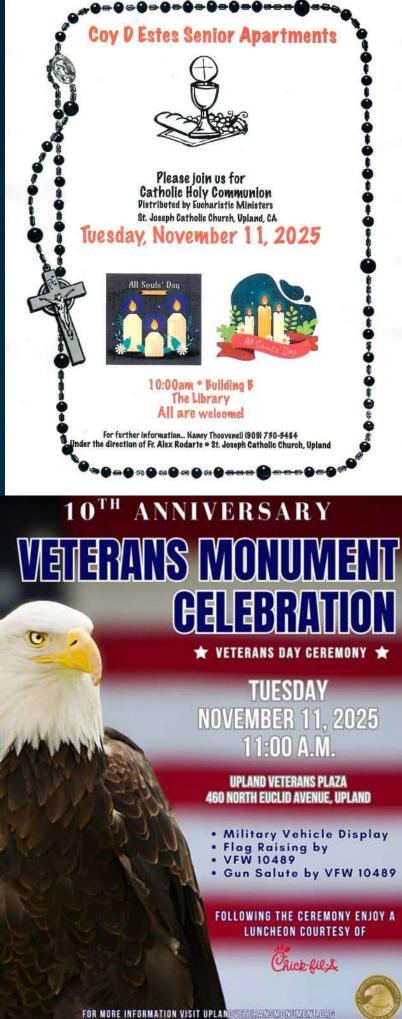
"You know you're getting older when your back goes out more than you do."





Please come by the office to make a copy as soon as you receive your 2026 Social security award letter so we can update your file

DON'T FORGET





tive holiday decor and spread to holiday spirit!

Voting will take place on Tuesday, December 16, 2025

Two winners

Most Creative Best use of lights

Prizes will be given by December 18, 2025



A reminder to decorate safely, still leaving patios clear enough for emergency responders.

Also, all decorations and lights must be removed by the last weekend in January.

### \*Howw! DECEMBER 8TH, 2025 Howw!

Come and join us in the B Lobby to grab an

ornament and decorate our Christmas Tree.

\*Ornaments will be available in the B Lobby.



December is right around the corner and Boy Scout Troop 601 out of First United Methodist Church is offering to help residents put up holiday decorations on patios and balconies this coming holiday season.

Residents are responsible for supplying their own decorations, power surge cords and extension cords.

<u>Call the office to be put on the list.</u>

Hot Cocoa & S'mores Party Monday, December 8<sup>TH</sup> IN THE BBQ Courtyard around 7:00PM

Hot cocoa and s'mores to get us in the Holiday spirit!







### You're warmly invited to St. Joseph School's 45th Annual Senior Citizens Thanksgiving Dinner

DATE: THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 13TH, 2025

TIME: 11:00AM - 1:00PM

LOCATION: PARISH HALL, ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL 905 N CAMPUS AVE. UPLAND

HOSTED BY: THE 7TH GRADE CLASS OF ST. JOSEPH SCHOOL

Please RSVP by November 6th. When you call, kindly let us know if you will be dining in or prefer take-out.

Contact us at (909) 920-5185 to reserve your spot.

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### **MORE UPCOMING EVENTS:**

Come celebrate
Friendsgiving with us!
Enjoy some delicious pie,
coffee, and great
company. Bring a
neighbor and enjoy the
cozy fall weather while
socializing with friends
and neighbors.

Date: November 18th,

2025, Tuesday

Time: 2:30 PM Location:

B Lobby

BAG PIPE PERFORMANCE

SAT DECEMBER 6<sup>TH</sup>
At 6pm



## FREE!!!

HAIRCUTS BY COLOSSI 10AM-4PM



NOV. 10TH

# O's Ice cream shop



Located in

**Downtown Upland!** 

walking distance from you

180 E C St, Upland, CA 91786 15% OFF SENIOR DISCOUNT



LOCATED IN DOWNTOWN UPLAND

160 E C St, Upland, CA 91786





Thank you to everyone who painted a pink pumpkin to bring Breast Cancer

Awareness!







A huge thank you to everyone who joined and helped us for the <u>28th Annual Anniversary</u> Party! We hope you all had a fantastic time celebrating this milestone with us.

It was a wonderful day filled with good company, great food, and lasting memories.

Please enjoy these photos from the event-we're thrilled to have shared these moments with all of you.



### **Holiday Cheer at the doorstep contest!**

Judging will take place <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>December 17</u>

We are voting on two categories!

MOST CHRISTMAS FESTIVE

MOST DAZZLING

Winners will be announced in January Newsletter Prizes given by Thursday, December 18th.

A few rules for the Door Decorating:

1.Cannot use Gel Clings on the door

2.Cannot use tape that can peel paint off.

3.Do not put anything on the door that means

something to you. Unfortunately things go missing

sometimes.

2.Keep clips clear
3.Please decorate safely

4.Voting will be on the decorations on the DOOR ONLY.

All decorations and lights must be removed by the last weekend in January 2026.