

September 2024



The
Cottages
Assisted Living & Memory Care



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Adult Day Care & Respite Care

Would you or a loved one enjoy a safe and nurturing environment to spend the day—or even longer? We can help! The Cottages offers the best in assisted living and memory care for seniors in a beautiful, home-like atmosphere.

We provide:

- Home-cooked meals
- 24/7 supervision
- Friendly staff
- Stimulating activities
- Medication management
- Assistance with the activities of daily living

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The Cottages Assisted Living at
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We envision a community where people of all ages are treated right, by becoming the preferred employer, and provider of choice within the senior living experience



RESIDENT SPOTLIGHT

Dean Williamson, The Cottages of Weiser
Part of The Cottages Family Since May 2022

Dean and his twin brother Dale were born in Logan, Utah on May 20, 1941, to Harvey and Sara Williamson. Dean is the youngest of six children. In 1948, the Williamson family moved to New Plymouth, Idaho where Harvey and Dean's older brother Jay started the Williamson Roofing Company.

Dean attended New Plymouth schools beginning in the second grade. During high school, Dean participated in football, FFA and raising cows. He also worked as a janitor for the school district during his high school years even though he had been working in the family roofing company since 7th grade. Dean graduated in 1960.

After graduation, Dean continued working for Williamson Roofing. Needing a little fun in his life, Dean began bowling. It was during a bowling tournament in Weiser Idaho that Dean met Shirley – the love of his life! Dean and Shirley married on December 8, 1962, and they were blessed with the opportunity to adopt two children Shane and Shannon. Dean enjoyed watching his children grow, participate in school events and become successful adults. Dean and Shirley became lifelong supporters of Weiser high school athletics attending games long after Shane and Shannon had graduated. The Williamsons have 3 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild. Dean enjoys traveling, camping and fishing. Many memorable summers were spent in the McCall area, fly fishing, boating and waterskiing on the lake.

Dean worked for Williamson Roofing for 60 years, finally retiring in 2010. For the next few years, Dean and Shirley explored all life had to offer, spending even more time traveling, camping and fishing. Dean tried his hand at woodworking. He especially enjoyed creating angels and bird houses for anyone that would take one. Shirley passed away in 2020 after 57 wonderful years of marriage.

Dean has never met a stranger, and he is always there to help anyone in need. We LOVE having Dean at The Cottages of Weiser!



Faces of our Cottages Residents



Alpine Meadows



Boise



Columbia Village



Emmett



Lochsa Falls



Meridian



Middleton



Payette



Mt Home



Weiser

Celebrate our Cottages Employees

Congratulations to The Cottages of Payette and Weiser



The Cottages of Payette and Weiser were recently voted the Best Assisted Living in the Western Treasure Valley. Thank you, McKenzie, Becca and your amazing teams for letting your communities see that you are Treating People Right!



The Cottages August Photo Contest

Each month, we pick a subject to photograph for our Cottages Monthly Photo Contest. The theme for August was **Public Art**.

The location with the most "likes" this month is **The Cottages of Meridian**. To find this perfect photo, the residents in Meridian took a scenic bus ride to Lavender Acres in Meridian.

Please see our Facebook page for all our contest submissions and pictures of other activities. Feel free to comment on photos and leave a review.

Theme for September: Scenic Idaho

Celebrate our August Staff Anniversaries

Happy Anniversary to our staff who celebrated their Cottages anniversary in the month of August. We appreciate the hard work and loving care you give, and the atmosphere of safety and care you create for our residents. You impact the lives of residents and families every day, and our residents have a better quality of life because of you. We hope you share many more years with us.

*15 years	- Heather P.	Cottages of Meridian
14 years	- Jamie W.	Cottages Home Office
12 years	- Gabby G.	Cottages of Weiser
11 years	- Nancy F.	Cottages of Mt Home
*10 years	- Rosie D.	Cottages of Middleton
8 years	- Becky K.	Cottages Home Office
*5 years	- Rebecca J.	Cottages Home Office
2 years	- Merlena R.	Cottages of Mt Home
*1 year	- Tyla F.	Cottages at Alpine Meadows
*1 year	- Ashley M.	Cottages of Emmett
*1 year	- Donielle H.	Cottages of Weiser

*Benchmark Anniversaries



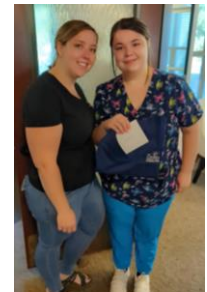
15 Years – Heather P.
Executive Director
The Cottages of Meridian



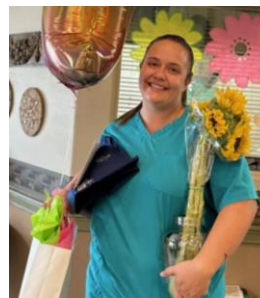
10 Years – Rosie D.
Caregiver
The Cottages of Middleton



5 Years – Rebecca J.
Marketing Director
The Cottages Home Office



1 Year – Tyla F.
Caregiver
The Cottages at
Alaine Meadows



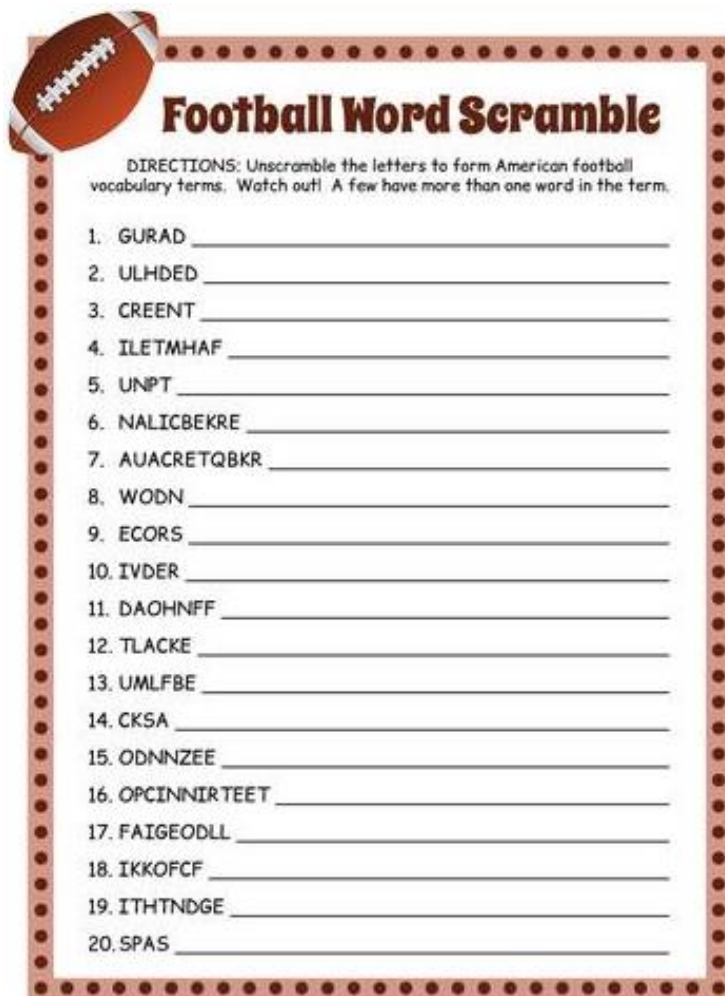
1 Year – Ashley M.
Caregiver
The Cottages of Emmett



1 Year – Donielle H.
Caregiver
The Cottages of Weiser



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Football Word Scramble

DIRECTIONS: Unscramble the letters to form American football vocabulary terms. Watch out! A few have more than one word in the term.

1. GURAD _____
2. ULHDED _____
3. CREENT _____
4. ILETMHAF _____
5. UNPT _____
6. NALICBEKRE _____
7. AUACRETQBKR _____
8. WODN _____
9. ECORS _____
10. IVDER _____
11. DAOHNFF _____
12. TLACKE _____
13. UMLFBE _____
14. CKSA _____
15. ODNNZEE _____
16. OPCINNIRTEET _____
17. FAIGEODLL _____
18. IKKOFCE _____
19. ITHNDGE _____
20. SPAS _____

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Lochsa Falls	208.229.9330
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Middleton	208.585.5959
Mt. Home	208.580.1121
Payette	208.642.6199
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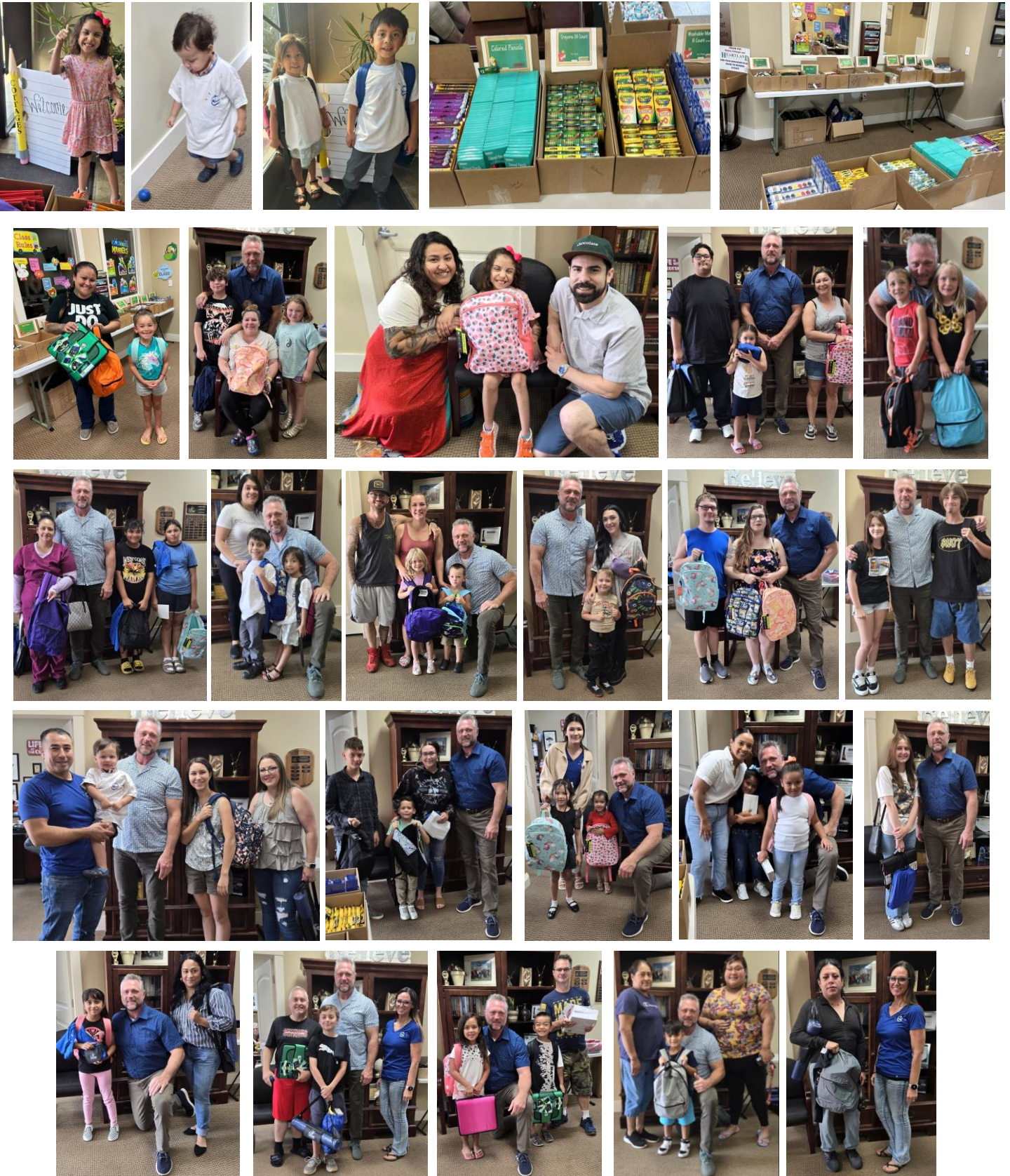
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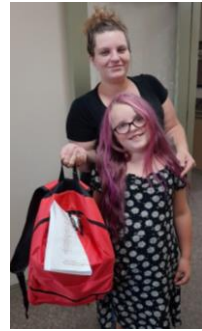
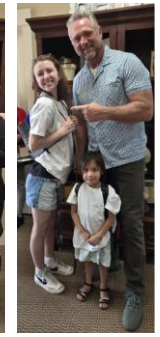
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The Cottages' Kids go Back to School

8th Annual Cottages Give Back Program

Education is important to The Cottages and especially The Cottages CEO, Mark Maxfield! To express that importance to The Cottages Employees, Mark invites the kids of the employees to come to the Home Office to pick up school supplies they need for the upcoming year.





The Cottages loves giving back to our communities, especially during times of need. Due to a fire in Gem County, donations were requested to help firefighters. The Cottages donated supplies and delivered to the Gem County Chamber office for distribution.

We also heard of a firefighter in Parma that lost his home. We gathered our school supplies for the children so they would be ready for the upcoming school year. Helping in our communities is The Cottages Way – We Treat People Right!

We appreciate those who donated to our Back to School event. Waxie has donated every year, we are so grateful for their willingness to help. We also appreciate Melissa Tollinger and Heartland Pharmacy for their donation.
If you would like to be involved in our Back to School 2025, please call Lisa at the home Office.