

This Week at ASCARC

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Early June News at ASCARC



- **Ernie from our Beemerhill group home stand in front of the fire truck from Sandyston Township while at the Branchville Memorial Day parade.** Our group home enjoyed attending the parade and having a great time in the community. It was a beautiful day for a parade.



- **Matt and Jim (right) from our Hardyston group home** traveled to nearby Franklin for their parade attendance on Memorial Day. Throughout Sussex County many were pleased to view the fire trucks, bands, scouts, school kids, and antique cars parade through the streets of our towns. Memorial Day was a special comeback this year since holiday parades were cancelled for the last 2 years.



- **Nina and Susan from our Sussex group home** created poppies and learned about “Remembrance Day” which was the name for the British Day of remembering the deceased soldiers from World War I which ended in 1919. Memorial Day in the United States began after the Civil War when several cities and towns began to celebrate war veterans who had fought bravely in the US Civil War. Memorial Day in Europe was also known as Poppy Day because some of the battles were fought in Flanders and Belgium, a land of many poppies.

- We had a **black bear visit our offices in Augusta** this week. We thought maybe he/she was coming to apply for a job at SCARC, but then he/she journeyed away across the front of our property. Maybe we’ll see the bear again during the summer.



- **Andy and Joe from our Clearview group home** are greeted by **Herbie, the Sussex County Miners baseball team mascot** at the Skylands Stadium in Augusta. The occasion was SCARC night at the ballpark, which was a popular fundraising game for the SCARC Foundation. Several people from the SCARC Family of services were in attendance for the event. At right are staff with Joe and Andy at the game.

