

# Winthrop Polk

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*Executive Director*

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## Check Your Calendar



- \*The Beauty Shop is open every Wednesday.
- \*Get a manicure on Mondays at 1:30 pm.
- \*Happy Hour every Wednesday at 3:00 p.m.
- \*Church service every Sunday at 9:30
- \*Exercise-every day at 11:00
- \*January 8-Desoto's sing at 2:00
- \*January 10-2nd Baptist Church sing at 3:00
- \*January 12-Ben Hanks play Family Feud at 2:00
- \*January 13 Jimmy and Jean Sanders sings at 2:00
- \*January 20-Jim and Ann Wright sing at 2:00
- \*January 24-Randy Vines Sings at 3:00
- \*January 25-Booty Spencer sings at 10:00
- \*January 21-Resident Council Meeting at 2:00

### Answers to page 3 quiz

Crash - Rhinoceros  
Exaltation - Lark  
Mob - Kangaroo  
Murder - Crow  
Parliament - Owl  
Pod - Whale  
Sounder - Pig/Hog

January 2010

# Winthrop at Polk

Assisted Living Community

## From Your Executive Director...

### Happy New Year!

Christmas has passed and now we ring in the year 2010. That will take some getting used to! I can remember not so long ago all the buzz surrounding the new millennium, the year 2000. Has that really been ten years? How time does fly!

I hope that if you were not able to come to the Christmas candlelight service, you at least listened to it live on the Big WGAA. It was so beautiful and served as a reminder for me that the true meaning of Christmas is more than just fancy gifts and parties.

I really enjoyed seeing everyone at our Christmas open house this year. We had over 100 guests and residents in attendance. I was delighted that our new City Manager and many of the City Commissioners came out in support of us as we celebrated all the festivities of the Holiday Season.

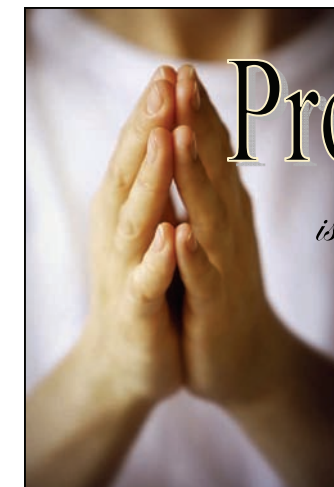
Our community was all aglow with beautiful decorations, smiling faces, and of course, the traditional tree with Mrs. Ruth Philpot's beautiful ornaments adorning it. I still think of her fondly each and every time I hang one of her lovely works of art.

We are so blessed to have a completely full community to start off the New Year. It's so rewarding to know that so many of you have selected Winthrop Polk as your home, and we will continue to do everything possible to ensure that your choice was the perfect one.

I have been so blessed this past year, I still have my parents who mean the world to me, my daughter Christy, my husband Scott, who supports me in every way, my brothers and sisters and their spouses, and my given children John & Molly, who love me for me.

So...my New Year's resolution is to intensify my efforts to really get to know each of our new residents and family members. I want to make certain that *all* of our family members at Winthrop Polk have days that are fulfilling, abundant and as wonderful as mine has been for knowing them. To remind me of this, I have a picture of one of Ruth Philpot's ornaments on my digital picture frame. Each day as I think of her, I realize how fortunate I am to have shared her life, and the lives of so many others in the past and present, as well as the future residents that I can't wait to meet!

With Love,  
Carol



# Promise

*is most given when  
the least is said.*

*George  
Chapman*

# Celebrating the Season



Christmas at Winthrop Polk was quite a social event with all the special guests, parties, food, and celebrations!

Some of the highlights for the month included (pictured):

L-R: The Dixie Stompers, who always dance their way into our hearts every year; the First Baptist Church Senior Choir, who reminded us of the true meaning of Christmas; The Annual Christmas Open House, with friends and special guests attending (pictured are Mrs. Barrett and her niece); Special entertainment by Cedartown Middle School Chorus, and of course, the beautiful decorations that adorned our community.



## Resident of the Month

**Doyle Chandler** was born in Haralson County on July 24, 1917. He was one of four boys born to Robert and Emma Chandler.

Doyle went to work at an early age, in 1933 and earned only five cents per hour. His job was to transport water to the local residents.

Doyle served as Justice of the Peace for 27 years and lived in Cedartown until 1993. He then moved to South Georgia where he live for 15 years before returning home to Cedartown.

It's a joy to know Mr. Chandler and we are all proud to be a part of his life at Winthrop Polk.



Last month the residents at Winthrop Polk were treated to a special musical performance by the adorable children from Vineyard Harvester Christian Academy. The children sang Christmas carols to the group and later presented everyone with fruit baskets filled with oranges, apples and candy and a local favorite, boiled peanuts!

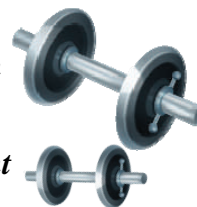
Everyone had a great time and especially enjoyed the singing, and the peanuts, of course!

Vineyard Harvester School

## Keep That Brain Fit!

As you may know, a group of fish is called a "school", a group of lions is called a "pride", and a group of seagulls is called a "flock". Some are a little more unusual. See if you can guess what animals belong to the following groups:

**Crash**  
**Exaltation**  
**Mob**  
**Murder**  
**Parliament**  
**Pod**  
**Sounder**



Happy Birthday

George Wright  
January 23

