



January 2026

# Letter from Home

From your family  
at Jacobson Memorial Hospital Care Center in Elgin

## Welcoming the new year!

Happy New Year from your friends at JMHCC!

January sparks thoughts of fresh starts, dreaming big, planning goals and finding inner strength in winter stillness. Maybe just taking time to sit back and think after the holidays will help us all find our correct paths.

During the month of January, we have a birthday party planned for Esther on Jan. 6, a trivia challenge on Jan. 13 and a country music social with snacks on Jan. 15.

It is always wonderful to bake during the cold months of winter. The residents and I will be making cheesy garlic bread on Jan. 12 and baking bread on Jan. 27. Our residents continue to have church on Wednesdays and musical entertainment from Janice & friends and the Germans from Russia on Mondays.

The residents always play many games throughout the month and plan to stretch those muscles during chair yoga in the mornings.

We also want to encourage you to consider a donation during Giving Hearts Day, which opens Jan. 12.

Our January calendar is busy, and I want to thank you for all your kindness and support. Wishing you good luck in the New Year and remember to stop and see us!

*Love, Lori Miller, JMHCC activities director*



# JANUARY

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				<b>1 Happy New Year!</b>		
<b>4</b> 7:45 a.m. Breakfast social 9 a.m. Church on TV 1-2:15 R&R 2:30 Sunday afternoon matinée	<b>5</b> 10 a.m. Farkle 11:30 Devotions 1-2:15 R&R 2:30 Janice and friends	<b>6</b> Happy birthday Esther! 10 a.m. Chair yoga 11:30 Devotions 1-2:15 R&R 2:30 Party time	<b>7</b> 10 a.m. News crew 11 a.m. Fry bread 11:30 Devotions 1-2:15 R&R 2:30 Church with Pastor Haberstroh	<b>8</b> 10 a.m. Hair and nails 11:30 Devotions 1-2:15 R&R 2:30 Farkle	<b>2</b> 10 a.m. 1:1 visits 11:30 Devotions 1-2:15 R&R 2:30 Bingo	<b>3</b> 10 a.m. Saturday funnies 1-2:15 R&R 2:30 Residents' choice
<b>11</b> 7:45 a.m. Breakfast social 9 a.m. Church on TV 1-2:15 R&R 2:30 Sunday afternoon matinée	<b>12</b> 10:00 Farkle 11:30 Devotions 1-2:15 R&R 2:30 Baking cheesy garlic bread	<b>13</b> 10 a.m. Shut the box 11:30 Devotions 1-2:15 R&R 2:30 January trivia with treats	<b>14</b> 10 a.m. News crew 11:30 Devotions 1-2:15 R&R 2:30 Church with Pastor Harrison	<b>15</b> 10 a.m. Hair and nails 11:30 Devotions 1-2:15 R&R 2:30 Country music social with snacks	<b>16</b> 10 a.m. 1:1 visits 11:30 Devotions 1-2:15 R&R 2:30 Bingo	<b>17</b> 10 a.m. Saturday funnies 1-2:15 R&R 2:30 Residents' choice
<b>18</b> 7:45 a.m. Breakfast social 9 a.m. Church on TV 1-2:15 R&R 2:30 Sunday afternoon matinée	<b>19</b> 10 a.m. Farkle 11:30 Devotions 1-2:15 R&R 2:30 Germans from Russia	<b>20</b> 10 a.m. Uno 11:30 Devotions 1-2:15 R&R 2:30 January crafts	<b>21</b> 10 a.m. News crew 11:30 Devotions 1-2:15 R&R 2:30 Church with Pastor McCloth	<b>22</b> 10 a.m. Hair and nails 11:30 Devotions 1-2:15 R&R 2:30 Farkle	<b>23</b> 10 a.m. Chair yoga 11:30 Devotions 1-2:15 R&R 2:30 Bingo	<b>24</b> 10 a.m. Saturday funnies 1-2:15 R&R 2:30 Residents' choice
<b>25</b> 7:45 a.m. Breakfast social 9 a.m. Church on TV 1-2:15 R&R 2:30 Sunday afternoon matinée	<b>26</b> 10 a.m. Farkle 11:30 Devotions 1-2:15 R&R 2:30 6-5-4	<b>27</b> 10 a.m. Making bread 11:30 Devotions 1-2:15 R&R 2:30 Resident council	<b>28</b> 10 a.m. News crew 11:30 Devotions 1-2:15 R&R 2:30 Church with Pastor Zimmerman	<b>29</b> 10 a.m. Hair and nails 11:30 Devotions 1-2:15 R&R 2:30 Farkle	<b>30</b> 10 a.m. Chair yoga 11:30 Devotions 1-2:15 R&R 2:30 Bingo	<b>31</b> 10 a.m. Saturday funnies 1-2:15 R&R 2:30 Residents' choice

JMHC activities are subject to change without notice

# Welcome!

Welcome to a "Letter from Home," a monthly newsletter for the families of residents at Jacobson Memorial Hospital Care Center.

## The mission of Jacobson Memorial Hospital Care Center:

Advance the health of the communities with respect and accountability, providing peace of mind close to home.

## The vision of Jacobson Memorial Hospital Care Center:

Strive to be the community choice by providing excellent health care through continuous improvement.

## The mission of the Jacobson Memorial Hospital Foundation:

Jacobson Memorial Hospital Foundation, in support of Jacobson Memorial Hospital Care Center, is to engage and foster health care philanthropy, and provide funds, support and programs to enhance continuous health care excellence for our region.

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## The Jacobson Memorial Hospital Foundation welcomes donations anytime.

The Foundation board determines where to best utilize funds, so donations can be coupled with other funds to continually improve JMHCC's programs and services.

Make your gift by check to:

**JMHF, PO Box 367, Elgin, ND 58533.**



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A graphic for Giving Hearts Day. It features a large red heart with the date "FEBRUARY 12" inside. To the right, the text "GIVING HEARTS DAY" is written in large, bold, red letters, with "Giving opens Jan. 12" in a smaller font below it. The background is light blue with scattered small hearts. Below the main text, it says "Support Jacobson Memorial Hospital Care Center".

Find Jacobson Memorial Hospital Foundation at  
[www.givingheartsday.org](http://www.givingheartsday.org)

Donate to purchase an entire item or donate toward that item!

Wishes for 2026

1 Richardton Clinic EKG machine: \$5,200  
1 Hoyer electric bariatric floor lift: \$3,800  
1 Phlebotomy cart: \$2,000  
1 Portable oxygen concentrator accessories: \$250  
2 XL Hoyer slings: \$380 each or \$760  
4 Reliant lift slings: \$115 each or \$460  
10 Wheelchairs: \$230 each or \$2,300

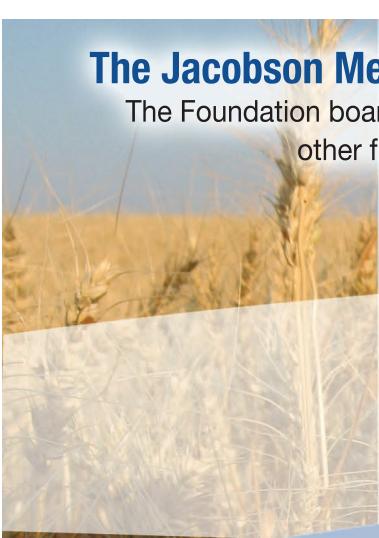
Total: \$14,700 for equipment  
Donations to move JMHCC toward sustainability: \$100,000  
Giving Hearts Day goal: \$114,700

Three heart-shaped frames containing small photographs of medical staff and patients. One shows a doctor in a white coat, another shows a patient being assisted by a medical professional, and the third shows a doctor examining a patient's ear with a stethoscope.

Hosted by: Dakota Medical Foundation  
Questions? Contact JMHCC at 584-2792.



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# A visit from St. Nick

