

# Programming Post

News and Tips from the Programming Resource Center

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THE SUPER-DUPER  
DOUBLE MONTH  
ISSUE

## About the Post

The Programming Post is the PRC's monthly newsletter. It exists to give you helpful hints and ideas for activities and events you can hold for your residents, as well as news from the PRC!



## BBBs and Posters for November and December

The PRC has some great pre-made bulletin boards for you. Check out these, which are perfect for this month!

### Bulletin Boards in a Bag:

- Pop Quiz: Thanksgiving
- Don't Be a Scrooge (Holiday Spirit)
- What's Your Sign (Zodiac)
- The Arab World
- Quit Tips: Stop Smoking
- 19 Weird Jobs
- Grad School Tests
- Fun With Candy

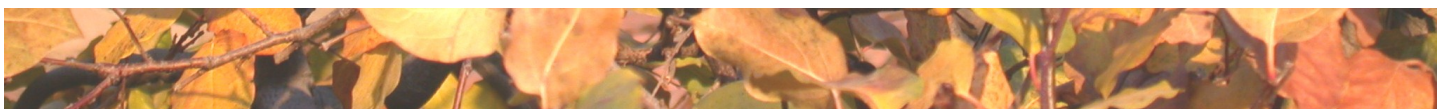
### Posters:

- Aids Information
- Black Friday
- Famous Drag Queens
- Cyberstalking
- Simplifying the Holidays
- Truth About Tobacco
- Worst Pick-Up Lines
- Religions of the World
- Final Exam Survival Tips
- History of Christmas
- History of Hanukkah

## Programming Tip

It's tempting during this time to make every program holiday-oriented. Try to create programs and boards that cater to your residents' diverse backgrounds, needs, and interests. You can use suggestions in the Programming Post for other holidays to celebrate that fall outside the norm—International Ninja Day, anyone?

Like us on  by searching "Program Resource Center at William and Mary" to get ideas, updates, and contest results.



## Inspiration & Ideas for

# NOVEMBER

### What's Happening

#### Monthly:

No Shave November  
American Indian Heritage Month  
Gluten-Free Diet Awareness Month  
Lung Cancer Awareness Month  
Military Family Appreciation Month  
National Novel Writing Month  
Sweet Potato Awareness Month

#### Weekly:

National Animal Shelter Appreciation Week 1-7  
International Fraud Awareness Week 6-12  
Pursuit of Happiness Week 7-13  
National Hunger and Homeless Awareness Week 13-19  
Better Conversation Week 21-27

#### Daily

Give Up Your Shoulds Day 1  
Sandwich Day 3  
Kristallnacht 9-10  
International Kindness Day 13  
World Diabetes Day 14  
Guinness World Record Day 17  
Transgender Day of Remembrance 20  
Fibonacci Day 23  
National Day of Listening 27

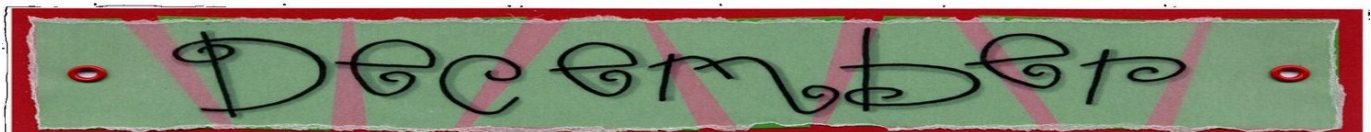
### Programming Ideas for November and December



No Shave November Contest  
Cooking Gluten Free  
Conversation Hour (get to know each other)  
Try to Set a World Record  
Collect Food for or Volunteer at a Soup Kitchen or Food Pantry  
Discussion About Holiday Traditions and Cultural Differences  
(bring in a speaker from the Center for Student Diversity)  
Holiday Party/ Cookie Bake  
Watch Grand Illumination



### WHAT'S HAPPENING IN



#### Monthly:

National Tie Month  
Universal Human Rights Month  
Awareness Month of Awareness Months Month

#### Weekly

Cookie Cutter Week 1-7  
Tolerance Week 1-8  
National Hand Washing Awareness Week 9-12

#### Daily

International Day for the Abolition of Slavery 2  
International Ninja Day 5  
National Cotton Candy Day 7  
Nobel Prize Day 10