THE GALLERY AT GODWIN

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February 2026

Meet the TEAM

The Gallery at Godwin Team
Property Manager
Kara Joslin
Assistant Property Manager
Ruby Wray
Leasing Consultant
Mariah Castillo
Maintenance Supervisor
James Nock
Maintenance Technician
Deshawn Newby
Porter
Meredith Wall

Local THINGS TO DO

Get to know the 757 through Local Events

- 02/03 – 02/27, Exhibit of Excellence 2026, Suffolk Student Art Exhibit – Suffolk Art Gallery
- 02/18, "One" - Suffolk Center for Cultural Arts, 10:30 AM
- 02/28, Symphony of the Senses: The Imagination Celebration! – 7:00pm

Resident EVENTS

February 8, 2026, 8pm – End of Game

Join us in the Clubroom and Theatre Room to enjoy the Super Bowl with pizza, wings, and refreshments!

Be sure to stop by the office to place your bet on our Super Bowl prediction board. If you choose the winning team, you'll be entered for a chance to win a prize!

Office Hours

Sunday	1 PM - 4 PM
Monday	10 AM - 6 PM
Tuesday	10 AM - 6 PM
Wednesday	10 AM - 6 PM
Thursday	10 AM - 6 PM
Friday	10 AM - 6 PM
Saturday	11 AM - 4 PM

Be sure to wish Kara, your property manager, a very happy birthday on February 6th!

AFTER-HOURS EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBER: 540-265-8120

TRASH FAIRIES

Trash & Recycling Solutions at your Doorstep

REMINDERS

PREPARATION

- Use 12.5-gallon trash bags.
- Limit of 2 bags of trash per night
- If you have more than one bag, place the second on top of the can, NOT on the floor.
- Please break down all boxes.
- When the bag gets full, TIE IT, and set the can outside your front door on **pickup nights** from **6–8PM.**

COLLECTION

- Trash Fairies start their collection at 8PM.
- Collection days are **Sunday–Thursday.**
- NO collection on Friday or Saturday night
- NO oversized/overweight items, liquid, hazardous waste, or loose trash
- Do NOT put trash bags on the floor.

NEXT MORNING

- Bring your empty can inside by 9AM the next day.

TRASH CHUTE

- Ensure that you are placing your bags in the chutes and NOT on the floor in the trash room. You will be charged a $50 removal fee if you leave trash on the floor.
- Do NOT put boxes in the trash chute: break them down and place them outside of the trash room on the 1st floor.

THANK YOU FOR BEING A GOOD NEIGHBOR

Winter Olympics Preview

The Milano Cortina 2026 Winter Olympics—the 25th Winter Olympics—are scheduled to be held from Feb. 6-22. Here are some sports and stars to watch:

New kid on the ice block. Ski mountaineering, a combination of alpine skiing and mountain climbing, is making its debut at this year's games. Competitions include a sprint, which includes a three-stage ascent, as well as the descent. Sprints can take about 3.5 minutes. The mixed relay includes two ascents, two descents and a section on foot.

Comeback kids. After a 12-year Olympics hiatus, National Hockey League players are back to play ice hockey for their home countries. In the 2022 Beijing Winter Olympics, both the U.S. and Canada were eliminated in the quarterfinals, not having the NHL stars on their rosters. This year, Team USA is heavily favored to take home the gold.

Frozen fan favorites. Along with ice hockey, figure skating and snowboarding are some of the top-watched events for American viewers. Young snowboard stars to watch include gold medalists Chloe Kim and Red Gerard. Male figure skating star Ilia Malinin is expected to shine at the 2026 games. The 21-year-old is the only athlete in history to have landed the quadruple axel—the hardest jump in figure skating—during a competition.

Who will be the next Pet of the Month?? Scan the QR code to Enter!

Scan the QR Code Below for Your Chance to Be Featured as the Next Pet of the Month!

Be My Green Valentine

Valentine's Day makes us think of red and pink, but green is the best way to express your love for Mother Earth. Make eco-friendly choices as you prepare to celebrate the holiday.

Instead of buying a new greeting card, send a thoughtful text message or a short but sweet video message. Alternatively, you could also use recycled materials to create your own romantic message that's sure to be treasured for years.

The manufacture of new gold jewelry produces tons of waste from mining and processing. Consider buying a gift of vintage jewelry instead, or look for jewelry made from recycled metal or repurposed materials.

A traditional bouquet of flowers is even more charming if it is arranged with locally grown, pesticide-free blooms. For longer-lasting flora, give a blooming plant as a symbol of your enduring love.

Bypass processed and packaged chocolates, and opt instead for homemade candies, cupcakes or pastries, either from your own recipes or locally sourced from a small business or farmers' market.

Share the love. Connect with friends and perhaps future valentines by volunteering with local environmental groups, keeping your eye open at the farmers' market and co-op and attending events where eco-conscious people gather, such as outdoor music and arts festivals.

Featured Recipe

Chocolate Cherry Thumbprints

Ingredients:

- 1 cup butter, softened
- 2 cups white sugar
- 2 eggs
- 2 teaspoons vanilla
- 3 cups flour
- 1 cup cocoa
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon baking soda
- 1/2 teaspoon baking powder
- 1 (21-ounce) can cherry pie filling
- 1/2 cup chocolate chips

Directions:

Preheat oven to 350 F.

Cream butter and sugar until light and fluffy. Mix in eggs, one at a time. Add vanilla and mix until combined. Add flour, cocoa, salt, baking soda and baking powder. Mix until combined.

Roll dough into 2-inch balls. Place on greased baking sheet or baking sheet lined with parchment paper. Press thumb into center of cookie to make a well. Place a spoonful of cherries into each cookie.

Bake for 12 minutes. Allow cookies to cool.

Melt chocolate chips according to package directions. Drizzle over cookies. Let chocolate set and serve immediately or store in airtight container.

Find more recipes at www.LuckyLeaf.com.

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

Decor

All Holiday décor should be removed.

Pets

If your pet has an accident, please clean it immediately.

Spills

If you spill something in our community, please clean it immediately.

Parking Reminder

Friendly reminder that assigned parking spaces are reserved for the residents they are assigned to. Residents and guests may not park in any assigned space unless it is specifically assigned to them **and** the proper placard is clearly displayed — this includes short stops for loading or unloading. Vehicles parked in assigned spaces without authorization are subject to towing at the owner's expense.

February 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 Muffin Monday	3	4 Wellness Wednesday	5	6	7
8 Resident Event: Super Bowl Watch Party (see Front)	9 Muffin Monday	10	11 Wellness Wednesday	12	13	14 Happy Valentine's Day!
15	16 Presidents Day - Office Closed	17	18 Wellness Wednesday	19	20	21
22	23 Muffin Monday	24	25 Wellness Wednesday	26	27	28

♥ FEBRUARY ♥

Word Search

Category: Lunar New Year

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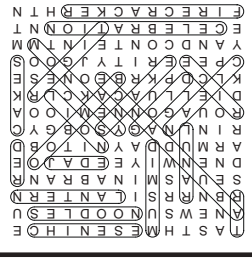
Word Search Solution:

1. Abundance
2. Bamboo
3. Cakes
4. Celebration
5. Chinese
6. Clean
7. Dim Sum
8. Firecracker
9. Gold
10. Jade
11. Lantern
12. Lion
13. Lunar
14. Monkey
15. Noodles
16. Rat
17. Red
18. Rice
19. Snake
20. Tiger



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