# In The Spotlight

#### **Ron LaFreniere**



Ron LaFreniere, Sr., a resident at Blaire House of Worcester since June 2020, was born in Marlborough, MA in 1935. He married at the age of 17 and raised four children, three sons and one daughter. Ron and his brother Dick (also a resident at Blaire House of Worcester)

ran a television repair and sales business for more than 25 years. Ron was an avid runner and coach his entire life and dedicated many years of his time to the Marlborough High School Track and Cross-Country teams. While serving as head coach, he was responsible for the success of many young athletes.

Ron has competed in the Boston Marathon more than 20 times throughout his life. He made a continuous run through six states (New England and New York) to raise awareness for cancer research, when a long-time friend was diagnosed with cancer. He moved to Falmouth, MA in the early 1970s where he worked for Sears repairing all sorts of electronics and installing garage door openers. He continued his coaching of young athletes in Falmouth for many years. He later retired and

#### **BEAUTY/BARBER SHOP:**

Our hairdresser/barber is Jemma Hanna. Barbershop hours are every first Saturday of the month.

Hairdresser hours are every Monday beginning at 2:00 PM and Thursday beginning at 9:45 AM.

#### **WEEKLY SPIRITUAL:**

Catholic Mass is every Friday morning at 10:00 AM and every Sunday morning at 10:00 AM.

moved to Colorado where he tried to establish a high-altitude running training facility. After more than 15 years in Colorado, he returned to Massachusetts, where he lived with his son Tim for six years, prior to moving to Blaire House of Worcester.

Thank you for being part of our family.



Paul Richard (Vice President of Resident Council) plays bingo.

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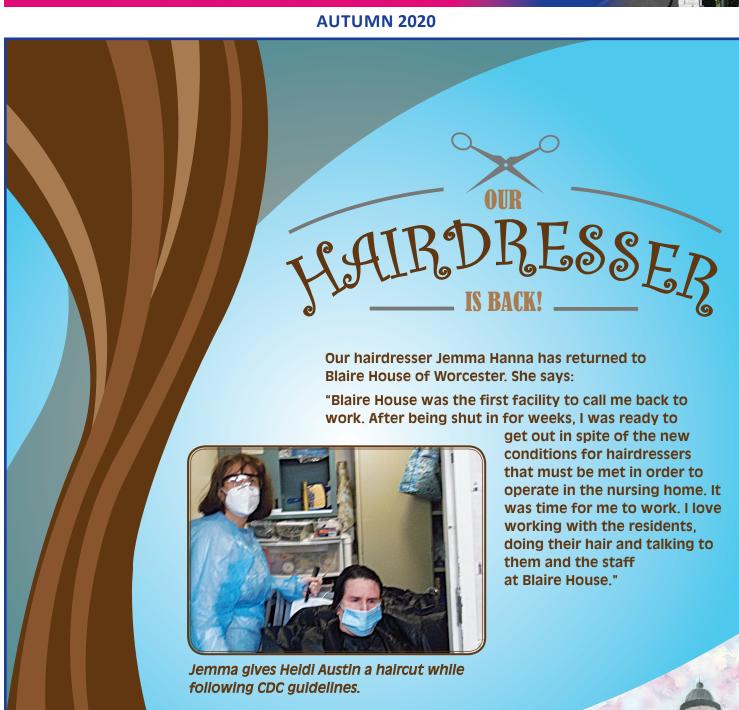


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"Sunlight is like the breath of life to the pomp of autumn."

- Nathaniel Hawthorne