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## Brain Bender: Day at the Beach

Leo, Sabrina and Vicky spent a summer day at the beach. Each of them saw a sea creature—starfish, crab and jellyfish—and enjoyed a treat from the concession stand—ice cream, snow cone and hot dog. They also met new friends by joining in an activity—Frisbee, volleyball and flying a kite.

Using the clues below, can you figure out how each of them spent the day?

- Sabrina did not play volleyball, see a crab, or eat a snow cone.
- The person who flew a kite also saw a jellyfish.
- Leo did not a fly a kite, but he did eat a hot dog.
- Vicky either saw a jellyfish or ate ice cream. (Answer: Leo saw a crab, ate a hot dog, and played volleyball. Sabrina saw a starfish, ate ice cream, and played Frisbee. Vicky saw a jellyfish, ate a snow cone, and flew a kite.)

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## A Wonderful Wildflower

The native North American wildflower known as coneflower brightens prairies, roadsides, parks and gardens with cheerful blooms that attract butterflies, bees and birds. The flowers, which belong to the daisy family, get their name from their spiny seed heads that resemble a cone. The classic purple coneflower is the most popular, but you'll also see white, red, orange, yellow and pink varieties.

## SPOTLIGHT RESIDENT OF THE MONTH RAYMOND KING



Raymond King

Born in Perry, Iowa on January 25, 1928, the great Raymond King was brought into this world.

Reminiscing, Raymond fondly remembers his first experience in California at the age of 11. On a family vacation to North Hollywood Ray recalls seeing his first television. Knowing Raymond now we understand the importance of this memory. At that same fair Raymond won a long-distance phone call to anywhere. He decided to call his minister back in Perry, Iowa.

Ray has always considered himself lucky in his life. This happy childhood memory was just the beginning according to Raymond.



In 1950 Raymond moved to California and embarked on a career at Lockheed Corporation. Starting in the stock room and quickly being promoted multiple times Raymond climbed up in the company and became a part of the Advanced Development Production. He was a part of the Skunk Works Team that designed and built the SR-71, the world's fastest and highest-flying manned aircraft. Raymond had a very successful 30-year career and retired in 1982.

At the age of 40 Ray said he was lucky once again and married a woman that "would put up with him!" They met at dance classes and their romance bloomed.

In 2001, Raymond and his wife were one of the first residents to move into Windsor Gardens. We're so glad that Mr. King has called W.G. his home for all these years. Thank you for being such a cherished and important part of our family!

