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HAPPY
VALENTINE'S DAY

Happenings This Month...

February 2nd - Groundhog Hunt: See how many groundhogs you can capture today... We've heard they are extremely hard to find, especially on groundhogs day. Bring your captured critters to bingo today to see who wins the prize for the most!

February 4th - Crafty Bunch: You will be constructing a piece of art work to display or give as a gift!

February 8th - February is American Heart Month... Taste some "heart healthy" foods and then stop in the Cove for the Your Heart Health presentation.

February 9th - Culinary Creations: You don't have to be "good in the kitchen" to take part in Culinary Creations! Bring your creativity and taste buds as you create your own Pizza to celebrate National Pizza Pie Day.

February 10th - Armchair Travels to the North Pole: Seems fitting for this cold time of year. Learn about the climate, vegetation and much more this afternoon.

February 10th - Chaos in the Kitchen Band: 6:30 in the dining room.

February 11th - Sweet Heart Happy Hour will be a great get-together with a Valentine theme!

HAPPY VALENTINES DAY!!

Wear Your Red, White, Pink, and Hearts today to celebrate the Day!

We will celebrate this "LOVELY" day with the following:

10:00a -11:00a Stop by Manor Mart for your free Valentine treat! Also, put your guesses in for the amount of "hugs & kisses" in the jar! | 2:30p Valentine Party with Susan Frankland Music | 5:00p Fine Dining Valentine's Day Dinner

February 16th - February Birthday Party with Northern Comfort Band: Bluegrass, vintage country and gospel music favorites by this great group of musicians. Enjoy a birthday treat also as we celebrate our friends with February birthdays.

February 18th - National Drink Wine Day Happy Hour with Casey Anderson Music: We will celebrate this national recognition day by doing just that, drinking wine. Casey Anderson is a young, local musician bringing her guitar playing and old fashioned songs to us for happy hour!

February 22nd - 2's DAY 2/22/22: TWIN DAY! Dress alike with staff, spouse, or a friend! Today is also National Margarita Day! We will be celebrating with a "Taco Tuesday" lunch and a Margarita Bar outside the dining room. See you this afternoon in the Cove Famous Twosome Trivia & Games.

February 24th - Polkalamity Polka Band: This is a fun time worth staying up late for! This group brings great polka music, bad jokes and great fun!

February 25th - Presidential Happy Hour: Test your US presidential knowledge this afternoon while enjoying a cherry flavored cocktail.

February Dress Up Days!

Sunday February 13th

Wear your favorite Team attire for the Super Bowl.

Monday February 14th

Wear your Valentine colors and attire!

Tuesday February 22nd

Twin Day-dress alike with your spouse, staff or friend!



**Please check your homes for dishes from the kitchen!* If you have them, please return them to the kitchen. Dietary staff will be happy to give you a "to go" container for anything you'd like to take back to your room with you.

SATURDAYS: After you stop into Manor Mart, head to the Gathering Place to spend time socializing, playing cards or games and having a fun afternoon.

Staff Spotlight

BARB WILLIAMS RCAC HOUSEKEEPING

Nickname(s) you have been given & by whom: Babes, by my husband, Barbie by co-workers.

My Hometown: Berlin, Wisconsin

3 words to best describe me: Kind, Sassy, Hardworking

A favorite childhood memory of mine is: Playing baseball or football with my brothers at halftime during football games or baseball games.

Favorite food/restaurant: Seafood, especially coconut shrimp. Red Lobster is my favorite restaurant.

Favorite place to visit: Duluth, Minnesota

Family members: My husband, 3 sons, 2 stepdaughters, and 7 grandchildren.

Favorite things about working here: I love the residents and my co-workers.

Best advice you have been given: Don't take any wooden nickels.

Hobbies and interests I enjoy: I enjoy watching the Packers and doing things with my grandkids.

My biggest pet peeve: People who brag.

"When I retire, I will": Keep working and travel.

2 items on my bucket list: I would like to skydive and visit New York City.

Silver Spotlight

ROSEMARY BERKICH

Rose was born at home on July 15, 1933, in Ashton, Wisconsin. Rose was number 4 of 6 children. She had 3 brothers and 2 sisters. Rose grew up on a 100+ acre dairy farm. She helped with farm chores and took care of the chickens. She attended St Peter's Catholic school, in Ashton, for 8 years. After completing school, Rose went to work at the Belmont hotel as a waitress. Rose left waitressing behind to work at Kroger's grocery store in the dairy dept. Her sister Jane worked there also.

Rose met her husband of 64 years, John, when they were children. Rose's Aunt Kate was a priest's housekeeper in Waukesha. Her Aunt and the priest came to Ashton with 4 brothers that were orphans to find them a home. They wanted to keep the 4 boys together. Rose's family took all 4 boys into their home during the Depression. Rose was 9, and John was 12 at the time. Rose took a liking to John right away; she said he had a special twinkle in his eye.

After John completed his service in the Air Force, he went to school on the GI bill in California for Engineering. While in California, John wrote a letter to Rose, inviting her to visit him. Rose and her cousin drove to California and visited with John for 2 weeks. Rose was barely home in Wisconsin when John called and wanted her to come back to California alone. Rose left her job at Kroger's and drove across the country with a former customer to California. She arrived in California in April of 1955. John and Rose married on July 2, 1955. They had a small wedding with 20 guests, family was not able to attend. Rose wore a blue formal dress for her wedding. John graduated in December of 1955 from school. Rose's father passed while she and John were living in California. They flew home for the funeral. After her father's death, they decided to move back to Wisconsin. They drove back to Wisconsin in the winter of 1956.

Rose and John lived with her family until John found a job with the Wisconsin Telephone Company. They lived in an apartment on Jennifer St in Madison until they built their home on an acre of land from the family farm. John always wanted to stay in Ashton and belong to St Peter's Church. Rose and John had 5 children, Michael, Daniel, Carol, Paula, and Rose. They also have 9 grandchildren and 4 great-grandchildren that live in Portland, Oregon. They enjoyed family get-togethers and playing cards with friends over the years.

Rose and John had a wonderful life together. They were able to travel extensively. They visited every state in the US, including Hawaii and Alaska, took several cruises, and a trip to Switzerland; their favorite. They helped with weekly fish fries while living at Westshire Village. Unfortunately, John passed just before his 90th birthday and their 65th wedding anniversary. When John asked Rose if she would remarry after he was gone, her reply was, there will never be another you.

"Be good to your Family" is the life advice Rose would like to pass on to the younger generation.

HAVE A HEALTHY, HAPPY, FANTASTIC FEBRUARY!



*BEST WISHES TO OUR FRIENDS
CELEBRATING BIRTHDAYS*

Don H. - February 9th
Neddy J. - February 11th
Karen S. - February 18th










Stuart S. - February 20th
Betty G. - February 20th
Clem B. - February 20th



A SPECIAL THANK YOU

- **All who bake and donate items to Manor Mart. What a treat to be able to provide such a wonderful selection of treats to our customers!**



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 9:30 Sit & Fit 2:30 Tuesday Classic Movie: "Guys And Dolls" In the Cove	2 Groundhog Hunt 9:30 Sit & Fit 10:00 February Trivia 2:30 Community Member Discussion & thenBingo! <i>*bring your captured groundhogs to Bingo to see who WINS!</i>	3 9:30 Sit & Fit 10:00 Coffee Clutch Manor Mart Open 10:00-11:00 2:30 Millie's Nail Oasis Open 2:30 -4:00 6:00 Wii Bowling	4 9:30 Sit & Fit 11:00 Catholic Communion 2:30 Crafty Bunch- "I love you to pieces" Gift/Door Decor	5 9:30 Sit & Fit Manor Mart Open 2:00-3:00 2:30 Cards & Games Social in the Gathering Place
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