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## Sunday, September 11

Join us for Coffee & Donuts to celebrate all Grandparents

10:00am—Activity Room



JUST A REMINDER...Committee Meetings are open to ALL Residents!

**Building & Grounds** 

Meets Tuesday, September 6 at 3:00pm in Marguerites Culinary Committee

Meets Wednesday, September 7 at 3:00pm Marguerites.

#### FROM THE DESK OF THE ADMINISTRATOR, CAROLYN MARTIN:



Summer is drawing quickly to a close. It always goes way too quickly. Hope you have had time to enjoy many of our wonderful outdoor events and trips. A group of residents enjoyed their visit to Harsens's Island recently with a guided tour by resident Nancy Streit. How

fortunate we are to have residents share their time and

interest with us. They enjoyed a day on the island including lunch at the School House Restaurant which was open just for our residents.



The 911 ERS system is up and running for Independent residents residing outside the main building. Pushing the button and going straight to Medstar will save time and potentially lives.

Three Men and a Tenor is coming September 8. They are top notch performers. We are lucky to get them to perform here on campus.. Chaplain Laura grew up with one of the guys and she is able to get them to come to our campus. They perform in Las Vegas, opening for groups like the Beach Boys and perform here at East Harbor. If you haven't had an opportunity to see them please don't miss this tour stop! Invite your friends and family for this evening Concert. They love it when you dance, clap, and engage. See you there.

Have you tried the new bistro yet? The food is delicious. One of my favorites is the Veggie Burger. Stop by to find out what your favorite might be. Closed weekends and Monday. Bonnie will delight you with her talents. Stop by soon.

Did you get an opportunity to enjoy a pontoon boat ride with Captain Paul? He is married to Nurse Allison from Healthcare. What a nice gesture to offer a day on the Lake.

We are looking to start up our Alzheimer's support group soon. We are sending staff for training and then will offer the sessions on campus. Watch for more information soon.

We will be holding Independent resident events frequently in Harbor Inn's Community Room. We can set up transportation if needed in advance.

Assisted Living events will be held in activity room. However, there will still be events for IL held in the main building especially if they are larger events that require more space.

Are you going to Hamilton? I plan on going. I saw the show in Chicago. It is packed full of history and music. I am looking forward to seeing it again. It is an enjoyable evening out for

me to attend with our residents. Betsy and Ann Marie make all our excursions fun and memorable.

Enjoy the Sun shining Days!



Carolyn

## The Village of East Harbor RESIDENT ASSOCIATION MONTHLY MEETING Date: Tuesday, September 13th Location: MARGUERITE'S RESTAURANT Time: 1:30pm

ALL Residents are members of the Resident Association and encouraged to attend

Join us for a *MEET & GREET* cupcake and coffee social following the meeting.

## **WELCOME HOME NEW RESIDENTS**

We welcome these new residents to our Village of East Harbor Family

Anthony Augugliaro—706 HI

**Constance & Henry August—S503** 

Kathleen Borwick—711 HI

Pam DeVille—50778 Geering Dr

Nancy Dickson—702 HI

Doris Duda—618

Sharon Frantz—B203

**Beverly Graham—D401** 

John Lewindowski—50878 Esther's Way

Lynn Loftis—709 HI

Carol Linsemier—618

Frank Markie—604

Kathleen Markie—504

Lucia Marshall—815 HI

Nancy McClure—915 HI

Conchita Mendinueto-910 HI

Anna Miceli—712 HI

Joann Mowry—707 HI

Jessie Strange-704 HI

Irene Wagner—807 HI

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From The Desk Of Chaplain Laura...



#### A TIME OF GIVING, SHARING,

#### AND CARING

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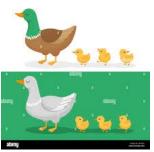
"They also will answer, 'Lord, when did we see you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or needing clothes or sick or in prison, and did not help you?'"He will reply, 'Truly I tell you, whatever you did not do for one of the least of



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these, you did not do for me.'

The ducks aren't babies any more! We will have them for only another week or so. If you haven't seen them yet, please come to the Haven Hall courtyard to visit them.



Thank you to the donors of duck food and to those who assisted in feeding and watering them, helping them grow into God's beautiful healthy creatures they are today. They will be missed as they venture out to find their new homes.

God calls us to love and to care for all of his creatures. Well done!

*I am pleased to announce that Immaculate Conception church will be providing Catholic services* **EVERY** *Tuesday at 10:45am in our chapel. (The third Tuesday of every month is a Mass with Father Joe Esper). Please come and experience Father Joe and Deacon Dave as they deliver the word of God.* 

**<u>CANDY MAKING– Thursday Sept 1 at 1:30.</u>** Make chocolate pretzels that will be sold at Art on the Bay; proceeds to benefit Resident Association.

**Breakfast With Our Chaplain** – Monday, **Sept 19**, meet in the lobby, leaving at 8:30 sharp to have breakfast together at Strawberry Fields. You must be signed up by Wed Sept 14.

Happy Grandparents Day!!– Sunday, Sept 11 at 10:00 am– coffee and donuts in Activity Room. All are welcome.

Please continue to check your calendar and our Chapel Bulletin board for news and updates. The experience of reaching out to others is rewarding.

#### FRANK GITRE'S YEARS OF S. MANITOU ISLAND FISHING TRIPS



It was approximately 1951 when a friend of my friend, Bob Kull, Jack Jinks, was able to purchase the fishing rights in Lake Michigan surrounding S.Manitou Island. This purchase included a small cottage on S.Manitou Island. My friend Bob Kull then purchased the cottage from Jack for \$350.00.

Fortunately for 10-12 guys who were Bob's friends we were included in memorable fishing trips for about 70 years!

Every Memorial day a group of the men would go up north to Leland, park the cars & travel 17 miles out into Lake Michigan on a 58' cabin cruiser, always hoping for a calm day for the trip. Sometimes the gang would be tossed around by the waves! On most trips to the island we would stop at the "crib" where the lighthouse was located & we would help unload necessary supplies for the men stationed in the lighthouse.

After we arrived we would proceed to clean the cottage up a little, unload supplies, grab the fishing poles & bait & spend a great day on the inland Lake (Lake Florence) shooting the breeze, enjoying the occasional cold beer & catching our share of fresh perch & some bass.

Because there was no electricity on the island Bob & I would do most of the cooking on a rigged up fire pit. There were gas lights in the cottage. Of course typical meals included baked potatoes, fresh fish & whatever else was available. Oh, I can still almost taste those fresh fish!!! Some of the guys would bring casseroles & other such meals that I'm sure were prepared by their wives! We had plenty to eat!

Occasionally our family would go up to the island & spend a week with our 2 children, who learned to drive on the island. There were 2 cars on the island; a 1955 Chevy & a 1960 Pontiac. It was such a safe place for the kids to learn; no traffic, no pedestrians & they could only go so far! The grown up kids still talk about those trips!

When the wives & all the men would go up to the island on Labor Day weekends the sleeping arrangements were hap-hazard to say the least. There were a bunch of mattresses stacked up in the cottage & they were flopped all over on the floor & out on the beach. One of the guys & his wife even tried sleeping in the nearby lighthouse till the wind blew the mattress all over the place!

I look back now on all the memorable weekends on that special little island out in Lake Michigan that meant so much for the 10-12 couples for about 70 years!

The government has now taken over the island so people must apply for camping permits, hiking trips, & any other reasons to visit <u>OUR S.</u> Manitou Island!

P.S. The 2nd largest Cedar tree in the U.S. is located on the island.

Frank Gitre May, 2022

Frank Gitre is part of the Memoir writing group.

#### Memoir Writing Made Easy EVERYONE HAS A STORY TO TELL!!

This group meets once a week to share stories and practice writing. You don't have to be a good writer to share your memories. Paper and pencil will be supplied.

Mondays 2:30pm Activity Room

## **Health and Wellness News**

Christina Nahorodny, Fitness Specialist

## Village Victory Cup is Friday, October 7th from 10am -5pm at the Suburban Showplace in Novi

**Hoop Shoot**: Shoot from a seated position 6 feet away into a 5 foot tall basketball hoop

Wellness Walk: WALK (don't run) 50 yards

Kick-a-Roo: Kick a foam ball from a seated position into a target

Beanbag Toss: Toss a 3.5 oz beanbag from 10 feet away

**Puzzler**: Teams will have 15 minutes to complete a 60-100 pc. puzzle

Balloon Volleyball Tournament: Seated volleyball played with a balloon

**Expression of Wellness**: Create a video to answer the question - "What does the Village Victory Cup mean to us?"

**Spirit Award**: Come out and cheer for your team mates and show your East Harbor spirit!

### Village Victory Cup Practices

Mondays & Fridays @ 2pm

Thursdays @ 11am

If you plan to come to VVC, or even if you're interested but not sure if you want to go, please be sure to attend as many practices as you're able. This is how we determine the teams for each game.

We must determine teams by Monday, September 12th to submit for entry.

It's not too late to sign up!

LET'S GO PIRATES!!

### Harbor Inn Health and Wellness Center hours 8am-5pm Monday-Friday

**Classic Fitness Center (near Barnett Hall)** 

8am-8pm every day (including weekends!)

#### **Fitness Class Days and Times:**

MONDAY—Cardio 9:00am (HWC) Seated 10:30am (AR)

TUESDAY—Balance 9:00am (HWC) Strength Circuit 11:30am (FC) Cardio 1:30pm (HWC)

WEDNESDAY—Stretch 9:00am (HWC) Seated 10:30am (AR) Sit & Stand Stretch 1:30pm (HWC)

THURSDAY—Move & Groove, 9:00am (HWC) Drumming 11:00am (AR) Strength 1:30pm (HWC)

> FRIDAY—Strength 9:00am (HWC) Seated 10:30am (AR)

HWC = Harbor Inn Health & Wellness Ctr. AR = Activity Room FC = Fitness Center near Barnett Hall

#### **Class Formats:**

9:00am and 1:30pm classes held in the Harbor Inn Health and Wellness Center as well as the FC class are geared towards the active senior whom, ideally, have completed orientation and can move quickly from one machine to the next.

Seated/Sit & Stand classes are designed to achieve improved joint mobility, muscle strength and endurance. Each day, the class is modeled after the 9:00 am class of the same day.

Move & Groove and Drumming are both fun, aerobic workouts incorporating upbeat music to encourage coordination

## HYDROVORX

Underwater treadmill for aquatic therapy and fitness

### YOUR FIRST 1/2 HOUR IS FREE!

Call Chris for an appointment to try the HydroWorx water treadmill! Call: (586) 716-7385 or email cgorde@pvm.org for an appointment



#### **Hydroworx Pricing:**

30 minute minimum (one unit): \$20 Each additional 15 minutes: \$10 **Packages available**  Purchase a package and save!



Specialty Shoe Store **Thursday, September 1** 9:30 am Lobby



Tuesday's ·9:30am ·Activity Room

Make Chocolate Covered Pretzel Rods With Chaplain Laura to sell at Art on the Bay Thursday, September, 1 – 1:30pm – Activity Room All Proceeds to benefit The Resident Association





COUNTRY CRITTERS COME SEE AND PET LIVE COUNTRY ANIMALS

> **THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8** 2:00PM **ACTIVITY ROOM COURTYARD**



Flannel Shirt Day Friday, September 9 Wear your flannel shirt win a prize! 1:30pm- Activity Room

PORT HURON MUSEUMS

**PORT HURON MUSEUMS THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 22** 9:30 AM **ENTRANCE TO MUSEUMS IS FREE** 

WE WILL VISIT 2 MUSEUMS & LUNCH

#### Johnny Appleseed Day Monday, September 26

1:30pm– Activity Room



**Chesterfield Library** will be reading about Johnny Appleseed.

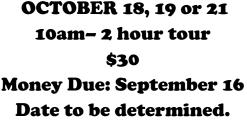




#### **Eastern Market Shopping & Lunch**

#### Tuesday, September 20

\$\$\$ on your own 9:00am Lobby



### TRANSPORTATION SERVICES

The Village offers transportation services for all scheduled trips

and outside appointments during regular business hours by appointment.

If you are in need of a ride to an appointment please contact Ann Marie Hart prior to making your appointment for available days and times.

Transportation services outside of the chesterfield area are subject to a fee.

You MUST Sign up prior to scheduled trips either in the Activity Room in the Binder or CALL ANN MARIE: 586-716-7142

IF YOU HAVE NOT SIGNED UP PRIOR TO A TRIP YOU WILL NOT BE ALLOWED ON THE BUS!

Space is limited!

BEFORE GOING ON ANY TRIPS YOU MUST EMPTY YOUR WALKER! WE WILL NOT LOAD WALKERS THAT ARE FULL.

IF YOU ARE IN NEED OF TRANSPORTATION TO ANY ACTIVITIES PLEASE CALL



## Podiatrist

Kristi Schons Phone: 248-568-8692

For Appointments All podiatry appointments should be made directly to the number listed above.

#### The **CAMERON CAFÉ** is OPEN!

OPEN EVERYDAY FOR GRAB & GO GRILL OPEN MONDAY-FRIDAY 8:30-3:30pm Orders from the kitchen can be placed at the front desk, pick-up within 30 minutes. **Please call or pick-up a menu at** 

front desk. BISTRO & BAR NOW OPEN TUESDAY-SATURDAY 10:30-4:30

#### **BIRTHDAY DINNER**

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 12NOON



\$12.50 MENU Chicken Parmesan Angel hair pasta Asparagus Caesar Salad Roll Birthday Cake Wine, Punch , Coffee

Wine, Punch , Coffee September birthdays are free, 1 guest 1/2 off





Women's Lunch







Thursday, September 8 6:00pm-8:00pm Three Men and a Tenor

Birthday Entertainment Thursday, September 15 1:30pm-Chapel Sisters Act Out

Thursday, October 13 5:30pm-8:00pm Murder Mystery Dinner Theater Tickets: \$30.00 on sale now





Holiday Shopping Bazaar

#### & Saturday, November 12 10:00am-4:00pm Holiday Shopping Bazaar

Friday, November 11



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For more information or to Reserve a Spot call 586-725-6030 villageofeastharbor.com

# **EXCURSIONS** Upcoming Excursions

#### <u>Thursday, September 1</u>

*Footwear Footcare* 9:00am \$\$\$ On your own

#### <u>Tuesday, September 14</u>

Detroit Zoo Senior Day 9:00am Free entree \$\$\$ On your own

#### Monday, September 19

Breakfast with Chaplain

8:30am \$\$\$ On your own

#### <u>Tuesday, September 20</u>

*Eastern Market* 9:00am \$\$\$ On your own

#### Wednesday, September 21

*Men's Lunch* 11:00am \$\$\$ On your own

#### Thursday, September 22

*Port Huron Museums & Lunch Free entrance to museums* 

> 9:30am \$\$\$ On your own

#### Tuesday, September 27

*Women's Lunch* 11:00am \$\$\$ On your own

#### <u>October 18, 19, or 21</u>

Murder & Mayhem Port Huron Private Trolley Tour

\$30.00 Date & Time to be announced Dependent on number of people signed up. Money due Sept. 16

#### Tuesday, November 15

*Hamilton* 8:00pm show starts \$79.00



Thursday, December 1

*The Sound of Music* 7:30pm show starts \$30.00 Money due October 3 Tickets are limited

To share timely information regarding COVID-19, we have set up a toll-free number for our residents, families and staff.

Call our Community Care Line at:

#### 888-412-5999

You can get the latest report straight from David Miller at The Village of East Harbor

## Directory

Accounting	
Tracy Tesch	716-7408
Activity Lead A/L & I/L	
Betsy Mianecki	716-7143
Administrator	
Carolyn Martin	716-7221
Admissions Coordinator TCU	
Beth Humble	716-7427
Assisted Living Nurse Denise Klimaszewski	716-7115
Beauty Salon	
Appointments	716-7180
Chaplain	
Laura Stone	716-7438
Community Liason	740 7005
Sue McCallum	716-7395
Dining Services Mgr. Hisam Chowdury	716-7419
Director of Nursing	110-1413
Jeff Robinson	716-7416
Driver	
Ann Marie Hart	716-7142
Environmental Serv. Adm. Ass	-
Michelle Willer	716-7418
Executive Director	740 7440
David Miller	716-7410
Fitness Specialist Chris Gorde	716-7385
Front Desk	110-1303
Receptionist	725-6030
Haven Hall Nurse	
Derek Vanhaaren	716-7384
Housekeeping / Laundry Mgr.	
Teri Lynn Taylor	716-7418
Maintenance Work Request	
Front Desk	725-6030
Maintenance Emergencies After 11:00pm	248-996-2470
HCC Activity/Volunteer Mgr.	240-330-2470
Sheri Stover	716-7021
Physical Therapy Mgr.	
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Resident Care Mgr.	
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Sales & Leasing Specialist	740 7000
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Peggy Carroll Kathy Moore	716-7397 716-7183
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9/01 Estelle Koval
9/04 Leona Collins
9/07 Maggie Peacock
9/12 Beverly Graham
9/14 Mary Ann Mason
9/18 Thomas Martiss
9/18 Patricia Peterson
9/18 Irene Wagner
9/21 Catherine Wright
9/24 Ed Jerawski
9/27 Barbara David
9/27 Kathleen Markie
9/28 Phyllis Chadwick
9/30 Judith Miller



## Make a Fall Door Hanger Thursday, September 16 2:00pm Midrise-Community Room

RSVP by: September 7 Betsy-586-716-7143

