

September 2021 Newsletter



Astronomy Night

Join us on **Tuesday, September 21 at 7:15 pm** for Some astronomy with Pete Schneider! Pete is an amateur astronomer who has come the last 4 years to show us a variety of things in the night sky. This time he will talk about Saturn and Jupiter, their moons, and show pictures of them. Pete comes early and sets up his telescope to get just the right pictures for us! He will be in the Ponds Parking Lot for us all to see. If the sky isn't clear on September 21 we will have a **backup date** as **Wednesday, September 22 at 7:15 pm.**

Guardian Angels Fall Festival Fireworks

Each year, Guardian Angels celebrates their Fall Festival with fireworks. It will be on **Saturday, September 18** at Dusk.



We have the best view in town! There will be chairs set up in the Ponds parking lot for you all to enjoy. This will be the best fireworks that you have seen in a long time!

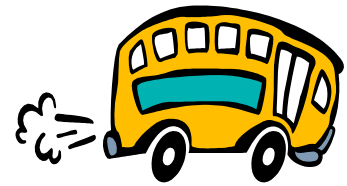
September Entertainment



- **Every Other Wednesday at 1:00 pm-**
Sing-Along with Susie Q (Channel 51)
- **Thursday, September 16 at 2:00 pm-**
Bobby & Christine (Sing & Guitar & other instruments)
- **Friday, September 17 at 2:00 pm-** Summer & Janis (Sing & Guitar)
- **Thursday, September 23 at 2:00 pm-** Sing-Along w/ Tom Janochoski
 - **Thursday, September 30 at 2:00 pm-**
Mellow Fellows (Mens Chorus)

All in person concerts will be in the Community Room.

Bus Trips & Other Information



Scheduled Bus Trips

Wednesday the 8th	Cub	1:00 pm
Thursday the 9th	Acapulco Restaurant	11:00 am
Tuesday the 14th	The Dollar Tree	1:00 pm
Wednesday the 15th	Target: Woodbury	1:00 pm
Monday the 20th	Culver's	11:00 am
Tuesday the 21st	Pine Tree Apple Orchard	1:00 pm
Wednesday the 22nd	Wal-Mart	1:00 pm
Tuesday the 28th	Aldi	1:00 pm
Wednesday the 29th	HyVee	1:00 pm
Thursday the 30th	Pizza Ranch	11:00 am



Guardian Angels Bus Trips

Our wonderful volunteer drivers bring tenants to Guardian Angels on **Saturdays at 4:00 pm** for Mass at 4:30 pm. The bus picks up at both the Pines and Ponds entrances. Please call the Receptionist to sign-up if you are interested in going to Mass. You may only sign up for one week at a time.

Tenant Council Bingo is on **Saturday, September 11**. It will always be the 2nd Saturday of the month. There will also be Bingo on **Monday, September 27**.



Both Bingo events will be at **2:00 pm** in the Community Room.



A hand and foot card group will continue to meet on **Sundays at 1:00 pm** in the Ponds 1st Floor Coffee Area. They would like to teach others to play if interested!

More Information!



Spiritual Life at Oak Meadows

Chaplain John will have **Bible Study on Mondays at 10:30 am (except 9/6)**. **Devotional Prayer Ministry on Wednesdays at 10:30 am**. **Worship with Chaplain John on Sundays at 10:00 am**. The **Rosary Group** will meet in person on **Tuesdays at 6:30 pm**.



****All events will be in the Community Room****



In-House Podiatry Day

On **Thursday, September 2 at 9:00 am** in the Community Room, a podiatrist will be here to provide services. Please see the insert for what In-House can provide. If you would like to be seen, you must turn in a completed form to the Reception Desk by Tuesday, August 31.

White Bear Historical Society

On **Thursday, September 9 at 2:00 pm** in the Community Room, the White Bear Historical Society will be here to talk about White Bear's Resort Era. The arrival of the railroad also meant the beginning of White Bear's Golden Resort Era. Throughout this illustrated program we will explore the grandest of the resorts and recreation sites around the lake.



MacPhail Sing for Life Choir

We are excited to continue to offer another opportunity from MacPhail Center for Music! Practices will be on **Thursdays at 10:00 am** in the Community Room with teaching artist Joey Clark. The sessions will begin on **Thursday, September 16**. We hope you come down to meet Joey and enjoy time singing together!

Golden Bells Practice

Our Bell Choir meets **every other Friday at 1:00 pm** in the Community Room, and is lead by our wonderful volunteer, Janell. All bells are colored and Janell holds cards with the colored bells on them. No experience necessary!





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To all the Tenants and Staff at Oak Meadows,
Friday, October 1 will be my last day here. I will be retiring after 16 years as the Reception Supervisor. I have met wonderful people along the way and I am going to miss all of you. Thank you for bringing joy to my life. I appreciate each and every one of you. I plan to spend more time with the grandkids and just enjoy life. Thank you again!
Take care and stay well, Deb Ruzek

Greetings all, It is with many emotions that I write this announcement of Deb Ruzeks retirement on October 1st. Deb has been with Oak Meadows as our Receptionist Supervisor for over 16 years. She has managed our 24 hour/ 7 day a week front desk with incredible organizational skills, with a smile, with amazing love and care. She will be very missed and we wish her all the best as she begins this new journey in her life. Please take a moment in these next few weeks to stop by and wish Deb well. I know we will all miss her very much. Thank you Deb! For your years of service and your love for the Oak Meadows community. Sincerely, Deb Veit, Executive Director