

# COPPERFIELD HILL CHATTER

OCTOBER 2017

## A NOTE FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Greetings to the Copperfield Community—

A week ago, with temperatures in the 90's you would never have thought it was time to rake leaves and carve pumpkins.

For the second year, we welcomed fall with our Harvest Fest. Residents, their families, friends and neighbors were welcomed on the front lawn of Copperfield Hill. All enjoyed: music, a petting zoo, games, food and fun. We also enjoyed the famous Chmielewski Family Polka Band.

I would also like to thank and congratulate all of those who helped with the recent Walk to End Alzheimer's. The final tally has yet to be officially reported, but our team was very successful in reaching their goal of \$2,500. Many residents and staff participated with the Walk. We are very proud, each year, to represent our community.

October should prove to be a busy month. Thanks to all for your continued efforts to welcome our new neighbors.

Enjoy the month,

Todd Klein, Executive Director



### Manor Office Hours:

Mon - Fri 9:00am-6:00pm

Sat - 10:00am-4:00pm

Sun - Noon - 4:00pm

### Location:

4200 40th Ave North

Robbinsdale, MN 55422

763-277-1001

### Lodge Office Hours:

Mon- Fri 9:00am-5:30pm

Sat-Sun: 10:00am- 4:00pm

### Location:

4020 Lakeland Ave North

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### JOIN OUR MAILING LIST!

If you would like to join our mail or e-mail list, please e-mail your request to [subscribe@copperfieldhill.com](mailto:subscribe@copperfieldhill.com). If you have questions about becoming a resident of Copperfield Hill, feel free to contact us at (763) 277-1001 or visit us on the web at [www.copperfieldhill.com](http://www.copperfieldhill.com)



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## EVENT HIGHLIGHTS FOR OCTOBER

### Manor

October 11th at 2:00 pm Birthday Party w/ Lyndon Peterson



October 18th at 2:30 pm Happy Hour with CODA



October 19th at 11:00 am Pastor Brunch with Residents



October 25th at 1:30 pm Full Bloom



October 31st at 2:00 pm Halloween Party



### Lodge

October 3rd at 12:30 pm Walmart Trip



October 4th at 2:30 pm Healthy Snack Club



October 9th at 12:30 pm Target Trip



October 11th at 12:30 pm Movie Outing



October 19th at 2:00 pm Birthday Party



October 26th at 12:30 pm Pokeno



### **A Note From the Business Office**

As a convenience for our tenants, we offer ACH, as a way of automatically paying each month's rent. ACH stands for Automated Clearing House. It is an electronic network for financial transactions in the US.

You can pick up the form in the main office. Fill out the form and attach a voided check. Return the form and check to either front desk, Lodge or Manor. The rent will be deducted from your bank account automatically each month.

If you sign up in the month of October, your name will be put into a drawing for a \$50 gift card to Target.

**Ask The Nurse**—October 27th, 10:00 am in the Manor Dining Room. Please come get your blood pressure checked and discuss questions with our nursing staff.



**First Responders Breakfast**—Police Officers from the Robbinsdale Police Department joined us on September 11th for breakfast. Our thanks for their service.



## Notes from Pastor Jan

### Pastor/Resident Brunch

The Pastor/Resident Brunch will be on October 19th at 11am in the Manor Dining Room. Invitations have been sent to those pastors that residents requested be included. More information will be available as we begin to receive RSVP's.

### Angle Tree Ceremony

The Angle Tree Ceremony will be October 5th at 6pm on the Copperfield Hill front lawn. We will remember our fellow residents and friends who have passed away. We will dedicate a special tree in their honor.

### Needed: Volunteer Organist or Piano Player

We are looking for a volunteer organist to play at the Worship Service, 3rd Tuesday of each month at 2pm in the Manor Community Room. Contact: Pastor Jan at 763-913-8347 or [jhartsook@copperfieldhill.com](mailto:jhartsook@copperfieldhill.com).

### A Letter from Dining Services

Dear Copperfield Hill Residents,



In the next couple of weeks I will be sending out a survey to all residents, asking for menu ideas for our weekly menus. If you have some favorite family recipes you would like to share, the details on how to get them to me will be in the survey.

There has been some confusion on Sunday about which meal ticket to use. We serve a heavier meal at noon, this will be called Dinner. Please use a dinner ticket for this meal. For the Sunday evening meal, use your lunch ticket, and this meal will be called Supper. This will be indicated on our weekly menus moving forward.

For any resident interested in joining us for a meal in the dining room, meal tickets are available for purchase from the Manor front desk. If you come for a meal, and do not have a meal ticket, an invoice billable will be presented to you for a signature, and that meal will be charged to your monthly account.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at the phone number provided, or stop by my office on the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor.

Sincerely,

Brian Kesanen, Director of Dining Services

(763) 447-9440



## Welcome Neighbors!

**Richard & Judith S.**

**Rose B.**

**Robert K.**

**Joyce R.**

**Darlene H.**

**Patricia B.**

### Resident Referral Gift

Welcome to many new residents. Thanks to all of you who have recently made referrals. Remember, there is a \$500 referral gift for those referring to the Manor and a gift card for those referring to the Lodge.



## Happenings from the Recreation and Wellness Department

Happy autumn everyone! September was filled with many exciting activities. We started it off by going to Emma Krumbie's and the largest candy store southwest of the Twin Cities. On Saturday, September 9<sup>th</sup> Residents and staff went to Target field for The Walk to End Alzheimer's. Thanks to all who helped with fundraising for the Alzheimer's Association. Copperfield Hill raised over \$2,500 for the Alzheimer's Association. The following week was National Assisted Living Week. Staff and residents participated in a variety of recreational events. Residents and staff had fun competing against each other in Wii Bowling. Residents also enjoyed singing their hearts out in the resident/staff karaoke contest. The residents won! The last week of September was jammed packed! We had a going away party for Bernice, who is moving to be closer to family. There were two major outings, one to the Plymouth Playhouse to see the "Looney Lutherans" and a visit to the MN Landscape Arboretum. We ended September with Copperfield Hill's Harvest Fest. People of all ages came out to partake in the activities. There was a petting zoo, face painting, lawn games, wonderful food the Chmielewski Polka Band. We even had a family member come dressed as a Viking. It was a wonderful turnout and a lot of fun. Thanks to everyone who helped make this event a huge success. ~ Beth Sutton



National Assisted Living Week was September 10-16! Lenny and Charlotte competed against each other in Wii Bowling!! Fun was had by all!



## HARVEST FEST!



## Memory Care Moments

McPhail Music for Life visited recently and we shared an afternoon of music with our Caring Companions. We all sang and used a large parachute as we exercised to the music. The residents loved the program.



Residents enjoyed bible study with Pastor Jan. Our Artsy Smartsy class created fall paper leaves.



Thank you to all of the residents, staff, family members and neighbors who donated their time, talents and funds to make the 2017 Walk to End Alzheimer's a success. Our bus arrived early on September 9th down at Target Field. There were thousands of people there. Through the generosity of all of you, we met our goal. We look forward to the 2018 Walk. Thank you for all your support. ~ Brenda and Beth

## Did you know...Charles M. Schulz

On October 2, 1950 the nation was introduced to a loveable new character, Charlie Brown. Minnesota native, Charles M. Schulz published the first Peanuts comic strip in 7 newspapers nationwide. Along with Charlie Brown, he brought to life many iconic characters: Snoopy, Linus, Sally, Lucy, Peppermint Patty and many more.



Even though Charles Schulz was the creator of the Peanuts Gang, he never liked the name of the comic. Charles wanted to name it "Good Old Charlie Brown". Many of the characters in the Peanuts comic were based off of real life people or events. For instance, Charlie Brown's name came from an old friend of Charles Schulz who he had met after serving in the Second World War. Charlie Brown's infamous crush, the little red-haired girl was based off a girl Charles Schulz had once loved. Schulz introduced his first African-American character, Franklin, after the assassination of Martin Luther King Jr. The 1969 music festival, Woodstock, gave Schulz the name for Snoopy's yellow feathered friend.

The Peanuts Gang even made it to space. NASA got in touch with Schulz after the Apollo 1 fire disaster. NASA wanted to create a new safety program and requested the mascot for the campaign be Snoopy. Schulz agreed to the partnership. Later, on the Apollo 10 mission, the crew named the lunar module, Snoopy. The command module was named Charlie Brown.

Schulz continued to draw and write Peanuts comics for nearly 50 years. In 1999, Schulz announced his retirement. On February 12, 2000 Charles M. Schulz lost his battle with colon cancer. His death was just one day shy of the final Peanuts comic strip appearance in the newspaper, February 13<sup>th</sup>.



<https://schulzmuseum.org/timeline#!/1960>

<http://www.history.com/news/9-things-you-might-not-know-about-peanuts>



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