# COPPERFIELD HILL CHATTER

# **OCTOBER 2018**

## A Note from the Executive Director

Greetings to the Copperfield Hill Community -

Fall is here. September seemed to just fly by. Thanks to all who welcomed our First Responders here at Copperfield Hill for breakfast on the 11th. We are grateful for their dedicated service.

Although we had to move some of our Harvest Fest festivities inside, I hope that you enjoyed time with neighbors, friends and family. It was a busy day with games, face painting, petting zoo and great music celebrating the season. With Germany being the country we are celebrating in October, it is only fitting that we begin with our own Oktoberfest. Thanks to all who contributed to the event.

On another note, the renovation in the Manor Sun Room is now complete. Thank you for your patience as we finished this project. It took a bit longer than anticipated but please enjoy the updated space.

October is certain to be full of activity here at Copperfield Hill. We will remember friends and family at our Angle Tree Ceremony on the 4th. We will welcome local pastors to our community for fellowship and brunch later in the month. Flu season is around the corner. Make note of the flu shot clinics offered through Walgreens Pharmacy.

Thank you for continuing to welcome new neighbors to our community. I hope you enjoy the crisp fall days of October.

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Todd Klein, Executive Director

#### JOIN OUR MAILING LIST!

If you would like to join our mail or e-mail list, please e-mail your request to <u>sschmidt@copperfieldhill.com</u>. 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 <u>www.copperfieldhill.com</u>



# Manor Office Hours:

Mon - Fri 9:00am-5:30pm Sat – 10:00am-4:00pm

Sun - Noon - 4:00pm

# <u>Location:</u>

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 Robbinsdale, MN 55422 763-277-1001



The Robbinsdale Whiz Bang Royal Court stopped by the Harvest Fest and posed with "Don the Viking "

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## **Recreation & Wellness Beth Sutton Brenda Warner Erin Maines**

**Pastor Jan Hartsook** 

**Building Assistant Managers** Mary Ngeru Marci Franz

#### **Event Highlights for October**

#### Manor

October 5th at 9:30 am October 10th at 2:00 pm October 10th at 2:00 pm October 17th at 2:30 pm October 18th at 10:30 am October 26th at 11 am October 31st at 1:30 pm

Emma Krumbee's Birthday Party with Shawn Sweeney Jewelry Sale, Manor Dining Room Happy Hour with Ross McLeod Silver and Gold Luncheon outing Outing to the Sunshine Factory Halloween Party

#### Lodge\*

October 3rd at 12:15 pm October 4th at 2:30 pm October 9th at 1:30 pm October 16th at 2:30-pm October 14th at 12:15 pm October 24th at 12:30 pm October 25th at 2:00 pm October 31st at 1:30 pm

Outing to LeeAnn Chin's Apple Pie in the Dining Room Artsy Smartsy Pumpkin Craft Pumpkin Pie in the Dining Room **Red Lobster Outing** Wine and Cheese Party Birthday Party with Ross McLeod Halloween Pizza Party \*Arts and Crafts every Wednesday afternoon at 3pm

# **Notes from Nursing**



Flu shots will be available through Walgreens Pharmacy for Copperfield Hill residents. Manor and Lodge residents should call Walgreens at 763-537-9487 to sign up and also supply Walgreens with their Medicare/insurance information. Consent forms were mailed out to Memory Care Families in September.

Shots will be available at the following times:

October 3rd, 1pm-3pm in the Manor Community Room.

October 10th, 1pm-3 pm in the Lodge Media Room / Lower Level

October 17th for both Memory Care communities—time is TBD.

If you have any questions, please contact the nursing staff.

### Memory Care Moments

A visit from Linda, Harvey and Lily is always a great way to spend the afternoon. Residents enjoyed having their favorite pet therapy here at Copperfield.



Copperfield Hill is a sponsor for *The Music Performance Trust Fund of the Twin Cities*. We were pleased to have Jim Shannon come and entertain in our memory care community. He is known as the musical clown, "Professor Piano". He





shared a collection of his favorite songs and music trivia.



Notes from Pastor Jan

The Angle Tree Ceremony will be held on October

4th at 6 pm on the Manor Front Lawn. This is an opportunity for us to honor those at Copperfield Hill who have passed away during the year. All are welcome to participate. In case of inclement weather, the ceremony will be held in the Manor Community Room.

Also, the next Pastor/Resident Brunch will be held on October 25th at 11am, in the Manor Dining Room. Please watch your boxes for more information. Please see Beth or Pastor Jan with any questions.

Join us to assemble New Born Kits in the Manor Dining Room on October 30th at 3pm. The kits will be distributed to local charities.

## **Marketing Minutes**

#### Copperfield Hill Fall Harvest Fest—September 29th

Thank you to all who helped and participated with our third annual Harvest Fest. The weather was a bit chilly but fun was had by all.

If there is someone you know who might be interested in moving in to Copperfield, please let us know. We have a **\$500 referral fee** for anyone who refers a friend to the building. Fall is normally a very busy time to move, before the snow falls.

Medicare enrollment is coming up. Copperfield recently hosted two in-

formational sessions concerning the new changes. More detailed information will be available after October 1st. Our next informational Medicare session will be Thursday, October 18th.



## Welcome Neighbors!

Rosetta W. Dorothy A. Simon B. Janet and Clarence T. Percell C. Patty N.

#### Facts about October

Oct. 1, 1908—Henry Ford's Model T, a universal car, designed for the masses went on sale for the first time.

Oct. 3, 1863—President Abraham Lincoln issued a proclamation designating the last Thursday in November as Thanksgiving Day.

Oct. 8, 1871—The Great Fire of Chicago erupted.

Oct. 12, 1492—After a 33 day voyage, Christopher Columbus made landfall in the New World.

Oct. 19, 1960—US embargo of Cuba began.

Oct. 21, 1879—Thomas Edison successfully tested an electric incandescent lamp, keeping it lit for over 13 hours.

Oct. 24, 1945—United Nations was founded.

www.historyplace.com

## Happenings from the Recreation and Wellness Department

Where did September go? As the days get shorter and cooler, we will continue to be busy throughout the fall months. We began the month with National Assisted Living Week. One fun event was the resident/staff karaoke contest.

September ended with Copperfield Hill's Harvest Fest. A few accommodations were made as the weather turned chilly and most of our celebration was inside. However, residents and families had a great time. Thanks to everyone who helped make it such a huge success. October calendars for the Manor and Lodge are packed with a variety of programs and special events. Manor residents will be going to the world's largest candy store in Jordan and then a stop at Emma Krumbee's in Belle Plain. There are some fun outings for the Lodge this month too. They will be going to Leeann Chin and Red Lobster. We will end the month with Halloween parties across campus. So start thinking about a costume!!

Germany will be the country represented for our passport travels this month. Look for special programs regarding Germany in October. May everyone enjoy a wonderful kickoff to the autumn season. ~Beth Sutton















National Assisted Living Week! Residents enjoyed striking a pose at the Photo Booth!





Karaoke contestants in the Manor



Lodge Residents are off to Culver's



Germany is Europe's most industrialized and populous country. Famed for its technological achievements, it has also produced some of Europe's most celebrated composers, philosophers and poets.

Achieving national unity later than other European nations, Germany quickly caught up economically and militarily, before defeats in the two World Wars left it shattered, facing the difficult legacy of Nazism, and divided between Europe's Cold War blocs.

Germany rebounded to become the continent's economic giant, and a prime mover of European cooperation. With the end of the Cold War, the two parts of the country were once again united, although the economy of the former east continues to lag behind the rest of the country.

Key dates in Germany's History:

- 1871 Otto von Bismarck unifies Germany
- 1914-18 World War I. Germany is defeated and becomes a republic.
- 1933 Adolf Hitler, head of the far-right Nazi Party, becomes chancellor.
- 1939-45 Second World War sees defeat of Germany and its partition into the pro-western Federal Republic and the Soviet-controlled German Democratic Republic.
- 1955 West Germany joins NATO; East Germany joins the Warsaw Pact.
- 1957 West Germany is a founding member of the European Economic Community.
- 1961 Construction of the Berlin Wall to prevent flight of East Germans to the increasingly prosperous West.
- 1970 West German Chancellor Willy Brandt establishes relations with East Germany in an effort to ease ten sions across the Iron Curtain.
- 1989 Mass exodus of East Germans as Soviet bloc countries relax travel restrictions. Berlin Wall is torn down.
- 1990 Chancellor Helmut Kohl reunites Germany as a single state.
- 2005 Democrat Angela Merkel becomes chancellor.



## **Resident Spotlight**

Meet Dee. Dee moved to Copperfield earlier this year after rehabilitation from a serious accident where she was run over by a car in a church parting lot. After her recovery from surgery and time spent at a TCU, Dee knew she needed more help. She truly enjoys living at Copperfield Hill and all the people she has met so far.

Dee was born and raised in LeMars, Iowa (home of Blue Bunny ice cream) and attended Wayne State Teacher's College. She finished her degree in St. Cloud and began teaching in Robbinsdale in 1959. Dee taught 5th grade from 1959-1992. She taught at different schools, but they were all in District 281. She only taught 5th grade.

Before moving to Copperfield, Dee lived in Plymouth and was very busy with different groups. She is very close to her two nieces, who are like daughters. Dee was an active participant at Leisure Age at ELIM Church and is glad that it has been revived at RUCC. She also enjoys swimming with a senior group at the YMCA called the "Mermaids" and stays connected with her Red Hat group. She enjoys cards, dominos and bingo here at Copperfield and is always up for a game. She also enjoys all the entertainment at Copperfield and dinner at the Copper Stein Tavern. There isn't much that Dee hasn't tried. She enjoys the new friends she has met here, and is surprised at how long some residents have lived at Copperfield. She will call Copperfield home and mentions that she doesn't miss taking care of a yard or having a car. Dee we are glad you chose Copperfield Hill as your home.

# Harvest Fest Highlights







Visit to the petting zoo, Marilyn posing with her family after face painting, Brian putting the finishing touches on a beautiful buffet, Friends enjoy music from the third floor, Pastor Jan & family and Brittiany painting faces









At our recent Harvest Fest, with cards close on hand, Dee organized a foursome for a impromptu game of 500.