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CHRISTMAS MISCHIEF

BY THE WILLOW'S RESIDENTS

"A fun game of hide and seek turns into a disaster in Grandma and Grandpa's basement! Grandma is still trying to get all of the decorations up for the holiday and she only has a week left before Santa comes. Grandma has been busy baking cookies, the entire house smells of Christmas! The grandkids, Jimmy, Donald, and Sally run around in the basement and knock over the Christmas tree! Oh No! Then they come up with the idea to blame it on the animals. Two cats, Tink and Friskie, and the dog, Trouble. The animals can't tell grandma and grandpa what really happened and the kids won't get into trouble. When grandma comes back

into the room and finds the tree knocked over and the innocent pets sitting near it, she becomes angry but she is a forgiving grandma so she just begins the cleanup process. The grandkids feel so guilty for not being honest and telling grandma what really happened that they start to help grandma clean up the miss without being asked and grandma gets suspicious. Grandma now suspects the grandkids did this but says nothing; she wants them to tell the truth. Grandma deems that NO ONE can have any Christmas cookies until she finds out the truth! Suddenly little Jimmy blames Sally and Donald blames Sally! It looks like it was Sally who made the mess; two against one! Sally apologizes and grandma rewards the kids for their honesty and everyone gets a Christmas cookie after the mess is all cleaned up."

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RESIDENT GIFT OPENING

On Thursday, December 21st, our residents opened up their gifts from our giving tree. We would like to thank all who bought gifts for our residents. They loved them!

LOST & FOUND

Is your loved one missing their favorite sweater? Does it seem like your loved one's closet is looking a little thin? Every 1st and 3rd Thursday after care plans (approximately around 11:30 am) until 2:00 pm there will be lost and found in the Oakwood Conference Room. This is a time where residents and their loved ones can come claim any missing or lost items.





SPECIAL THANKS TO OUR Volunteers and donors

Freeport & German Valley Lions Clubs for Monday Sundaes, Schwartz and Burke-Tubbs Funeral Homes for buying a newspaper subscription for our residents, Dan & Roc, Minister Guess, Evelyn Williams, Jane & Shirley, Ron Timm, Ethel Timm, Pastor Boos, Pastor Thurman, Judy & Bev, Ed with Heartland Hospice, Dan Proud and sister Kit, Deb Rausch, Kathy Hillmer, Elaine Hayunga, FHN Hospice Singers, Bob Marcum and Lynn Lott, The Bald Family for the monthly birthday party, Stonewall Stitchers, Christina's Bakery in German Valley for cookie decorating, Aquin Interact and Freeport High art class for door decorations, and Aquin girls basketball team for caroling. Also thank you to all who bought gifts for our residents from our giving tree including Oakley Courts, St. John's United Church of Christ, FHN Hospice, Cindy Hyde, and Betty McKenna.

HAPPY NEW YEAR!



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