



The Greens of Elgin

August 2020

Notes and News

Elgin, Illinois

Notes from the Board President:

Dear Residents,

I'm pretty sure all of us are quite weary of this COVID-19 thing. When will it end??? I am so hopeful that we will have a vaccine by the end of the year and then maybe we can somewhat get back to normal. You must be tired of hearing WEAR YOUR MASK, WASH YOUR HANDS & PRACTICE SOCIAL DISTANCING. The truth is, listening to those words and doing what they say is still the most important way that we can keep the virus from The Greens.

I'd like to welcome two new residents; Mary Bowman in Unit 140 and Mary Ann Foltmer in Unit 236. We're so happy to have you both with us and we look forward to getting to know you.

Sometime next week you'll be getting some information about voting on September 1st at 10 AM in our Dining Room to increase our Board of Directors from 3 members to 5 members. It will be necessary to get an affirmative vote from 2/3 of all our owners to pass this resolution. We will need to have everyone vote!! We want you to know that your present Board, Ron Barkby, Jim Gathman and myself, all agree that a 5 person Board would be a better representation of our 90 owners. It would allow us to take advantage of the diversity of knowledge, experience, expertise and perspective of more of you. We strongly encourage a YES vote on September 1st.

We are entering what is called "the Dog Days of Summer." The expression "Dog Days of Summer" is a reference to the hot months when the dog star, Sirius, is prominent in the sky. I hope you can get outside to enjoy these warm sunny days. Stay safe, stay healthy and enjoy every day as best you can!

May God bless us all and bring peace and health to our world!



Note from the Manager

Wow! How time flies, here we are in August 2020. I am glad to see that more activities and events are taking place. During these summer months it is important to keep the windows closed if you are running your air conditioner. This cuts down on the electricity bill and wasted energy. The Maintenance team would like to remind you that if you need maintenance please come to the Front Desk to submit a work order. We are done painting the interior hallways. In August we are planning to wash and paint the garage trim as well as the entry doors in the garage area.

The summer sun is in full force and most of us are experiencing side-effects with the heat. Remember to drink plenty of fluids to stay hydrated. If you or someone you care for is on a special diet, ask a doctor how best to accommodate during the extreme heat.

Enjoy the day!

Dedicated property service

If you have a Maintenance Emergency, dial the Greens Emergency Number
630- 339-5478

Suggestion Box

The Greens suggestion box is open for business. We will be reading all your suggestions in the Open Forum part of our next Board Meeting. The suggestion box is in the Activity Room below the announcement board.



Reminders:

All dinner menus are due every Tuesday by 1pm.

Sign up for BINGO at the Front Desk. Only 24 spots are open to play. You must wear a mask to play.

When walking outside the building make sure to take your cell phone with you or wear your pendant in case of an emergency.

Whenever we have entertainment in the Piano Room, remember to
SOCIAL DISTANCE & WEAR A MASK.

Parking

All caregivers and employees need to park in the back of the building. This includes all live-in caregivers. Cars can not be parked in the same spot in front of the building for days. Especially now that we are having more deliveries from family and friends. Please do not park in the entrance circle, the drive is only for pick ups and drop offs.

Front Desk

We would like to remind everyone that there are 4 open spaces available in the garage. If interested stop at the Front Desk to see Diane.

Please remind all friends and family members to sign in at the Front Desk.

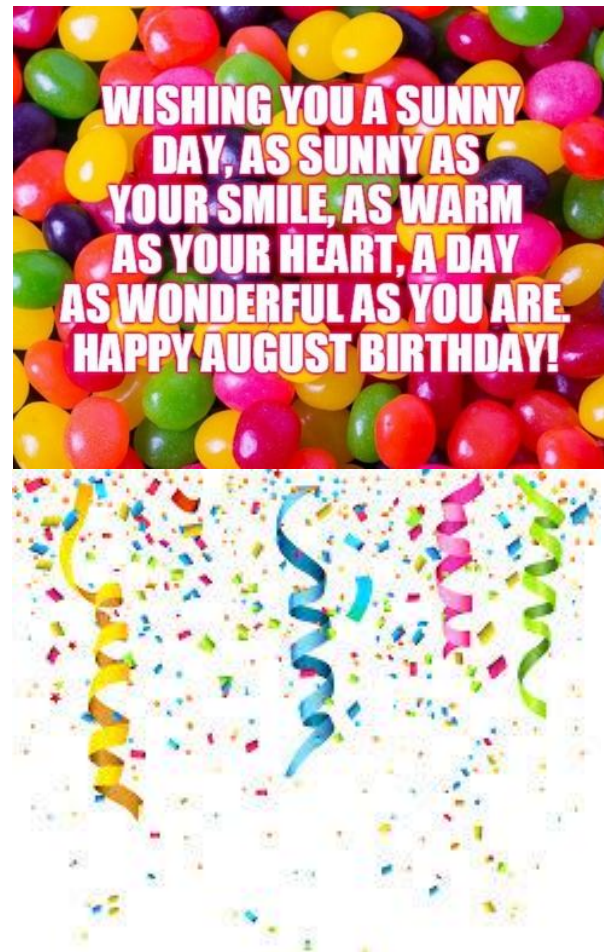
We have renamed the room/office located in the cart room as the Multipurpose Room. Since the room is used for the Podiatrist, chair massage, flu shots, and has a multiple use we decided this would be the best name for the room. We will have a temporary sign made for now and label it.

Birthdays!

August 6- Donna Fisher
August 6- Edward Hitchler
August 8- Mary Ann Lucas
August 11- Shirley Pool
August 31-Pat Schuman

August Employee Birthday

August 15- Laima B



New Cleaners Service:

They will deliver and pick up items.

Thank you Marilyn Foster for referring them to us.



Route Delivery

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Customer Service - (630) 587-2400

Accounting Office - (630) 584-0170

www.marberrycleaners.com

delivery@marberrycleaners.com

prices subject to change

SUITS

2pc	\$11.05	<i>Silk</i> \$12.05
3pc	\$12.75	\$13.25
BLAZERS/SPT.CTS	\$6.35	\$7.20
SUIT VEST	\$4.70	\$5.55
NECKTIES/SCARFS	\$4.50	\$5.00

PANTS

Regular	\$5.90	\$6.80
Lined/Pleated	\$6.10	\$6.85
SKI PANTS	\$7.65	
SHORTS	\$5.05	\$5.80

DRESSES

Plain up to 5 pleats	\$11.05	\$12.65
Long Dress	\$12.60	\$14.25
Pleated	\$12.65	\$14.25
2pc DRESS & JKT	\$13.25	\$14.25

SKIRTS

Plain	\$6.10	\$8.05
Pleated- up to 5 pleats	\$7.05	\$8.05
Pleated- over 6 pleats	\$8.05	\$9.05

SWEATERS

Plain	\$5.35	
Bulky	\$6.45	
Sleeveless	\$5.10	
Cashmere/Angora	\$6.45	
Silk/Beaded	\$6.78	

BLOUSES/SHIRTS	\$5.60	\$6.85
GOLF SHIRT-Dryclean	\$4.75	
RIDING JACKET	\$7.85	
RIDING PANTS	\$7.55	
JUMPSUITS	\$12.40	\$13.40

LAUNDERED SHIRTS

Hangers -	\$2.15	Tux - \$3.40
Boxed -	\$2.50	Blouse - \$3.10
Golf Shirt -	\$3.10	

COATS (Outer Wear)

SHORT - Waistlength	\$ 12.05
MEDIUM - 3/4	\$ 13.05
LONG - Knee or below	\$ 15.60
RAINCOAT	\$ 12.55
RAINCOAT/Zip out lining	\$ 13.60
RAINCOAT & Water repel	\$ 14.80
FUR COLLARED	\$ 20.25
CAMEL HAIR/CASHMERE	\$ 23.25
IMITATION FUR	\$ 30.25
Add Water Repel	\$ 4.00

DOWN COATS

Short	\$ 15.95
Medium	\$ 20.25
Long	\$ 25.25

JACKETS (Outer Wear)

Windbreaker	\$ 8.45
Light Spring Jacket	\$ 8.10
lining or hooded	\$ 9.60
Heavy Jackets	\$ 11.75

CHILDRENS PRICE LIST

2pc Suit	\$ 7.95
3pc Suit	\$ 8.40
BLAZER/SPT CTS	\$ 5.30
NECKTIE	\$ 3.85
VESTS	\$ 3.85
PANTS	\$ 4.75
SHORTS	\$ 5.05
SKIRTS	\$ 4.90
SWEATERS	\$ 4.70
BLOUSES/SHIRTS	\$ 3.15
Plain Dress	\$ 7.85
Fancy Dress	\$ 9.95
COATS	\$ 8.75

Activity Department News

We will be celebrating International National Senior Citizen Day Friday, August 21st from 12pm-3pm on the Patio We will be serving Brats, Hot dogs, Hamburgers, and refreshing drinks. Hope to see you there!!

The Activity Committee agreed on celebrating the monthly resident Birthday Party on the second Wednesday of the month instead of the last Wednesday day of the month.

Janet Soto, Activity Coordinator

Vespers Service

On Monday, August 17,th Chaplain Dan Anderson and his unusual friend, Rodney, will be the speakers for our Vesper service. Chaplain Dan has been ministering at the Holmstad Retirement Home in Batavia for nineteen years, and he has been the Pastor of the Covenant Church of Schaumburg for eighteen years. Little is known about Rodney, but we have heard that he is a “hit” whenever he speaks.

Vespers service

Monday, August 17th 3:30pm-4:15pm.

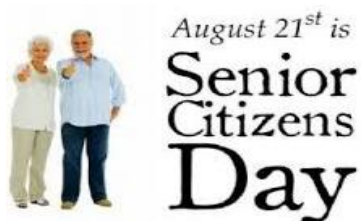
Everyone who calls “The Greens” their home is invited.

Place: the common area from the dining room doors to the piano, with social distancing; bring your mask.

Your Vespers Committee: Leila B., Sandy B., Joan D., Barb L., and Janice W.

SPECIAL EVENT:

Activity Committee and I agreed on having a cook out on the patio to celebrate National Senior Citizen Day Friday, August 21st at 12pm. Don't forget to mark your calendars to join us.



Celebrating July Fourth Cook Out



Music Commitee:

Chairperson Marilyn Foster, and members Carolyn, and Jim Gathman, Joyce, Shannon, Joan Stevenson, Coral Reinert and Sue Williams.

The Greens of Elgin is happy to resume our music programming for the first time since the onset of the coronavirus.

We are excited to welcome an old friend, the popular and talented pianist John LaBorne, for another exciting show on Friday, Aug 14th at 7:15 pm, mark your calendar.

We are happy to welcome the fantastic pianist, Mikhail Antashin. He will be with us Friday, August 28th at 7:15pm Once again, his daughter, Chanel, will be performing as well. As if that were not enough, their friend Miguel Rodriguez will also be accompanying them.

Our residents having a great time at our 4th of July cook out.





Big Thanks to our Activity
Committee Members
Victor Frausto and Myrna Stidham
for their help in the
Wine & Cheese Cracker day



FOOD FOR THOUGHT

Well it is hard to believe we have been reopened for almost two months. Glad to see so many people are coming down for a meal. We do understand many want to continue to stay in their places until all of this is over.

We will continue to serve quality meals that meet and exceed expectations. Even though cost and product availability have been skyrocketing, we have been able to carefully manage cost so we can continue with the more expensive items we have been offering.

As for now, we will not be doing any buffets or brunches until the end of the year.

As always, please let us know if you need something right away so we can get it for you at the time of service.

Thank you,

Bernie

Kitchen Supervisor

Monday, August 3	1pm	Hobby Lobby	Sign-up at the Front-Desk
Tuesday, August 4	11am	Walgreens/Local Banks	Sign-up at the Front Desk
Tuesday, August 4	1pm	Bingo W/Janet	In the overflow Dining Room
Wednesday, August 5	2pm	Resident Birthday	In the Dining Room
Thursday, August 6	1pm	Butera	Sign-up at the Front Desk
Thursday, August 6	2pm	Root Beer Floats	In the Activity Room
Friday, August 7	12pm	Community Lunch from Jesters	Sign-up at the Front Desk
Monday, August 10	1pm	Flu Shots in the Activty Room	Sign up at the Front Desk
Tuesday, August 11	10am	Board Meeting	In the Dining Room
Tuesday, August 11	4pm-4:45pm	Mobile Books	In Front of the building
Wednesday, August, 12	1pm-5pm	Podiatrist	In the Multi- purpose Room

Thursday, August,13	1pm	Jewel/Osco	Sign up at the Front Desk
Friday, August 14	11am	Parkinson's Support Group Meeting	In the Sun Room
Friday, August 14	1pm	BINGO	In the overflow Dining Room
Friday August 14	7:15pm	John Laborne	In the Piano Room
Monday, August 17	3:30pm	Vespers Service	In the Activity Room
Tuesday, August 18	1pm	BINGO	In the overflow Dining Room
Thursday, August 20	1pm	Meijer	Sign -up at the Front Desk
Friday, August 21	12pm-3pm	National Senior Citizen Celebration	On the patio
Monday, August 24	1pm	Target Store	Sign up at the front Desk
Tuesday, August 25	4pm-4:45pm	Mobile Books	In front of the building
Wednesday, August 26	1pm-5pm	Podiatrist	In the Multi- purpose Room
Thursday, August 27	1pm	Trader Joes	Sign-up at the Front Desk
Friday, August 28	11am	Parkinson's Support Group	In the Sunroom
Friday, August 28	11am	Bingo	In the overflow Dining Room
Friday, August 28	7:15pm	Mikhail Antashin	In the Piano Room
Monday, August 31	1pm	Bed Bath & Beyond	Sign- up at the Front Desk

Celebrating Employee Appreciation Day at The Greens



Big thanks to Leon and Fidencio
for cooking
on the grill for our employees

National Piña Colada Day

Thank you to Ron Barkby, our Local Bartender,
for making delicious Piña Coladas for us.



Resident having a great time Celebrating National Mojitos Day



August 2020

SUMMER

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 2pm Movie in the Activity Room 5pm Dinner
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1pm Dinner	1pm Hobby Lobby	11am Walgreens / Local Banks 1pm Bingo - w/ Janet	10:30am Exploring the Scriptures with Jim G. 2pm Resident Birthday Party	1pm Butera 2pm Root Beer Floats in the Activity Room	12pm Community Lunch from Jesters	2pm Movie in the Activity Room 5pm Dinner
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1pm Dinner	1pm Walgreens Flu Shots in the Activity Room	10am Board Meeting 11am Walgreens / Local Banks 1pm Bingo - w/ Janet 4pm-4:45pm Mobile Books	10:30am Exploring the Scriptures with Jim G. 1pm-5pm Podiatrist	11am Craft Class in the Activity Room Sign up at the Front Desk 1pm Jewel / Osco	11am Parkinson's Support Group 1pm Bingo - w/ Janet 7:15pm John Laborne Piano Room	2pm Movie in the Activity Room 5pm Dinner
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
1pm Dinner	3:30pm Vespers Service In the Activity Room	11am Walgreens / Local Banks 1pm Bingo - w/ Janet	10:30am Exploring the Scriptures with Jim G.	1pm Meijer's	12pm National Senior Citizen Day Cook out on the Patio	2pm Movie in the Activity Room 5pm Dinner
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
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30	31	Rick the Barber - here the 1st Monday of the Month (847)697-7605 Nails by Linda- Here every (monday from 8 :30am to 1pm by Appointments only (847)421-3369 Dee - here every Wednesday (847)224-9499 Diane- here every Friday and Saturday (847)997-3073 Monday Thru Friday Cards/Games in the Activity Room at 7pm every Sunday 2:30pm Bridge				
1pm Dinner	1pm Bed Bath & Beyond					