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at The Village Senior Residence

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January Happenings!

Family Appreciation Party!

All Village Senior Family members are cordially invited to come to this appreciation party with their resident! We want to say "Thank You" to our wonderful family members for all you do! Come to our main dining room on Friday, Jan. 19, at 2 p.m.!

Winter Snow Ball Dance!

It's that time again! Our winter dance is Saturday, Jan. 27. We will serve a heavy hors d'oeuvres dinner from the Parlor starting at 5 p.m. Music starts at 5:30 p.m. and dancing begins at 6 p.m. We have the wonderful Mudflaps again to provide our music. Bring your family and come dance and enjoy a wonderful evening of music!





Bugles Across America

In just 24 notes, the familiar bugle call known as taps has been sounded as part of a long-held tradition to honor those who have served in the military.

By law, every honorably discharged veteran has the right to a military honor guard at their memorial service. The honor guard must consist of at least two members of the military who fold and present the U.S. flag to the family and arrange for the sounding of taps, either live or recorded.

U.S. Marine Corps veteran Tom Day of Illinois felt those who had served their country deserved a proper tribute that included a live rendition of taps, so he founded Bugles Across America in 2000. The organization provides musicians free of charge to sound taps at military funerals.

Families can request a bugler at BuglesAcrossAmerica.org, and a notice is then sent to volunteers in the area. More than 4,000 people of all ages, in all 50 states and several countries, have registered as volunteer buglers.



Our Talk. Our Walk. Every Day!

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"I am responsible for the quality of the work environment and I am valued when I share ideas, feedback and opinions in a professional manner."

We know that one of the best ways to create a welcoming and great experience for everyone that lives, works or visits our community is by considering each person's feedback. Here, we are fortunate to have an employee base committed and dedicated to our residents and their wellbeing. Being committed to involving each resident and employee helps us improve our overall service. Sharing ideas, feedback, and opinions is essential and always appreciated. Our door is always open!

Kathryn's Korner

Dear Friends:

During the holidays there are so many wonderful foods we share with each other. I just love to get new ideas from everyone and trade recipes. Don't you?

I would like to share this little recipe that my Momma gave me several years ago. It's still the first one I see when I grab the recipe hox

Recipe for Good Living

- 1. Take one whole year, divide into twelve full-grown months.
- 2. Thoroughly free each from old memories of bitterness, rancor, hate and jealousy.
- 3. Pick off specks of pettiness and littleness.
- 4. See that these months are freed from all the past.
- 5. Let each one be as fresh as the first breath of spring.
- 6. Cut these months into 30-31 full rounded days.

This batch will keep for one whole year.

Prepare one day at a time as follows:

12 parts of Faith

11 parts of Patience

10 parts of Courage

9 parts of Work, omit this and so spoil the flavor

8 parts of Hope

7 parts of Fidelity

6 parts of Liberality

5 parts of Rest, omitting this will spoil the flavor

4 parts of Kindness

3 parts of Prayer

2 parts of Meditation

1 well-selected Resolution

Please share this recipe with your friends.

It is my sincere prayer that you and those you hold dear will be blessed with good health and fortune in the new year of 2018.

— Kathryn E. Beaty, LNHA Executive Director

Resident Spotlight

Jack was born in Choteau,
Mont., and lived there with
his parents as an only child.
His father owned a gas
station, and his mother was
a bookkeeper who worked
from home. When Jack
was seven, they moved to
Missoula, where Jack started
school. He went to Roosevelt
grade school then went on to
Missoula County High School.
During high school, Jack was



very active in De Molay, an international fraternal organization for young men ages 12 to 21 who acknowledge a higher spiritual power. He ran track as a hurdler and also played football as the fullback.

After high school, Jack went to the University of Montana working towards his degree in Pre Medical Studies. While there, he was a Grizzly football player, playing defense for three years before a concussion helped him to change his focus.

In 1951, Jack was drafted into the Army as a Lieutenant in the Infantry. He was eventually sent to Korea during the conflict there and was wounded during his tour of duty. He was awarded the Purple Heart and a Silver Star during his short but proud career.

When Jack returned to Missoula, he was introduced to Joy (his future bride) by his best friend who was a Marine Aviator. He and Joy became friends and eventually married on Sept. 6, 1953. They immediately traveled on their honeymoon to Chicago so Jack could attend Northwestern Dental School. During that time, doctors would make house calls, and his neighbor suggested he become a dentist. Well, the lightbulb went off over Jack's head, and he made up his mind to become an Orthodontist. They loved Chicago, as the school was on the lake shore near the Chicago loop. Joy became a secretary to the dental school Pedo Department allowing them to travel together to school each day. After a year, their son, Jon, was born, and Joy became a stay-at-home mom. The G.I. Bill was their savior, and eventually he received a two year fellowship at the Norhtwestern Orthodontic department for an additional two years of graduate study. After school was finished, Jack and Joy moved back to Montana, setting up an Orthodontist practice in Great Falls, which he had for 35 years. Jack eventually retired from his practice, and the family packed up and moved back to Missoula.

Jack and Joy had five children (one girl and four boys), and growing up, they enjoyed outdoors trips for hunting, fishing and camping. They were a swimming family, and all of their children were competitive swimmers with one reaching the Olympic Trials. They also have 11 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren; every one of them a blessing.

Jack and Joy moved into the Village in January 2014 where their good humor and friendliness became well-known. Joy passed away and is greatly missed by Jack and everyone who knew her.

We are blessed to have Jack with us here at the Village, where he likes to get outdoors and walk, loves to play poker and participate in activities like the balance program. Jack also remains a faithful Grizzly Fan!

Thanks for a great 2017!



Winter Dance!

Pharmacy students!







Easter eggs!

Sheriff K-9

Puppy love!







Insectarium!



Ukulele group!



Kindermusic



Solar eclipse



Walk to End Alzheimer's



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Resident Birthdays

Laura H., 1st Sandra C., 6th Bob M., 11th Cleo S., 14th Joanne H., 20th Janet S., 23rd Lou Ann B., 23rd Aggie M., 25th

Ty R., 25th Margaret R., 27th Willie F., 31st



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