

TABOR HILLS SENIOR LIVING CAMPUS

TABORVIEW

Spring | Summer
2018



Semerad Pavilion (Clubhouse)
1327 Crystal Avenue | Naperville, IL 60563



Independent Living Community (A Patio Home)
Naperville, IL 60563



Supportive Living Community
1439 McDowell Road | Naperville, IL 60563



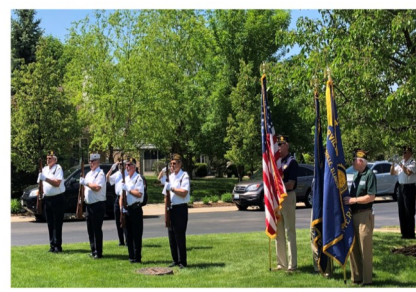
Healthcare Facility
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Tabor Hills Independent Living Community Remembers

On Thursday, May 24th the residents of Tabor Hills Independent Living Community gathered outside of the Semerad Pavilion to begin a day of remembrance, in honor of Memorial Day just a few days later. Residents were joined by veterans from the Judd Kendall VFW and the American Legion. Gabriella Di Pillo, Life Enrichment Coordinator began the morning with a welcome speech. Then, resident Layo Flick led the pledge of allegiance after the flag was raised. A member from the VFW sang God Bless America, and then we remembered a veteran from the ILC that has passed away since our last Memorial Day service. Resident, Jim Hill provided the words for that as well as a brief history on National Poppy Day. Gabriella passed out poppies to the over 20 veterans that call Tabor Hills home. The Honor Guard proceeded with a rifle salute and then a trumpeter from the American Legion played Taps. The flagpole services ended with a prayer from Gabriella. A barbecue lunch and potluck was served inside the Pavilion, as residents signed up to bring many salads, sides, and desserts to share. Rick Pickren, known as 'The Singing Cowboy' performed his "Stars and Stripes" program for some afternoon entertainment as well.



10th Anniversary of Tabor Hills Supportive Living Community

March 15, 2018 marked the 10th Anniversary of the opening of the Tabor Hills Supportive living Community. An Open House was held on Sunday, March 18, 2018 at the community in honor of the occasion. In attendance were residents, staff, families, friends, the Tabor Hills' Board of Directors, Managers, Assembly of Delegates and the Mayor of Naperville, Steve Chirico.

Gloria J. Pindiak, Vice President and retiring Chief Executive Officer welcomed guests and reflected on this moment being reminiscent of the grand opening 10 years prior. Ms. Pindiak spoke about all that went into the creation of the Supportive Living Community pointing out key members in it's formation. Upon opening in 2008, The Supportive living Community offered affordable assisted living in DuPage County, which did not previously exist in the community. Ms. Pindiak recognized Laura Weren, Administrator and Kerry Johnson, Director of Healthcare Services who have been with the Community since it's opening.

Stanley D. Loula, President of the Board of Directors of Tabor Hills addressed guests. Having been with Tabor Hills since the 1980s, he discussed his many memories of the development of the campus, including the Supportive Living Community upon moving to Naperville from Chicago. Mr. Loula offered a brief history of the home which originally opened in 1894 on a 43-acre farm in Bensenville, Illinois, that property was later traded to acquire the location for the home that resided on Pulaski Road in Chicago. At that time, the facility served as an orphanage and home for seniors.

Laura Weren, Administrator of the Supportive Living Community thanked the leadership of the campus including the Board of Directors and Assembly of Delegates for providing the opportunity to offer the community affordable senior living through the Supportive Living Community program. Ms. Weren recognized staff and residents that have been a part of the community since its opening in 2008.

In 2008, the Mayor of Naperville was George Pradel who participated in the opening ceremony. It was an honor to have Mayor Steve Chirico attend and speak at the 10th Anniversary, noting that he was proud to have Tabor Hills in the community which provides care to families and loved ones of Naperville and surrounding towns. Mayor, Chirico offered congratulations to Tabor Hills Supportive Living Community on it's 10th Anniversary.

Discussing the Community moving forward, Ms. Pindiak introduced Jennifer M. Ulmer, current Chief Executive Officer of the Tabor Hills Campus. Ms. Ulmer discussed the future of Tabor Hills and expects it to be as exciting as it's past. Being a corporation rich in history, culture and caring that will continue to serve the needs of the senior population for years to come. Emphasizing the changing demographics and the need for Tabor Hills' services being greater than ever as the senior citizen population continues to grow.

Looking forward to working with a talented team, Ms. Ulmer hopes to help Tabor Hills continue to identify and respond to the changing needs of our elders and to remain a resource to the senior community.

10th Anniversary of Tabor Hills Supportive Living Community

Ms. Ulmer recognized staff for their efforts in making the Supportive Living Community 10th Anniversary Open House come to pass and the Board of Directors and Assembly of Delegates for making this all possible. Ms. Ulmer thanked all those who attended the festivities.

Ms. Ulmer thanked all those present for attending to help celebrate the last 10 years and is looking forward to celebrating many more to come.

Pictured here are the 2007 Board of Managers with the Construction Company that helped develop the Supportive Living Community.

2007 Members of the Tabor Hills Board of Managers included: Stanley D. Loula, Walter Wlodek, Gloria J. Pindiak, Charles Capek, Mary Bubenicek, Anton Vopenka, Robert Peiler, James Hill, John Storcel, Mildred Kozumplik, Angie Bultas, and Frank Michalek



10th Anniversary Open House of the Tabor Hills Supportive Living Community

Pictured (left to right) Frances Salinas, CFO & Board Member; Gloria J. Pindiak, Vice President; Stanley D. Loula, President; Steve Chirico, Mayor of Naperville; Laura Weren, Supportive Living Community Administrator; and Jennifer M. Ulmer, CEO



The Smallest Acts of Kindness



Ladies of the Supportive Living Community joined together to create a variety of crafted and handmade items to sell at a special craft fair to help the family of a young girl battling Cancer. Items created included an assortment of knitted and crocheted blankets, hats, and booties along with hand crafted kids activity bags, bunnies and other items perfect for basket stuffers just in time for Easter. The ladies of the Supportive Living Community are thankful for the many donations of fabric received to create the crafts made to support this fundraiser. The ladies' efforts were appreciated by family and friends of the young girl. In the past, residents of the community have offered handmade items to Lurie Children's Hospital, Edward Hospital and many others in need. The items created continue to be available for purchase at the Supportive Living Community, which proceeds from will continue to support this young girl battling Cancer.

The Supportive Living Community Choir

Over a year ago, residents of the Supportive Living Community formed a Tabor Hills Choir. Participants enjoy the singing, comradery and bringing joy to others and perhaps what they did not anticipate was bringing joy to themselves. The members have learned music including top 40s, Movie Soundtracks, Military Hymns, Patriotic Songs, Christmas Carols, and much more. The members meet weekly to practice and rehearse for performances given across campus.

Singing in a choir, or engaging in any group activity, is known to offer a better quality of life by increasing self-confidence, improved social interaction, reducing anxiety and aggression. Studies have shown that participating in this particular activity

can also improve brain function. Singing is also known to increase levels of the hormone oxytocin leading to improved social integration and affiliation. Positive feelings make a large impact in anyone's life.

Besides being a health benefit, the choir (just like any group activity) provides social support by offering networking opportunities. It comes down to offering a variety of activities to peak the interest of all individuals to want to engage.



2018 GARAGE SALE

The Tabor Hills' Campus Annual Garage Sale took place Thursday, June 14th through Saturday, June 16th. Donations contributed by staff, families, friends, and residents of the community were sold to raise monies to benefit resident activities and entertainment at each of the communities.

Months of planning and preparation go into each year's sale. We would like to thank those who donated the items sold in this year's garage sale. Also, a big thank you to the residents who volunteered their time to work the sale on behalf of each community on campus and those who baked homemade recipes to incorporate the usual bake sale into the event. This event continues to bring in more funds each year as it has grown since its first inception in 2005 and is now a much anticipated event in the neighboring communities. Pictured here are some of the residents from the communities across campus who assisted with the sale.





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Founded in 1894 as both an orphanage and a home for the elderly, Tabor Hills offers three of the finest communities in the Western Suburbs. For more information regarding our Independent Retirement Community, Supportive/Affordable Assisted Living Community and our Healthcare and Rehabilitation Center, please call (630) 778-6677.

If you prefer e-mail, please contact us through our website at www.taborhills.com



Did You Know...



Tabor Hills is a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit organization, which allows your donation to Tabor Hills to be tax deductible. Proceeds received from monetary donations benefit resident activities, entertainment, and personal care to those in need, and sustains and improves the quality of life enjoyed by the residents of our community. Tabor Hills welcomes charitable gifts and the residents sincerely appreciate your thoughtful donations.

In the past, many other items have been donated in honor or memory of someone who is or has resided on the Tabor Hills Campus. These include: ornamental trees or park furniture for the campus, memorial bricks, a boat for Tabor Lake and much more. Currently Tabor Hills is seeking donations of vehicles; particularly a lift van and golf cart.

Please keep Tabor Hills in mind with your bequests when establishing or reviewing your estate plan. As a reminder, Tabor Hills is a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit organization, so please see your tax consultant for details or call Tabor Hills for more information.