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Tidings

Greetings to all Normandie Ridge Auxiliary members and friends.

Another successful year is behind us as we celebrated 25 years of Normandie Ridge as a safe and caring senior living community. In 2017 we were able to contribute therapeutic and other equipment to aid in caring for the residents of Normandie Ridge. We continue to support benevolent care by donating to the Albright Care Golf Challenge and the Normandie Ridge Grande Illumination.

I am so pleased with what we, as an organization, have been able to do for the Normandie Ridge Community over the years. Thanks to our members' generosity, we were able to purchase needed equipment and make contributions to benevolent care. Additionally, much support is given to the Auxiliary by the administration and staff of Albright Care Services and Normandie Ridge. Without their help and guidance we could not do what we do.

On behalf of our Board of Directors I want to also especially thank those of you who met the 25th Anniversary Challenge by donating \$25.00 or more as patrons for the Anniversary Celebration Program. In just that effort, alone, we were able to raise \$2,538.

You really do make a difference for those living at Normandie Ridge. Your help and support contributes in a big way to what I call "our mission and ministry for Christ."

As we look forward to 2018 and new challenges on behalf of the residents of Normandie Ridge I wish you God's Blessings for the new year.

Renee Montag Auxiliary President

AUXILIARY NORMANDIE RIDGE

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GENERAL MEMBERSHIP
MEETINGS
February 12, 2018—12:00 Noon
May 14, 2018—6:00 PM
September 10, 2018—12:00 Noon



MAKE RESERVATIONS NOW TO ATTEND OUR FEBRUARY 12, 2018 12:00 NOON LUNCHEON MEETING

On February 12, 2018 at Noon, we will hold our first general membership meeting of the year. <u>Members please make reservations by February 5. Call 717 718-3281</u>. Please be sure to sign up by the deadline as there is a meal provided by Normandie Ridge for Auxiliary members so we want to be sure to give the dining service an accurate number to prepare for this luncheon.

You don't want to miss the February program. Mr. Jerry LaRussa, Licensed Town Historian, will speak to us on interesting individuals living in Gettysburg during the Civil War. He will illustrate his talk with slides.

Normandie Ridge Auxiliary Membership Report

As we reflect on 2017, we marked the 25th Anniversary of the Auxiliary and the Normandie Ridge Community. Over the 25 years, the community has seen many growth changes. Anniversary celebrations were initially held outdoors. The community grew from the Nursing Unit and Garden Cottages to the addition of the apartment building and Memory Care Home. It is through the support of individuals such as yourself that the Auxiliary has been able to embrace its purpose and assist Albright Care Services in providing comfort and enjoyment for the residents at all levels of care. Since 1993 with your support through membership dues, contributions, and gifts, the Auxiliary has provided more than \$147,500 to benefit the residents. Some of the benefits recently have been therapeutic equipment, specialized medical equipment, shower chair, and iPads and iPods. The Auxiliary executive board sends a special THANK YOU to its members for enabling the Auxiliary to provide this support.

The 2018 Membership Drive kicked off with the Anniversary Celebration held in October. Please check the mailing label on this issue of the TIDINGS to see if you are current with your membership. The mailing label should show a red 2018 next to your name if you are current. An application form is provided below for your convenience to renew your membership. We currently have 412 members and would welcome others to join who embrace the Auxiliary's purpose. Our membership is comprised of members of the United Methodist Churches within the York District, friends of Normandie Ridge, residents, and resident family members.

The Auxiliary has three general meetings held in the months of February, May and September. The second Saturday of October each year marks the date of the Anniversary Celebration. Mark your calendar for this year's celebration on October 13. Another date for your calendar is April 14, which will mark the 4th Annual Fashion Show and Basket Silent Auction. The TIDINGS newsletter is published three times during the year informing the members of upcoming activities, meetings, and events. Be sure to note the February 12, luncheon meeting date and register to attend by the deadline. We look forward to seeing you at the luncheon.

Susan Martin

Membership Chair

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION Please Print

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Contributing Member _	\$10 _	\$25 _	\$50 _	\$100 _	Other \$
Memorial/Honor Gift (\$	20 PLU	S \$5 per	person	for meml	bership) \$
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Name of each member	rship				
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Mail to Susan Martin,	Membe	rship, P	O Box	7455, Yo	rk. PA 17404

25TH ANNUAL ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

What a great time it was! Residents and community members enjoyed the good food and entertainment provided October 14, 2017. Many browsed and took advantage of the used book sale and purchased crafts. Thank you Flo Waybright and the rest of the Celebration Committee, local United Methodist Churches, the Crafters, all those who donated theme baskets, those who participated in the 25th Anniversary Challenge and many others for your very successful efforts to bring this all together for an enjoyable and productive day!

A final report submitted by our Treasurer, Chuck Martin, shows we received \$9,581.17 in total income with \$2,115.09 in expenses leaving \$7,466.08 as net income.

We look forward to our 26th Anniversary Celebration to be held October 13, 2018!

Renee Montag











BASKETS NEEDED

This year again at the fashion show we plan to hold a silent auction of theme baskets.

We are requesting donated baskets from our members and friends. These baskets do not need to be expensive. Previous basket themes were food items, bath themes, teas, wine, garden items games and puzzles. A basket can be anything you can imagine. Items may be in any container not necessarily a basket.

Please call Renee Montag at 717 792-1713 or email brmontag@comcast.net to donate a basket.

FASHION SHOW

For the fourth year, our Normandie Ridge Auxiliary will host its Spring Fashion Show and Sale featuring Taylor Marie's Fashions® on April 14, 2018, from Noon to 2 PM. The Auxiliary raises additional funds to continue our mission to enhance the lives of the residents of Normandie Ridge. Traditionally, Auxiliary members serve as the models for the show. If you are interested in serving as a model, please call Chuck Martin (717-840-9716) or email (chuck@chuckandsusan.com). We do not charge to attend this event. The Auxiliary does receive a percentage of the sales. Refreshments will once again be served by our competent male hosts. Mark your calendar now and invite your friends to join you at the fashion show and silent, theme basket auction.

Normandie Ridge Auxiliary Treasurer's Report

Normandie Ridge Treasurer's report for the year 2017

As of December 31, 2017:

\$11,646.23 Checking Account balance

For the year 2017

INCOME:

Sale of Grocery gift cards
The Crafters, an arm of the Auxiliary
Membership Dues
Memorials, Honorariums, and Contributions
The 25th Anniversary Celebration event
Our Annual Fashion Show
Interest on our checking account

EXPENSE:

Purchase of Gift cards
Therapy Equipment – an in-depth set up for our residents
Donation to Albright Care Benevolent Fund through the Golf Challenge and Grande Illumination
General Maintenance/Supplies and materials
Postage and Delivery

The Normandie Ridge Auxiliary financials have been submitted to Albright Care Services for review and audit.

Chuck Martin Treasurer

JUST A REMINDER TO YOU THAT THE NORMANDIE RIDGE AUXILIARY ACCEPTS CREDIT CARDS FOR ALL PURCHASES INCLUDING THE FOLLOWING: WEIS & GIANT GIFT CARDS ANNIVERSARY BOOKS AUCTION BASKETS ANNUAL CELEBRATION PURCHASES











\$100 \$50



Giant and Weis Gift cards are available at the Normandie Ridge Reception desk. The Auxiliary receives 5% of your purchase. Visit or call 717-718-3281. Thank you for supporting the activities for our residents. You don't need to be a resident to support this fund raiser. Credit Cards accepted.

Pizza Hut Fundraiser—3rd Tuesday of Every Month

Don't forget to support the Normandie Ridge Auxiliary each month by treating yourself to a slice or two of pizza during the Auxiliary's Pizza Hut Fundraiser at the Pizza Hut located at 1189 Loucks Road, York, near Staples. The Auxiliary receives 10 percent of all purchases when customers use the coupon found below. Coupons may be duplicated and are good for dining in, carry-out, or delivery. You do not have to be a Normandie Ridge resident or Auxiliary member to redeem them.



Fundraiser Ticket



10%* of the bearer's purchase will be donated to:

Normandie Ridge Auxiliary

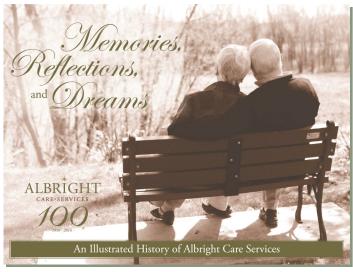
Coupon good the third Tuesday of each month at 1189 Loucks Road, York Location



Please present to server or delivery driver

*20% on orders of \$500 or more







MEMORIES, REFLECTIONS, AND DREAMS:

An Illustrated History of Albright Care Services 1916—2016

This excellently written and illustrated book offers a history of Albright Care Services from the time the United Evangelical Home opened its doors in 1916 to what it has grown to today, in offering a continuum of services to seniors, including our own Normandie Ridge Senior Living Community. The book is for sale at the reception desk at the main entrance to Normandie Ridge. All proceeds benefit Auxiliary programs.

We will accept credit cards for all Auxiliary purchases.



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