



Neighborly News

November 2020

Thank You Veterans!

Good Neighbor Society is proud of our veterans! We would like to thank all of our veterans who have honorably served our country and protected our freedoms. Blessings and gratitude to each of you!

Joe Bagby - Army

Bud Goedken - Army

Nathan Puffett - Air Force

Jim Booth - Marines

Richard Heffernen - Army

Arnold Schwerts - Army/Navy

Greg Brimeyer - Air Force

Mert Jasper - Army

Ron Struble - Army

Jim DeKeyser - Navy

Bob Johnson - Army

Dr. John Tyrell - Army

Don Digmann - Army

Bud Lahr - Army

Carl Whitaker - Army/Air Force

Jim Dolan - Army

Jim Lammers - Army

Richard Yenter - Marines

Chuck Fischer - Army

Don Maurer - Army

Mildred Fritz - Army Air Corps

Fred Phelps - Army

Making a Comeback

After facing a number of COVID-19 cases, we are recovering and beginning to take a few steps back to normal. The main dining room received a fresh coat of paint and new décor to welcome recovered residents back to congregate dining October 19. Residents that have not tested positive will join in socially distanced congregate dining and recreational activities in November.





GOOD NEIGHBOR SOCIETY

Continuing Care Retirement Community

The Meadows Assisted Living



THE MEADOWS NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Happy Birthday!

01 JOAN KERNS
19 CAROL STATE

MEADOWS EMPLOYMENT ANNIVERSARIES

Congratulations

15 Lindsey Ante | 02 years
16 Joan Hosch | 13 years
23 Barb Pearson | 10 years

*You are valued and appreciated...
Thank you, for your dedication!*

A TIME FOR GRATITUDE

Thank you, Chris Tegeler!



We appreciate your time & generosity in creating our beautiful fall landscaping at The Meadows!

WELCOME TO OUR NEW NEIGHBORS!



JOHN & DIXIE LEHMANN

The Meadows Veterans



Private First Class Bud Goedken, U.S. Army; Corporal Richard Heffernen, U.S. Army;
Private First Class John Tyrrell, U.S. Army; Colonel Fred Phelps, U.S. Army;
Technician 4th Degree Bob Johnson, U.S. Army; Corporal Bud Lahr, U.S. Army

HONORING ALL WHO SERVED
Past, Present and Future

God Bless You and Thank You

VETERANS DAY

The Meadows October Adventures!



LEFT: Families braved the wind and cold to bring warm Halloween greetings to the Good Neighbor Society Residents and tenants! They all spoke of the great costumed kiddos and adults, for days after the event! We are very grateful for the love and support of our Community. Many thanks to all of those who generously donated candy to the event. The Meadows tenants had a great time packing the treat bags prior to the event!



RIGHT: We celebrated National m&m Day, October 13th with a fun fact filled, and tasty program! Tenants sampled several varieties of the candy throughout the program. Among some of the tenants' notable facts of the 100 year old family owned business were, a cow made out of 67,000 m&m's, becoming the candy of the millennium in 2000, and that the New Jersey Factory produces 2 billion M&M's every 8 hours, or 69,000 every second!



Above/Right: We were able to capitalize on a stretch of beautiful fall weather with three separate small group outings to Tirrill Park! After a picnic lunch, tenants delighted in a stroll in the beautiful park, and along the Maquoketa. Our thanks to our wonderful Dietary Dept. for the picnic lunches!



ABOVE: Tenants had Fun making individual pumpkin pie mug cake! Each had a place setting of ingredients measured out. They mixed their mugs, and after 1 minute & 15 seconds in the microwave, they enjoyed their warm homemade mug cake!



Meet New Patient Care Coordinator - Brooke Bach, RN

Brooke is excited to be the new Patient Care Coordinator for Marietta’s Place and the north end of the Good Neighbor Home! She earned her LPN from Hamilton College and her RN from Kaplan University. Brooke also holds an associate’s degree in business from Kaplan University.

Brooke was born and raised in Coggon, IA. She still lives there on a farm with her husband, Charles, and their four children: Colton (19), Rylie (15), Bryar (10), and Drake (7). Brooke always said she was never going to marry a farmer, but here they are 15 years later raising cattle, growing crops, and caring for their five horses. She especially enjoys watching her kids train and show their animals, especially when they win!

Brooke has worked within the Mercy Medical Organization for the past 13 years. She has nursing experience with long-term care, family practice, operating room, and labor and delivery, giving her a wide variety of knowledge on all stages of life. Brooke is a very energetic and outgoing person and excited to get to know and work with everyone here. Please join us in welcoming Brooke!

Christmas Wishes - Paris Schaul, Activity Professional

With this year’s holiday season fast approaching, Good Neighbor Society can’t wait to celebrate Christmas! We still have wish tickets ready to be emailed to the community, so if you wish to help make Christmas special this year, contact Paris via email at pschaul@goodneighborsociety.org or by phone at 563-927-3907 ext. 309. After contacting Paris, she will e-mail you a Wish Ticket with all information you need to fulfill the resident’s wishes. Another great way to participate in the program is to donate giftwrap, bows, and gift boxes for us to beautifully wrap gifts! All wish tickets need to be taken, fulfilled, and returned by December 1st to the main office door. Thank you for your generosity and taking part in making Christmas special this year for our residents and your loved ones!



Employee Recognition

For the month of November, we are pleased to announce Jerrilyn Crane as employee of the month. Jerrilyn is known for her optimistic, caring and determined personality. She is always teaching and sharing with others that “when it comes to life the critical thing is whether you take things for granted or take them with gratitude.” Thank you Jerilyn for continuing to inspire others and for always embracing everything with grace. Thank you for all you do!



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					Terry Rauch