



February Move-ins

Independent

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We're so happy you're here!



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Daylight Saving time begins on Sunday, March 12th!
Don't forget to set your clocks **one hour ahead** before you turn in
on Saturday night.

Who else is excited for evening walks and later sunsets?! 🙌

Contributions to the Chatter are encouraged and appreciated!

We invite anyone who wishes to make your submissions for editorial review. Articles, photos, reports on activities, news, jokes, trivia, poems and stories are most welcome.

Submissions can be made however suits you! Emails may be sent to k.woodruff@churchillretirement.com. Mail can be sent to Kacy Woodruff at Churchill Estates Retirement at the address below.

Thank you!

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THE CHURCHILL CHATTER



Featured Event

Trip to Maude Kerns Art Center and Lunch at The Paddock

Monday, March 6th at 10:30

The Maude Kerns Art Center currently has two exhibits on display:

"Emergence: From Concept to Stitch," features 17 Oregon artist members of the Studio Art Quilt Associates. This exhibit presents an exciting range of styles and a variety of materials.

"Lady Corona," artist Jo-Ann Morgan exhibits a series of striking quilted and appliqued wall hangings. At the beginning of the pandemic, Morgan bought a sewing machine and embarked on her "Lady Corona" series. The principal female figure in the series is often represented with a crown, gloves, and a mask. She is conceived as a comforting presence offering respite and hope.

The Paddock serves breakfast, lunch and dinner 7 days a week and breakfast all day everyday. Their menu is designed to get you what you want, nothing more, nothing less, so no fries with that unless you want them or another side from the menu.



Featured Activities

Spring Social

with Flute & Keyboard Music by Chris & Nathalie

Monday, March 20th at 2:00 (Independent Dining Room)

Who's excited for Spring?! Celebrate the arrival of warmer weather and beautiful blooming flowers at our Spring Social. We'll have lots of colorful treats available for you to enjoy as you visit with friends and listen to the harmonic sounds of flute and keyboard music. You may even decide to take home your own little plant seed to nurture into the coming season.



Trip to Mad Batters Bakery

Sunday March 26th at 9:00

As soon as you step foot into Mad Batters Bakery you will feel as though you've fallen down the rabbit hole and transported to Wonderland! This darling little bakery has aptly named



treats such as the "Mad Hattuchino" (cappuccino), the "Un-birthday Hero Cookie" and "Cheshire Cookie Bars" as well as the usual favorites like brioche cinnamon buns, cupcakes, scones, and more. Bring your sweet tooth and maybe a good book and join us in the Tulgey Wood Tea Room for a chat as we wonder at all the marvelous décor!

Applegate Regional Theatre Presents: Irish Stories & Mysteries

Friday March 17th at 2:00 (Independent Dining Room)

Join us on St. Patrick's Day for some tales of Irish Folklore performed by the fun and talented actors from Applegate Regional Theatre.



LCC Student Nurse Interactive Presentation

Monday, March 13th at 3:00 (Ind. Multipurpose Room)

This presentation will be on infection prevention with tips on how to prevent UTI's, the use of masks when ill, the importance of vaccines and more. The students will be using a Jeopardy-like format to make this a fun and engaging experience and to help reinforce the information presented.

What's Happening

Renovations

The kitchenette renovation in the Independent Activities Room is complete! All regularly scheduled activities in that space will resume on Monday, March 6th. This gives us a little time over the weekend to restock the cabinets with all of our kitchen accessories and do a little clean up.

The Activities bulletin board that is currently located in the hall outside of the Dining Room will be moving into the Activities Room. We will eventually be getting a new range, and an updated paint job in this room as well.

A big **Thank You** to our contractor, Augustine, and to our maintenance worker, Risiti, for getting this project done so fast! It really looks fantastic and we appreciate all of your hard work!



New Flooring



New Cabinets, Countertops and Sink

Next up: Electric insert and updated look for the fireplace in our Independent Dining Room!

Staff Led Activities

We are implementing a new policy for **staff led** activities in **Independent Living**. Going forward, there will need to be a minimum of 5 people signed up for any activity in order for staff to facilitate. As always, you are welcome and encouraged to create your own resident led groups & games with any amount of people, and have access to any common space that has not already been reserved.



This policy also applies to Activities led trips that are outside of the immediate surrounding area (more than 5 miles away). This will not affect one-on-one exercise training sessions, or activities that staff sets up for and does not need to facilitate, such as drumming & movies. New activities that take some time to get going may also be exempt from this policy for the first few occurrences.

Fun Activities

All aboard the Santiam Excursion Brunch Train!



Ladies "Galentine" Brunch at Jazzy Ladies Café.



Fun Activities

Coffee and Crafting with Assisted Living South. They had been wanting to do this Doily Luminary craft for quite some time and we finally got all of the supplies! Such a fun project and a beautiful piece of décor.



Drumming fun with Memory Care!

