



Village Voice



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June 2015

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From The Village Administrator

Greetings...

I am going to begin purchasing items for the Village from our Friends and Family money we raised for our building enhancements. I do need your input on some of the items you have requested we raise money for.

and if you need to speak to me, you may call me at 586-751-5090.

In a couple of weeks you will be receiving your resident satisfaction survey that gets sent out every year at this time. Please fill it out and send it back in the enclosed envelope. Your participation is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Melissa Riesterer
Administrator

Our next resident meeting will be on Friday, June 19th at 1:00 pm, and I'd like to discuss at that time your ideas on purchases for the Village.

At this time, I am still needed at Warren Glenn. My schedule remains at Peace on Wednesdays and Fridays. Thank you for being patient during this process. The days I'm at Warren Glenn



The Village of
Peace Manor

A SENIOR LIVING COMMUNITY

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Giving Matters.

By Paul J. Miller, CFRE,
President, PVM Foundation

Announcements

Update Information

If there are any changes to your contact information, please remember to update us in the office.

Thank you in advance!!

Safe Driving Seminar

When: Monday, June 15th at 1pm.

Where: The First Floor Community Room

New Life Choir

The New Life Presbyterian Choir will be here on Tuesday, June 2nd at 7pm. There will be an ice cream social afterwards. Please sign up in the mailroom.

Senior Fun Fest

There is a senior expo taking place Friday, June 12th from 9am-1pm at Gibraltar Trade Center in Mt. Clemens. For more information contact the office of Senior Services at (586)469-5228.

Resident Meeting

When: Friday, June 19th
Time: 1pm

\$191,000 Raised Through Friends & Family!

THANK YOU to the 707 donors who generously contributed **nearly \$191,000** for PVM residents through Friends & Family, exceeding our goal of \$136,000 and making this the most successful year in the history of PVM Foundation!

The annual Friends & Family Appeal took place during the month of April and allowed all Villages to raise funds for projects and programs to enrich the lives of residents, providing them with security cameras, patio furniture, buses for reliable transportation, new computers and so much more. Congratulations and thank you to **ALL the Villages** for their hard work to make so much possible!

Special congratulations to **The Village of Our Saviour's Manor**, who had the most new donors with 30 new donors, and to **The Village of East Harbor** for most amount raised with \$70,370! For a complete listing of all Village projects, goals and amounts raised, please see your Administrator or visit our website at pvmfoundation.org.

If you have any questions or would like to share your thoughts, please contact us at 248-281-2040 or pvmfoundation@pvm.org. Thank you again for your support and we look forward to another successful Friends & Family next year!

Warm regards,
Paul J. Miller, CFRE



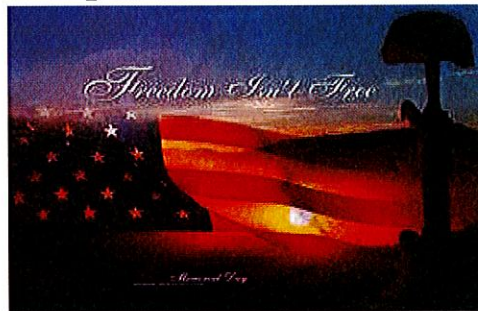
The Senior Advocate.

By Lynn Alexander,
Vice President of Public Affairs

A Fitting Tribute

Along with Memorial Day vivid memories came flooding over me as I thought about my dad's burial ceremony a year ago. He was a veteran of World War II having served on the US Nashville. It was a flagship for General MacArthur just before they were attacked by Kamikaze pilots. My dad returned home with major wounds. Shrapnel was still in his body when he passed away. Having lived an extremely honorable life, I think his burial service at Great Lakes National Cemetery in Holly ((not far from our Village of Holly)) was a fitting tribute to all that he was as a veteran, citizen and human being. If you or a loved one has served our country you are entitled to burial there just as you would be at Arlington National

Cemetery. Great Lakes mirrors the beauty of Arlington and provides a healing experience for families. This is the best of what the Veterans Administration has to offer. Contact your local office for information not only about burial services but also for information on many other benefits and services which may be unknown to you. The local staffs are wonderful to work with. Much is owed to those who serve and protect our country.



Our debt to the Heroic Men and Valiant Women, in the service of our country can never be repaid.

They have earned our undying gratitude. America will never forget their sacrifices.

– President Harry S. Truman

Service Coordinator's Corner

Mrs. Camille DeBlaere AS, BA, MA is available to assist you with the following services and/or assistance:

Benefit Programs: (i.e. Social Security, Medicare, Medicaid and Private Health Insurance)

Health Services: (i.e. Prescriptions, Advanced Directives, Home Health Care, Medical Appointments, Meals on Wheels)

Housekeeping Referrals

Housing Rights and Lease Education

List of Assisted Living and Nursing Care Centers

Mental health Referrals

Reasonable Accommodations

Substance Abuse Programs

Transportation Services

Her office hours are:

Monday 7:30am-2:30pm
Tuesday 7:30am-1:30pm
Thursday 7:30am-2:30pm



It's Your Life. Live It Well.

By Tom Wyllie,
Director of Wellness

Let the Games Begin!

Mark your calendars! It's time to lace up your tennis shoes and put on your sweat bands. The 10th Annual Village Victory Cup is nearly here! Scheduled for Friday, June 26 the event will once again take place at Ultimate Soccer Arenas in Pontiac. The Puzzler, Wellness Walk, Hoop Shoot, Beanbag Toss, Paper Airplane Distance Contest & Balloon Volleyball Tournament all return as events. The Bake Off returns as well, but with new categories: cookies, cupcakes, brownies/bars, and pies. And in recognition of PVM's 70th anniversary, the theme of this year's Expression of Wellness event is "70 and Still Making Waves".

For Villages located 100 miles or further from PVM's home office in Southfield, we will once again be hosting the Virtual Village Victory Cup. Rather than gather at a central location, participants in the Virtual Village Victory Cup compete in events held at their Village. The results are transmitted to and tallied by the PVM Wellness Department with the Village earning the most points declared the winner.

Since its inception, the Village Victory Cup has gotten more and more competitive. Last year marked the closest margin of victory ever for the winners of both the Village Victory Cup and the Virtual Village Victory Cup. In such closely contested competition, every point counts. Rather than sit this one out, help your Village earn points. Contact your Administrator and sign up to participate in this fun-filled day of camaraderie and friendly competition. Who knows? Because of your help, it just may be your Village whose name gets added to the trophy as this year's winner.

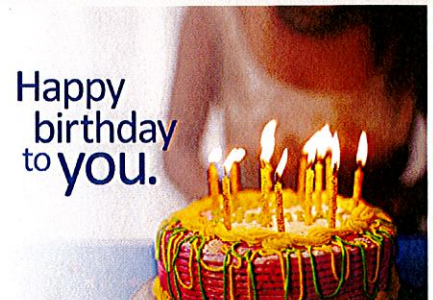
June Birthdays

Happy Birthday to You:

- Helaen Schroeder.....6-2
- Barbara Cosner.....6-3
- Virginia
- Vonderwerth.....6-3
- Lucia Baird.....6-15
- Jeannie Waters.....6-15

Happy Belated Birthday To:

- Maureen Harvey.....5-4
- Roman Fadanelli.....5-21



June Sing a Long

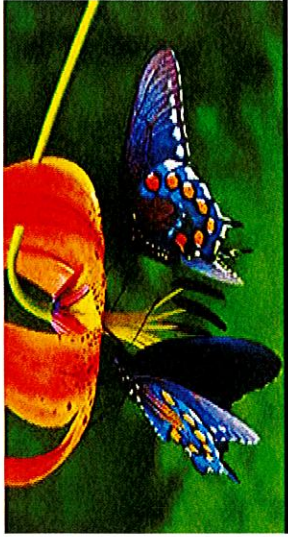
Wednesday, June 10th
At 1pm

Come Sing a Long to some classic tunes. Stick around afterwards for dessert.

June Movie Night

Thursday, June 25th
At 6pm

Popcorn is provided; please bring your own beverage.



June 2015



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2 1:30pm- Milkman 7pm: New Life Choir Sings	3 10am- Communion 1-3pm-B.P. Checks 3-4pm- Bible Study	4	5 9am- Bus To Meijer	6
7	8	9 1:30pm- Milkman	10 10am- Communion 1-3pm-B.P. Checks 3-4pm- Bible Study 1pm-Sing A Long	11 1pm- Chair Exercises	12 9am- Bus To Meijer	13
14	15 1pm- Safe Driving Seminar	16 1:30pm- Milkman	17 10am- Communion 1-3pm-B.P. Checks 3-4pm- Bible Study	18	19 9am- Bus To Meijer 1pm- Resident Meeting	20
	22	23 1:30pm- Milkman	24 10am- Communion 1-3pm-B.P. Checks 3-4pm- Bible Study	25 1pm- Chair Exercises 6PM- MOVIE	26 9am- Bus To Meijer	27
	29	30 1:30pm- Milkman				
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of Michigan
Mission Statement**

Guided by our
Christian heritage,
we serve seniors of
all faiths and create
new possibilities for
quality living.

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Presbyterian Villages of Michigan Foundation serves Michigan seniors of all faiths by raising essential funds to support the mission of Presbyterian Villages of Michigan for the greatest needs of our residents. A gift to Presbyterian Villages of Michigan Foundation is truly an investment in our residents. For more information on how you can help Michigan seniors, call Presbyterian Villages of Michigan Foundation at **248-281-2040** or visit www.pvmfoundation.org



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