

# EDENDALE EDITION

## MAY 2017



May is when we celebrate Mother's Day, Memorial Day and "Older American's Month" (in the city of Eden Prairie it's called Senior Awareness Month). We have many activities planned throughout the month and all residents are invited to come and share in the fun!

**Saturday, May 6<sup>th</sup> at 10:00am:** Card Making with Becky

**Thursday, May 11<sup>th</sup> at 1:00pm:** Anatomy Bequest Program

**Wednesday, May 17<sup>th</sup> at 1:00pm:** Coffee, Cake and Coloring with Staff

**Friday, May 19<sup>th</sup> at 11:00am:** Schwann's Ice Cream Social

**Monday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> at 11:30am:** Staff will be hosting a free grill out for residents. There will be a sign-up sheet for this ahead of time.

**Thursday, May 25<sup>th</sup> at 1:00pm** Mind, Body and Spirit Presentation

### **Other Upcoming Events:**

Monday, May 1st 10:00am-12:30pm **Swap Day**

Friday, May 5<sup>th</sup> 10:00am **Police Coffee**

Tuesday, May 9th 11:30am **Lunch out at The Curling Club**

Wednesday, May 10<sup>th</sup> 1:30pm **Resident Association Meeting**

Tuesday, May 16<sup>th</sup> 1:00pm **Book Club**

Wednesday, May 24<sup>th</sup> 1:30pm **Mobile Food Shelf**

Monday, May 29th **Office Closed for Memorial Day**

### **Friendly reminders:**

- Coffee, filtered water out of the fridge and the ice are not intended to replace your own. We encourage people to come down and have a cup of coffee together in the community room, at the outside tables or during an event. Same with ice and water. If you are filling containers with ice, water or coffee to take to your apartment or out the door, you need to furnish your own. We ask that all residents be considerate of this if you don't want to risk losing these items.

- Please honor the “Program in Session” sign and refrain from going into the community room when a group is meeting.
- Please observe “Quiet Time” which is 10pm until 8am.
- Please clean up after your pet, whether it is inside or outside.
- Please accompany all guests in common areas.
- Please see Paulla for any assistance with resources-medical, financial, social, etc.

**Resident Association Meetings:** May’s meeting will be the last one until September. Per discussion at April’s meeting, residents voted to meet three times a year – in the fall, winter and spring.

**Worship Service/Concerto Chats:** Pastor Lane would like to move his service from Thursdays to Fridays starting on Friday May 12th. The time will change to 9:00am for worship and 10:00am for Concerto Chats.

**Bingo:** Bingo by Don will continue on Tuesday evenings at 6pm through the end of May. Bingo will not take place during the months of June, July, and August.

**Book Club:** Please note the change of day for Book Club from Thursday to Tuesday. This is an attempt to get more participants!

**Office Hours:** During the month on May, office hours will be reduced. Afternoons are a good time to request quarters. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause.



**Adopt-A-Planter:** Do you enjoy gardening? We had some wonderful volunteers last year, so again this year we want to offer residents the chance to “adopt” one of Edendale’s planters to plant flowers, water and care for them this summer. Staff will purchase a variety of flowers that you can choose from. Please watch for signs for planting days.

**Thank you!**



To all who gave during the Pennies for PROP fundraiser, we raised \$177.91! PROP expressed their thanks for the donation and how much they appreciate the residents at Edendale! A copy of their thank you letter is pinned on the bulletin board by the mail boxes.