October 2017

Morningside Village Newsletter

Some Canadian Thanksgiving facts:

- Canadian Thanksgiving is always celebrated on the second Monday in October, earlier than the American Thanksgiving, which is held in November. Since 1971 it has coincided with Columbus Day in the U.S.

- The first Thanksgiving feast in the U.S. was held in 1621 when the Pilgrims celebrated their harvest. However, the Americans did not invent Thanksgiving. English navigator Martin Frobisher held a celebration of thanks in 1578 in what is now Newfoundland as he had survived the long journey over the seas.

– In 1879 Parliament declared November 6th to be a Thanksgiving holiday, and then after World War I both Armistice Day and Thanksgiving were celebrated on the Monday of the week in which November 11th fell. In 1931 Armistice Day became Remembrance Day, and then on January 31, 1957, parliament declared Thanksgiving to be held every year on the second Monday in October.

 Thanksgiving is a statutory holiday in Canada, except in PEI, Newfoundland and Labrador, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia.

- Although Thanksgiving falls on a Monday, many have their dinner and family get-togethers on the Sunday.

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OCTOBER

- ◊ 7th Pumpkin/Bake Sale Putting Green
- ◊ 20th Soup'r Lunch VC
- ◊ 21st Movie Night (Going In Style) VC
- ♦ 28th Halloween Party VC

November

- **3rd Social Art Lesson Craft Room**
- 4th Tribute Night (Frank Sinatra & Dean Martin) -VC
- ♦ 17th Soup'r Lunch VC
- ◊ 18th Cook's Night Out VC
- ◊ 25th Trivia Night VC
- ◊ 26th Grey Cup VC

December

- ◊ 2nd Craft/Bake Sale VC
- ♦ 15th Christmas Dinner VC
- ◊ 31st New Year's Eve Party VC

Oct. Editor - Doug Foell Nov. Editor - Donna Grigg

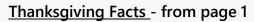
- All submissions for Nov. newsletter must be to Donna by Oct. 27 @ noon.
 - griggdr@rogers.com
 - In blue folder in the office
 - 519-390-2797

If you are using email, make sure to let Donna know by using the subject 'Newsletter' and if you don't get a reply, please call.





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- While it is widely believed eating turkey makes you sleepy, many experts believe it is actually the carbohydrates that are part of the Thanksgiving meal that causes you to feel tired.

- Turducken is fast becoming a popular alternative to turkey on Thanksgiving, as it gives you the best of three worlds, turkey, duck, and chicken all baked together.

- There are 80 cranberry farms in B.C. with many destined for the Thanksgiving table, and while it is doubtful cranberries were served at the first Thanksgiving meals, the indigenous people used them for cooking and dyeing and introduced them to the pilgrims.

- While pumpkins are a staple of many Canadian Thanksgiving meals as well, they also originated with indigenous people and it is not known if they were present at the first Thanks-giving meals. However, there are recipes for pumpkin pie that date back to the 1650s.

- Canadians consumed 145.5 million kg of turkey in 2010, with 3.1 million whole turkeys purchased last year for Thanksgiving. This was about 30 per cent of all whole turkeys sold during the year according to the Turkey Farmers of Canada.



Bill & Mary Laight Bob & Donna Grigg Dave & Barb Main Harold & Darlene Culp Ray & Marianne Schlegel Richard & Judy Derry Ron & Pat Schnarr Jim & Judy Patenall Paul & Karen Berg Martyn & Maureen Chambers Stewart & Miriam Schneider Lorne & Flo Metzger Sandro & Susan Bertoli Barry & Lola May Doug & Pat Foell Simon & Debby Franks



On Monday September 18th our marvelous Volunteers from Morningside sponsored and catered to 92 Blood Donors at Steinman Church. We served snacks and drinks to all the Donors and kept an eye out for any Donors that were feeling a little faint or maybe bleeding from where the needle was put in.

Our Volunteers are Reta Klaassen, Gary Collins, Doreen Brydon, Gail McMullen, Betty Johnston, Jane Eichler and Ross Eichler.

Our next Clinic to be hosted by Morningside will be November 20th. Thanks from Blood Services Canada for donating your time to Volunteer at these clinics, they really do count on us to be there and are very thankful for our efforts.

Our Deepest Sympahy to Hans and Anne Lauridsen on the passing of Anne's sister our thoughts and prayers are with you..love from your Morningside Family.....

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Ron and Pat Schnarr we are deeply saddened by the news of the loss of your grandson. Know that your Morningside friends and neighbours send our most sincere condolences.



Ron and I would like to thank our wonderful friends for their acts of kindness at this difficult time. Morningside is a wonderful place.

Ron and Pat Schnarr

Ross Eichler (Clinic Coordinator)

Thanksgiving season is a time when I continue to marvel at God's goodness.

Thank you to our Morningside Family for gifts of food, flowers, cards and visits during the last few months, following my cancer surgery.

I've had my third chemo treatment, with one more to go, and I will probably have radiation, as well.

Thanks again for the many thoughts and prayers that have been offered on my behalf. God is so good !

Sincerely, Dorothy Shantz

One never full appreciates how lucky we are to live in Morningside. Being on the receiving end of so many caring friends and neighbours has shown me that what we have here is beautiful. I hope to be up and running very soon but in the meantime thank you for all your phone calls, cards, flowers and soup. It is most gratefully appreciated. We indeed are "family".

Donna Grigg

P.S. Thank you especially to the "hipsters" who have shared their words of wisdom.



GOING IN STYLE (A wonderful comedy/drama with Michael Caine, Morgan Freeman, Alan Arkin and Ann-Margaret)

> Movie Night (VC) Saturday, October 21, 2017 6:30 pm Outside guests over 18 are always welcome. Free licorice. B.Y.O.B. and nibblies. Loonie donation

Contact: Donna Grigg 390-2797



FROM THE OFFICE

Donna Downs-Atkinson

Just a note, to say thank you for the memories Morningside. You are a very special group of people. I will miss you all.

A special thank you for the special coffee hour on September 14th. I am overwhelmed by the amount of kind words, cards, flower and gifts given to me over this last week. A very special thank you to M.V.H.A..





The people of Morningside have a very special place in my heart and you will not be forgotten.

So until I see you all again.....thank you for the precious memories.



It took an amazing team of Morningside Volunteers to put together the Chili Lunch on Saturday, September 9, 2017. They fed and entertained almost 240 Morningsiders to a Chili lunch, prizes galore, 21 Gift Baskets in the raffle, pumpkin guessing and produce from the gardens of the Morningside Garden Group. Produce was donated by many who owned and maintained their garden plots throughout the summer months.



A VERY BIG THANK YOU TO: Ida Tong who decorated the stage so beautifully; Pat Foell who tirelessly put together 24 amazing baskets of goodies; Marianne and Ray Schlegel for looking after ticket sales for the raffle; Richard Derry for looking after the Pumpkin Guessing Contest; Judy Brown for being the MC; to our cooks who made the chili, Bob Grigg and Glen Whaley. Also a huge THANK YOU to all the servers who helped clean veggies, decorate tables, serve the food and prepare the desserts. Thank you: Doreen Brydon; Donna Eckert; Shirley Ranck; Marina Potter; Jim Weber; Pat & Ron Schnarr; Rita Klaasen; Arlene Hoke; Bill & Joyce MacDonald; Bob & Sandy Starr; Cleo & Joan Bender; Betty Johnston; Marilyn and Norm Holden; Michelle Stanley; Edna Miller and Yvonne Dobney. Thank you also to Gail McMullen and Robin Everall who stayed behind after everyone went home to clean all the dishes and pots and pans. To all those who helped on Saturday, your hard work is greatly appreciated. Also, thank you to Morningsiders who come out to support the hard work and efforts of those who host events such as this. It helps to keep us together as a connected community.





Submitted by Donna Grigg





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Thank you to all of our friends who donated to the Chili Lunch Baskets!!

Hans & Anne Lauridsen **Robert & Edna Miller Diane Runions Stephen & Arlene Hoke** Marina Potter Norman & Marilyn Holden Donna Eckert Bob & Doreen Brydon Wanda & Doug Cakebread Beryl Baker Sharon Oliphant Rita & Frank Schomogyi Margo Zabel Eileen Murphy Rae Humphery Charlie & Chuck Schiedel Sandra Jack Donna & Bob Greg Pat & Ron Schnarr **Audrey Sararas** Pat & Doug Foell Shirley & Gerry Wildfang Joyce Bell John & Jamie Williams Ruth & Bill Howell Joan & Cleo Bender Irene Epp Bonnie & Cliff Ziegler (Fiddleheads) Rità & Neil Klassen Jean Anderson Carol & Irvin Wagler Maryann & Ray Schlegel Judy & Rob Brown MacDonalds – coffee for the lunch WineX



Thanks to Paul Taylor for capturing the pictures of these happy faces of some of our lucky winners.

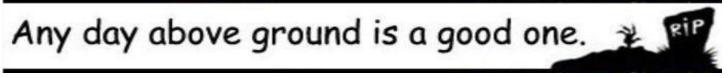


If you donated and did not sign this list - please know your donation was greatly appreciated.



Bring your own favourite beverages, drinking glasses and nibbles Desserts, Tea and Coffee available in the intermission

CONTACTS: Maureen Nethercott 662-3526 & Joan Gidman. 662-9649





Paint your own masterpiece, regardless of your ability! After a group of beginners tried our hands at painting this spring, we decided to do it AGAIN! Please join us and find out how easy it is to create!

Enjoy a fun and relaxing atmosphere with friends while producing your very own masterpiece with paint and canvas. Detailed instruction is provided, so no painting or art experience is necessary. Only \$40 per person, all paint supplies and canvas included.

Friday November 3rd from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m.

Craft Room

Bring your drink of choice, and take home your 16" by 20" acrylic on canvas, to hang, give as a gift or donate to Morningside's craft show. When registering, vote on your choice of two Fall pieces, the piece with the highest # of votes is chosen for us to paint, though each of us can vary the colours to our own liking. Must preregister and pay on Thursday Oct. 19th or 26th at coffee hour.

A minimum of 10 must preregister for this event to go forward but we can accommodate 24. Should fewer than 10 preregister, you will receive a full refund.

Submitted by Judy Brown



MVHA Annual General Meeting was held on Wednesday September 20th 2017...We actually had a better turnout than we normally do for our General Meetings.

Thank you to Beryl Baker, Dave Stewart and Kirk Kennedy for their 2-year tenure on the Board and welcome to our new board members, Sharon Wilson, Gail Metzger, Margret Nodwell, Richard Derry and Beryl Baker. Remaining on the Board to complete their 2nd year are Jill Kolaritsch, Lucille Birchall, Gail McMullen, Eckhard Michalski and Ross Eichler.

President: Ross Eichler, Vice President: Jill Kolaritsch, Secretary: Lucille Birchall, Treasurer: Beryl Baker, Entertainment: Sharon Wilson, Membership: Margret Nodwell, Property: Eckhard Michalski And Richard Derry, Welcoming: Gail Mcmullen And Gail Metzger

Please introduce yourself to these folks and thank them for volunteering to serve on the MVHA BOARD.

It has been brought to my attention that there is another scam being used on our residents, one that involves air quality checkup for your home.....please be very careful as to the phone calls that you get... if in doubt get a second opinion or check with a family member before you commit to something that could be scam.

Please everyone...let's be respectful and show some patience when addressing the staff at the office as well as the maintenance department. We are in a transition period and will soon have a replacement for the vacancy left by Donna.

Thank you to the many Event Coordinators that put on the many functions throughout the year. All of the events take a tremendous amount of work and many volunteers to help do it.

The last thing is the Welcome Wine and Cheese for the new residents to Morningside. Thanks to Gail McMullen for organizing this and to the rest of the Board for helping out.

Have a great Fall Season Ross Eichler (President)

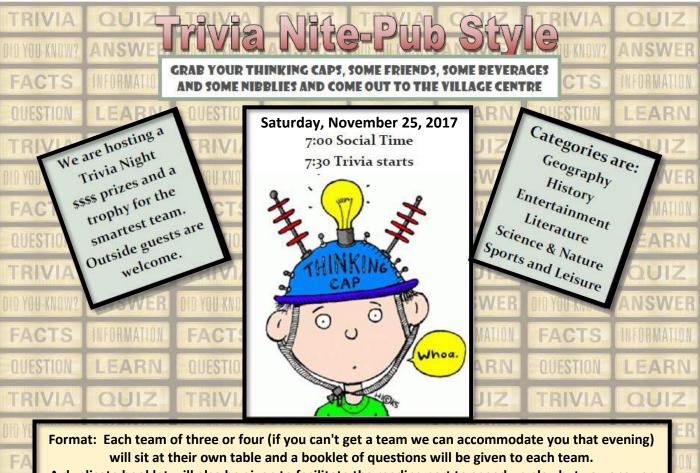


If ANY of your garbage WAS NOT PICKED UP by 4:30 p.m. (including green or blue bins or big pick up items) Please contact Waterloo Region Waste Management 519-575-4400 to report the problem. We appreciate your co-operation

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Does anyone else

have a plastic bag full of plastic bags in their house, or is it just me?



A duplicate booklet will also be given to facilitate the reading part to speed up play but you answer in only one book. You work at your own pace, answering the easy questions first and then coming back to the ones that challenged you. It is a timed event so everyone starts at the same time and pencils down at the same time.

In the meantime you can enjoy your B.Y.O.B. and nibblies.

The questions are not overly difficult. In the event of a tie there will be a playoff. Cost: \$4.00/person which includes Tea, Coffee and homemade cookies and squares. Hosted by Cathy and Mike Jennings 519-390-1818

Tickets go on sale during Coffee Hour November 9, 16,23. They can also be bought at the door.



HALLOWEEN PARTY - SATURDAY OCTOBER 28, 2017 DOORS OPEN AT 6:30PM PARTY STARTS AT 7:00PM ADMISSION \$5.00

Another year has passed which means we have to become witches and ghouls again so put on your thinking cap to come up with a crazy or amazing costume.

Costumes are optional but people really do have more fun when they are in disguise. This Halloween Party is open to all residents and their outside friends and family.

(NO CHILDREN PLEASE)

Once again a prize will be presented for the Best Male Costume, the Best Female Costume, the Best Couple Costumes and the Best Three or more Costumes.

There will also be a prize for the table which best captures the essence of Halloween.

Music provided by: DJ Lyndon & Linda from Music Thyme Entertainment

There will be games to make you think and some games to just make you laugh.

Tables will be set up for 8 – 10 people and you may choose your table at 10AM on the morning of the party

Tickets available at Coffee Hour October 12, 19 & 26 Please bring your own drinks, glasses and snacks and bowls. If you wish, you can even bring your own supper.

Hosted by Audrey Sararas, Sharon & Bob Dietrich & Jean & Walter Grygaski

News from the Morningside Art Group.

The art group has started up again this September. We meet Mondays at 10.00 a.m. and finish by 12.00 noon in the craft room. All are welcome to come and have some fun with your type

of art. We learn from each other.

Submitted by Richard Derry

Two blondes living in Oklahoma were sitting on a bench talking...... and one blonde says to the other, "Which do you think is farther away......Florida or the moon?" The other blonde turns and says "Hellooooooooo, can you see Florida...????" Don't stress about your eyesight failing as you get older. It's natures way of protecting you from shock as you walk past the mirror.

Don't forget Sunday Nov 26



Come join us at the Village Centre. Pre game at 6:00 Kick off 6:30. BYOB & snacks. Come and enjoy.

> Submitted by Bonnie Ziegler



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Pumpkin and Bake Sale

This year's pumpkin display and sale will be held on Saturday October 7th from 8:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. on the putting green. Not only will we have pumpkins but lots of other vegetables.

Those who have tasted some of the vegetables from the garden this year realize how tasty fresh vegetables are. The ladies tell us there will also be lots of baked goods and preserves. Many gardeners and friends of gardeners are supplying these. It should be a wonderful day and we hope you will mark your calendar and invite your kids, grandkids and friends.

Rain or shine the sale will go on and possibly the baked goods will be sold in the shed.

Hope to see you there. Submitted by – Hans Lauridsen



Morningside Open Golf Championship



<u>Ladies' Winners</u> 1st - Shirley Ranck 66 2nd - Dianne Whaley 67 3rd - Barb Main 83

<u>Men's Winners</u> 1st - Glen Whaley 63 2nd - Ross Eichler 64 3rd - Bob Grigg 65



Winners of the Marshmallow Bash were Bill Howell with a drive of 35 yards. The ladies long hitter was Joyce Bell 19 yards.

We are still playing on Mondays at Woodstock, anytime.

Indoor golf starts November 6th. Tee off 9 A.M. We are still looking for 2 or 3 more spares. Call me if you are interested.

Thank you all for a great season.

Submitted by - Mike Disney 519-662-9161

Bob Bryden Hole in One Award





Once again a great turnout for the "Tournament" and Dinner held on Sept. 6th 2017. We had 48 golfers,

some winners and some losers, but a good time was had by all. We also enjoyed our meat pies and beans prepared by Gail McMullen.

We also had a raffle for a beautiful stained glass lady golfer, created by Jane Eichler and won by Bob Hunter. The raffle brought in \$278.00 with one half going to the Wilmot Family Resource Food Bank and the other half to go towards the Christmas Hampers donated by Morningside Village. It is very gratifying to see us give back to those less fortunate.

The winners for the were as follows:

1st. place: Adrienne Lavallee, Paul Taylor, Wally Van Niekerk and Diane Runions

2nd place: Mike Jennings, Cathy Jennings, Marylynn Guay and John Lawrie

3rd place: Dave Stewart, Dianne Whaley, John Laurie and Mike Disney

4th place: Gary Collins, Linda Lawrie, Gibb Huff and Tom Ferries





Closest to the Pin winners: Jane Eichler and Linda Lawrie and Nick Rintche and Ross Eichler

Closest to the Line winners: Barb Main and Dave Stewart

Thanks again to all the participants and everyone that made the day a great success.

This will be my last year for organizing The Tavistock Golf on Wednesday Mornings, if you are interested in continuing this event please contact the entertainment committee or me for further details.

> Thanks for now, Hit "Em Straight" Submitted by - Ross Eichler

Morningside News Letter

or the newer residents to Morningside, a little history about the comfort quilts program has been requested. A group of people gather in the Craft Room for part or all of a designated Friday during the autumn & winter to finish



If you can tie your shoes, then you can tie these knots. The fabric/ tops, batting, backing are all donated by members of the community. Sometimes, when people are downsizing their stash, their quilting/sewing materials are donated to us.

Occasionally, a finished top

quilts to be donated charities or others in need. The charities are selected by the volunteers who attend the particular day the quilts are completed. Over the years, more than 350 quilts have been passed on to House of Friendship, Wilmot Family Resources Centre, Anselma House (home for abused women), Marillac Place (for teen mothers) and too many more to list.

The tops that are used are already sewn together by a volunteer. If you are a quilter or like to sew, you may wish to sew blocks together for a top.

The finishing process involves helping to layer the top, batting and backing under the direction of an experienced quilter. Then, the volunteers tie knots at @ 6 inch intervals . That is the activity you are invited to participate in.

or collection of blocks are given to us. It is our form of "*Reduce, re-use, re-cycle*".

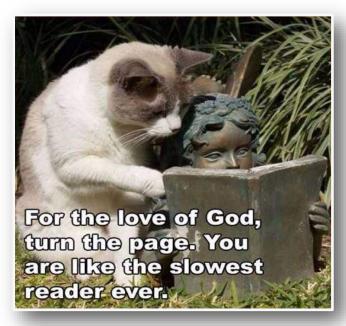
There will not be a comfort quilting session in December since it is a very busy time preparing for the holidays & Christmas.

However, a comfort quilt session will take place in October and November, 2017 on the same Friday as Soup'r Lunch. If you plan to stay for lunch, please purchase your tickets in advance.

The sessions are: 9:30-11:30 am & 1:00-3:00 pm.

You are welcome to attend one or both sessions. We look forward to seeing you . All are welcome.

> Submitted by - Wanda Cakebread 519 662-9349



Two old people sitting on a bench, one turns to the other and says 'My butt fell asleep. The other says, 'Yep, I heard it

snore a couple of times.'



We did it again, yes The Morningside Walkers participated in the Terry Fox Run/Walk for Cancer Research on Sunday September 17th 2017. We had 21 enthusiastic walkers that did the 3 KM walk through New Hamburg and together as a team we raised \$2585.00

Thanks to all the walkers and their sponsors for helping with this very worthwhile cause.

The walkers were: Paul Taylor, Shirley Stewart, Wayne Stewart, John Kolaritsch, Joyce Bell, Bonnie Ziegler, June Eden, Dianne Runnion, Bob Dietrich, Sharon Dietrich, Jean Gryowski, Jim Meyer, Jane Eichler, Ross Eichler, Audrey Sararas, Donna Eckert, Florence Metzger, Peter Korf, Donna Rich-Bradie, Doreen Brydon and Pat Foell.

Hopefully next year we will have even more walkers, thanks again to everyone,

Submitted by - Ross Eichler

Oh my darling, Oh my darling, Oh my darling, Oh my darling Clementine...



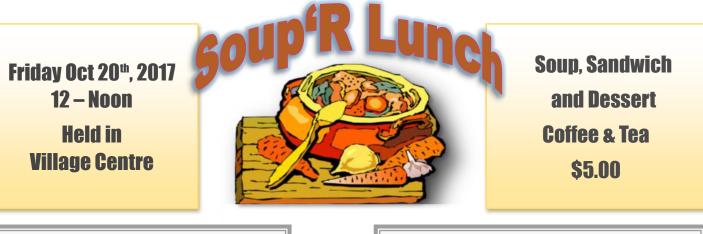
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I'm so old... all my friends in heaven will think I didn't make it.

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Come out and enjoy lunch and social time with your neighbours and friends at Morningside.

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Tickets go on sale Thursday coffee hours, Oct 5th, Oct 12th and Oct 19th. or by calling Gail McMullen 519-662-6752

As many of you already know, you will soon be losing your local Avon representative. Linda Fobert has looked after the needs of a large clientele here in Morningside and with their pending move, is trying to find someone in the community to take her place.

Many of our residents appreciate her personal service. It is nice to be able to place your order and have it delivered to you door by one of our own.

Since we do not allow outside vendors in our village, only a Morningside resident can fill Linda's shoes. It is a large established client base so if interested in a little extra spending money, please give her a call at 664-4282.

 Image: September Hosts

 September Hosts

RED HAT LADDIES

e are sorry that we had to cancel the trip to Ingersoll. But the bus costs too much with less than 20 people.

For October we have a great trip for you without taking the bus! We will meet in the Shed and car pool as usual. This outing is at the Waterloo Region Museum on Homer Watson. We will see and hear a new exhibition called "Trailblazing". It has been the work of my friend Gail Cuthbert Brandt over the last 3 years, about Canadian pioneer women from the year 1867. She will personally take us around the exhibit and afterwards will join us for lunch which will consist of soup, sandwiches, cookies and hot and cold drinks. The cost of this trip will be \$30, which includes lunch and entrance fee.

Submitted by - Beryl Baker & Margaret Bennett



I would like to thank all the people who came out to the travel meeting on Thursday September 21st. and signed up for many of the outings. In fact "Carmen's" in December and "Come From Away" in June 2018 are already sold out. The \$80 for the December trip is due November 1st.

As for the longer vacations Lorraine Payne will be in the Shed on Wednesday, October 4th at 11 a.m. to get the deposits for the Viking River Cruise, and to answer any questions you may have. For example, the great insurance coverage that Viking gives. If you want to hear more about this "Christmas Market Tour" from November 23rd to December 1st, 2018, please come along.

Twenty-six people have signed up for the 5 day trip to Ottawa and we are looking for 4

more people. The price is \$699 per person per double occupancy.

It doesn't look good for the "Spirit Tree Cidery", booked for October 6th. I only have 18 people so far and need at least 4 more to make it a go.

I just want to confirm that December 5th at Carmen's is a Christmas Show with lunch. NOT Abba. That show is December 13th which coincides with the Christmas Dinner at the high school.

The next travel meeting is on Friday December 8th at 2 p.m. in the Village Centre. At that time we will be taking the money for the spring tour which is February 26th to March 12th.

Submitted by - Margaret Bennitt



Wine & Cheese

Celebration

Thanks to everyone that attended the "Wine & Cheese" cel-

ebration on Sunday. It was a big success. Letting the new residents speak individually made it even more welcoming. Hopefully when you pass them on the street or meet them at coffee you will stop and welcome them. It is a small world we live in. We had a large group to listen to and we still have more moving in. Let's show them what Morningside is all about. "A Friendly place to Live."

Gail McMullen - Welcoming Committee

My Favourite Things

Retirement sing along to the tune of: You remember: the tune from 'The Sound of Music'

Rennies and nose drops and needles for knitting, Zimmers and handrails and new dental fittings, Bundles of magazines tied up in string, These are a few of my favourite things.

Cadillacs, cataracts, hearing aids, glasses, Polident, Fixodent, false teeth in glasses, Pacemakers, golf carts and porches with swings, These are a few of my favourite things.

When the pipes leak, When the bones creak, I simply remember my favourite things, And then I don't feel so bad.

Hot tea and crumpets, and corn pads for bunions, No spicy meals or food cooked with onions, Bathrobes and heating pads, hot meals they bring, These are a few of my favourite things.

Back pains, confused brains and no fear of sinning, Thin bones and fractures and hair that is thinning, More of the pleasures maturity brings-When we remember our favourite things.

When the joints ache, when the hips break, When the eyes grow dim, I simply remember the great life I've had, And then I don't feel... **so** bad.

Submitted by - Judy Brown

MORE BITS FROM BERYL ...

A reminder that October 1st is the time to renew your membership of \$12. If paying by cheque, make out to M.V.H.A. If paying by cash be sure to mark your name on the envelope. Please leave in the folder marked "Treasurer", in the office.

I know it is like knocking my head against a brick wall!! But I am asking again for folks to wear their name tags. It is one way of bringing us together. The new people can get to know us easier, and we can call the new folks (there are quite a few this year) by their name. Which is nice and friendly.

If you are not lucky enough to have daughters, granddaughters or great granddaughters involved with the Girl Guides of Canada, have I got a deal for you!!!!! GG cookies, mint and traditional, \$5 a box. If you have that sweet tooth that needs satisfying give me a call 662-1993.

At the general meeting I did say that a report would be included in this newsletter, didn't realize that Glen would be away for a week. so, next month.

Submitted by - Beryl Baker

Garbage

For the benefit of our newest residents and for those of us with poor memories (maybe I just should have said "for everyone's benefit"), garbage pickup has been added to the calendar.

Garbage and large items is only every second week and those Tuesdays are marked as *Large Item Pickup*.

Green bins and blue box is every week and they are marked *Regular Pickup*.

If you own a smart phone or tablet you can download a 'Waste Management' app at: http://www.regionofwaterloo.ca/en/ aboutTheEnvironment/curbside-collection.asp Or you might try 'Pingstreet' which gives you more than just garbage information.

Editor

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.
	7:30 ~ Aquafit	9:15 ~ Bowling	7:30 ~ Aquafit	9:30 ~ Coffee	7:30 ~ Aquafit	
	9 ~ Exercise	9 ~ Line	9 ~ Exercise	social	9 ~ Exercise	
	10 ~ Art C/R	Dancing V/C				
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	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	3
	1 ~ Crokinole	12-2~Pickleball	1 ~ Shuffle V/C	1 ~ Shuffle V/C	1~Mahjong PEL	
	1 - Shuffle V/C	1:15 ~Solo PEL		7 ~ Darts V/C	4~ Happy Hour	
	7:15 ~ Bingo	1:30 ~ Scrabble	3 ~ Bible Study		7 ~ Texas Hold	20
	J J	(PEL)	(PEL)		Em (PEL)	
		2 ~ Weight			7:15 ~ Bid	
		Watchers C/R			Euchre (V/C)	
		2:30 ~ Tai Chi				
		V/C				
		7:15 ~ Euchre				
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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Sinatra tickets			Coffee social		
	sale PEL			life line info and		
	12 -2 p.m.			presentation		Pumpkin Sale
PEL booked				10 a.m.		9 - 1 Putting
Lawrie		Big Pick-up				green
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
	OFFICE			coffee social		
	CLOSED			hearing clinic		
	Thanksgiving			speaker 10 a.m.		
PEL booked			Potluck 4:30			PEL booked
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15	16	17	18	19	20	21
						Movie Night
						6:30 V/C
					Soup R Lunch	
Marbles					12 V/C	PEL booked
PEL 1 p.m.		Big Pickup				R. Miller
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
Potluck		- X				Halloween
Summit Cr.						party V/C
PEL		<b>Regular Pickup</b>				
29	30	31	Nov. 1	Nov. 2	Nov. 3	Nov. 4
						Sinatra Tribute
						Show
Garden Group					Social Art C/R	
pot luck PEL					12:30 - 4	PEL booked
		Big Pickup				Johnston