

Country Club Manor

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January 2010 Newsletter

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SAY "HELLO" TO YOUR NEW NEIGHBORS!



We are Pat & Curt Christensen. We moved here from Woodbury (a very faraway place!). Curt works at 3M Chemolite in Cottage Grove. Pat gets the privilege of taking care of the littlest grandchild.

We have 2 daughters. Our daughter Deanne is a Research Scientist for St. Jude Medical, and our daughter Rachel is a Cardiology Nurse at the University of Minnesota. We have four grandchildren that keep us busy going to sports events and school activities.

We have joined the weekend caretaking team here at CCM. Hope to get to know all of you! Everyone has been so welcoming.

FROM TERESE'S DESK



HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL MY FRIENDS AT CCM!! I hope this Holiday Season was safe and happy for all and that Santa brought everything you asked for. I would like to sincerely thank everyone for their generous gifts, cards and well wishes I received over the past several weeks. This truly is my 'HOME' away from 'HOME' and I am blessed to have built so many friendships!!

The annual Christmas Party was a total success thanks to Mary & Lee. It was fun to spend some leisure time with you all, enjoying the food, drink, music and DANCING! The entertainment was top-notch and Mary has

booked him again for Christmas 2010. I will make sure we have a bigger dance floor so we can all get out there and kick-up our heels next year. I was sore for 3 days afterwards!!

Our deepest sympathy to June Dahl's family. Due to illness, June passed on December 14th surrounded by her family. June has been a member of the CCM family since August 10, 1982. She will be dearly missed by us all, and the friendships made will be forever cherished.

Until next month....

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NOTES FROM OUR "SOCIAL DIRECTORS"



Happy New Year!! Thanks Mary & Lee for a beautiful Christmas party. It's very kind of you to do this for us every year. We would like to thank everyone for the Christmas wishes, cards, and gifts. Your thoughtfulness was appreciated. We hope you all had a very nice Christmas. Thanks also go out to everyone who helped decorate this year. We had about 20 people and you all did a beautiful job. (We had fun too).

Brunch this month will be on Saturday the 16th. The Casino Trip will be Thursday the 7th. The Birthday/Anniversary Potluck will be Monday the 25th. I wrote this too early to know if we had a nice New Year's party, but I'm sure we did. (ha-ha). We only have one regular season Viking's game left. Then the play offs start. When I get the schedule I will post days and times.

We said good-bye to June Dahl in December. She was a long time resident of CCM and a WONDERFUL lady.

She will be missed.

That's it for this month. Take care.

Kevin + Kathy E.

A MESSAGE FROM MARY



Hi Everyone;

I trust you all had a very happy and blessed Christmas. I would like to thank everyone for the gifts and cards from so many of you. That was very nice of you. I had a great time at the party and from the cards and thank you gifts I would say everyone that attended had a great time also. I have booked the same entertainer and of course the caterer.

Potluck was very good this month, I was even able to attend for once and it was nice enjoying all the great food.

We have some great cooks at Country Club Manor.

My folks made it to Texas in one piece and my sister said the driving was not that bad. It did take them a little longer than usual, but they made it safe and sound. They enjoyed the party, but said they did not appreciate nature's harsh welcome (like the snow and cold). Sorry about that Mom and Dad. This has been the coldest and snowiest Christmas in a long time!

I will not be able to make the New Year's Eve party, but I am sure you will all have a great time. Enjoy and bring in the New Year with a bang. I can hardly believe how fast this year has gone.

Be sure to watch for your CRP rent credit form the end of the month and put it in a safe place or file right away. It is a lot of work to get them done, so if you need a replacement we do charge a fee of \$25.00.

We will also be checking smoke detectors during the last two weeks of January, so be sure to watch for the notice.

Be sure to be careful when you go outside; it is icy everywhere you go. After that wet snow on Christmas and then freezing, there is ice everywhere you go.

I would also like to extend our deepest Sympathy to the family of June Dahl. She was a great and wonderful person and will be missed here at Country Club Manor. You are all in my prayers.

Happy New Year! Until next month have safe one and God Bless,

Mary

RECIPE FOR CHRISTMAS CHEER:

Submitted by John Aldrich (#118)

- 1 cup of water
- 1 tsp baking soda
- 1 cup of sugar
- 1 tsp salt
- 1 cup of brown sugar
- 4 large eggs
- 1 cup nuts
- 2 cups of dried fruit
- 1 bottle Jose Cuervo Tequila

Sample the Cuervo to check quality. Then take a large bowl, check the Cuervo again to be sure it is of the highest quality. Pour one level cup and drink...

Turn on the electric mixer; beat one cup butter in a large fluffy bowl. Then add one peastoon of sugar; beat again. At this point, it's best to make sure the Cuervo is still OK! Try another cup just in case. Turn off the mixerer thingy! Break 2 leggs and add to the bowl, then chuck in the cup of dried fruit. Pick the frigging fruit up off the floor!! Mix on the turner... If the dried druit gets stuck in the beaters, just pry it loose with a drewscriver! Sample the Cuervo to check again for tonsisticity. Next...sift two cups of salt, or something?!? Who geeves a s...t! Check the Jose Cuervo! Now, shift the lemon juice and strain your nuts. Add one table, a spoon of sugar or somefink...whatever you can find!!! Greash the oven, turn the cake tin 360 degrees and try not to fall over. Don't forget to beat off the turner! Finally...throw the bowl through the window, finish the Cose Juervo and make sure to put the stove in the dishwasher....

CHERRY MISTMAS!!!

JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

NAME	BLDG	APT	DATE
Pat Christensen	55	#333	3
Gordon Evgen	55	#215	8
Betty Zontelli	45	#114	13
James Dawson	55	#121	19
Bernice LaPointe	45	#213	21
Erma Munoz	55	#124	22
Tina Lloyd	55	#123	24
James Viner	45	#301	24
Susan Casterlin	55	#331	25
Dale Lienemann	45	#112	31

CCM CHRISTMAS PARTY 2009!



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