

Country Club Manor

April 2009 Newsletter

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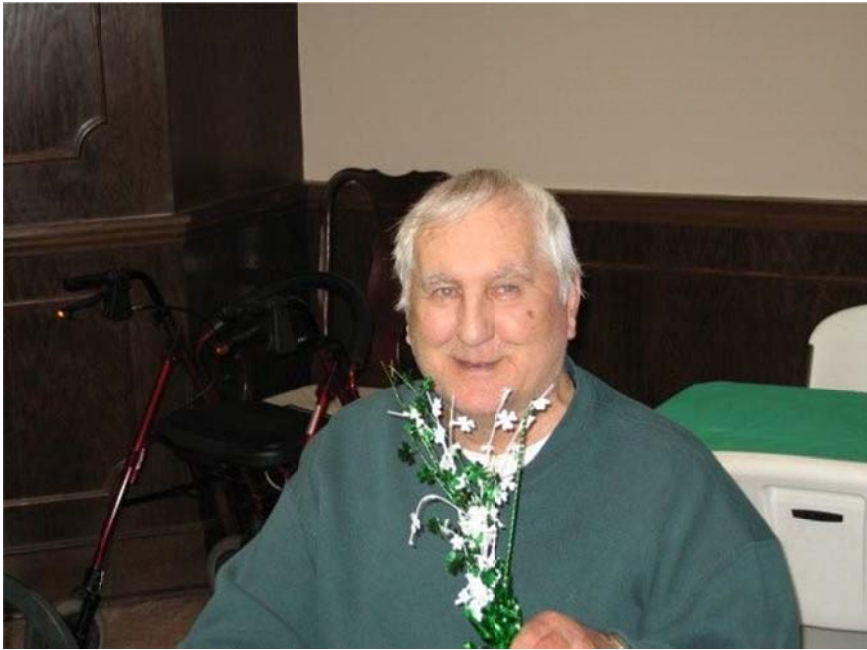
ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARTY, SATURDAY MARCH 14!



Kay Owen #227 (nee: O'Connor), 100 percent Irish!!



What a great brunch. Everyone said they had a good time.!



SAY "HELLO" TO YOUR NEW NEIGHBORS:



Hi! My name is Paulette Lind, my mother is Marie Delhunt. We are just settling into #305 and love this place and the people we've met already! My mom was a seamstress for many years. She raised my sister and I on her own. I work at United Hospital as a PCA. I've been there 39 years. I also have a second job at Ovenhearth Bakery. I have 5 grown children and 3 grandchildren with another one on the way. I hope we get a chance to meet all of you! Terese is especially kind and helpful!

My name is Pat Kohout and I moved into apartment #201. I retired from St. Kate's College about two years ago. I have one daughter (Anne Marie), one granddaughter (Biltay) and the love of my life, my great-grandson (Lavontae) who is 15 months old. I know I will be happy here. I love it already and look forward to meeting the residents.

THE FUNNY BONE

'WHERE is my SUNDAY paper?' The irate customer calling the newspaper office loudly demanded, wanting to know where her Sunday edition was.

'Ma'am,' said the newspaper employee, 'today is Saturday. The Sunday paper is not delivered until tomorrow, on Sunday.'

There was quite a long pause on the other end of the phone, followed by a ray of recognition, as she was heard to mutter, 'Well, sh#\$... so that's why no one was at church today!!!'

NOTES FROM OUR "SOCIAL DIRECTORS"



Hello to all—

Wow! The St. Patrick's Day Brunch was awesome. We had a lot of people, (Irish and not), delicious food, lots to drink, Irish music, door prizes, and plenty of conversation. Thanks to those of you who joined in the fun.

We will be having an Easter/Spring Room. See posted signs for details. September. Our April Monday April 27th at 5:30pm in the invitation to all the new neighbors in welcome.



Brunch on April 11th at 11:30am in the Club Room. This will be our last monthly brunch until Birthday/Anniversary Potluck will be Club Room. We would like to extend an our CCM community to join us. Everyone is

that are put out in the building. This is done

We would like to request that people do not move or remove decorations for all our friends and neighbors and if they are taken they cannot be enjoyed. Thank you!!

I (Kathy) would like to thank all of you who sent cards and good wishes to me on my birthday. Also to those who remembered a word or two on the year anniversary of my Mom's death. Anyone who is considering moving in at CCM should know of the kind caring people we have living here.

That's it for this month. Have a Happy Easter.

Love, *Kevin + Kathy E.*

A MESSAGE FROM MARY



A Happy and Blessed Easter to all! I can hardly believe we are coming up on April already Where do the days, weeks, months and years go? Blessed Easter and Happy spring!

I heard that the St. Patrick's day brunch went very well and everybody enjoyed the great food and company of all the Irish. I look forward to seeing all the pictures. Sorry we could not make it, but Lee needed a warm weather break and we took a glorious trip to Acapulco for a week.

On Wednesday, April 22 at 1 PM we will again have a presentation by Cerenity Senior Services, on a heart-healthy diet, titled "Understanding the Cholesterol Rollercoaster." For those who have attended presentations in the past, you know the food will be very tasty, so be sure to attend and learn how to make quick, easy and great tasting food. I hope to attend and learn also, so I can protect my heart before any problems occur.

I would really like to thank everyone for all the co-operation during all the repairs in the garages. I know it was a huge inconvenience, but the repairs had to be done and we had to get it done before the spring thaw. I really look forward to spring now and the last week of nice weather has been so

nice. I hope you have been able to enjoy most of it and look forward to summer as much as I do. My folks, Ed and Dee #335, both say “Hi” and they are eagerly looking forward to their return sometime in May.

I will be spending more time at the building while Terese is gone (until April 6) so I hope to see many of you while I am there. It will be a busy week, but be sure to say “Hi,” if you see me.

Till next month, Have a Blessed Easter and God Bless,

Mary

UNDERSTANDING THE CHOLESTEROL ROLLERCOASTER

The team from Cerenity Senior Services is back again in April by popular demand. Confused about good and bad cholesterol? Looking for sure-fire, easy ways to make your diet work for your heart? Come sample breakfast, lunch, and dinner suggestions—the learning, fun and recipes all included—on Wednesday, April 22, at 1 p.m. right here in the Club Room. Ann, Amanda, and Dan, all from Cerenity, return to smooth out the highs and lows of heart-healthy diet. You’ve loved their food, information, and good humor in the past... See you there!

PUZZLE ART

We have all noticed the work-in-progress jig-saw puzzles being



fully completed jig-saw puzzle! Who would have thought?

assembled in the area east of the Club Room. Of course anyone is welcome to join in this therapeutic activity at anytime. (This writer actually found a piece



that fit, a couple weeks ago!) While the photo (previous page) may look like a Thomas Kinkadee original adorning the wall, it is in fact, a

Some of the painting's "texture" begins to appear (above). Note the reflected image of our Puzzle-Worker-in-Chief, Shirley P. #219, looking on, making sure our roving photographer does no harm!

You say you
NOW do you

But what is
those pieces to
#308 for the



still can't believe it's a puzzle? OK then, look at THIS photo!
believe it?

even the finest painting without a frame? Can you imagine trying to get all stay together while they're being framed? So "hat's off" to Dave Holman nice job on the framing!

UG PARKING DRAIN TILE PROJECT . . . ALMOST DONE!

Once again, our apologies to all and thanks for putting up with the dust, noise, and inconvenience of "musical cars." The only phase remaining is for Mark and Tom to install multiple drains down the center aisle of the garages. Once done, we should be able to hose down the garages when we need to, especially in the spring, to get rid of all the road dirt, salt and sand. But this work should not cause too much inconvenience because vehicles will be able to park normally. If you need to drive over a drain before it's complete, they will be able to cover it temporarily to let you pass and in any case, your wheel base will be wider than the grates..



Do you have something you would like to share with the rest of our little community? Give anything you like to Terese or email directly to Lee at LeeSail@aol.com. Examples might be prayers, poems, jokes, cartoons, recipes, a personal story, someone you think should be honored, a political viewpoint, etc.

Choosing your own neighbors is easy! Just give Terese the name and number of someone you think might be looking for a nice apartment. That's all there is to it. Or you can give the office number (451-2633) to your friend (and ask your friend to mention your name early in the conversation). When your friend joins our little community, you will receive two \$100 certificates of appreciation to use towards your rent.

APRIL BIRTHDAYS

Name:	Bldg #	Apt#	Day
Clare Morrisette	1945	109	1
Sharon Ranalls	1945	207	3
Sylvia Sanchez	1945	303	4
Bea Riley	1955	231	6
Leslie Brodd	1955	321	7
Rena Locke	1945	307	9
Bill Grams	1955	229	10
Darlene Rief	1955	126	14
Eugene Skrukud	1955	132	16
Don Standley	1955	220	17
James Rief	1955	126	21
Dottie Kline	1945	311	21
Dee Weimar	1945	102	22
Rita Williams	1955	232	23
Shirley Ringhand	1055	325	25
James Long	1955	122	26
Kevin Ericson	1945	107	27