



2020 Somers Point Newsletter

Don't you just wonder where the time has gone!! When we think about all that has happened so far this year we wonder about that a lot. I looked up "wonder" in the dictionary and it gave many different definitions: curiosity, astonishment, doubt, wanting to know. Wow, we use that word for a lot of different things we think about. Then I saw wonderful, and it said a nature of excitement, or marvelous. So how does the word wonder fit into your life? We wonder why people we know haven't called and checked on us, we wonder what is going to happen next and when. But then we can look at wonderful, and think about all the wonderful things even the pandemic has provided, although different for each of us. Maybe it has made us closer to family and friends, maybe we have learned how to get our groceries and other needs in a different way, we may also have learned a new way to communicate, Skype, Zoom, and even increased our phone

calls to those we love. These seem to fit under the "wonderful" category. Have we all done something to make life more wonderful for ourselves and those we love, if not, now is the time. Call someone you haven't talked to for a long time, don't expect them to call you, send a caring message, I challenge you to do something wonderful instead of just wondering. You don't have to be wonderful all the time, because even on not so wonder days we know there are more wonderful ones coming.

*Create Wonderfulness in
your World Today!!!!*

Our Brown Bag'n Potlucks attendance has been small, but will continue, you have to feel comfortable about joining us, so far the weather has really only been comfortable once to eat outside, maybe we'll get another chance or two this fall. Bingo days will continue as usual too. We have been setting the 4th Wednesday of the month aside for activity day, attendance varies a lot but even a few make up a fellowship, so it has

been discussed and decided that every Wednesday afternoon will now be a gathering time at the club house, whether you want to do crafts, puzzles, cards or not, let's just make it a time to gather to share tales or just plain visit. Coffee will be provided, and if you want to provide a treat, it will be welcomed, come for whatever time you can, beginning at 1:30. Remember the Club House is open every day from 8-5. Also our turn out for the Sunday afternoon movies varies as well, we will try to post the movie for each week on the club house door, the popcorn is quick to pop, bring your own drink.

Remember to we have a small library at the club house where you can borrow books, or if you have some to donate, they are welcomed.

SPECIAL NOTE: With the movies having started at the club house on Sunday afternoons, that DOES NOT mean you cannot sign up to use the club house for family gatherings etc., just make sure you mark the calendar by the door for the date you want and the movie will be cancelled.

In last month's newsletter there were phone numbers listed for the Housing

office the number for Ed in maintenance was incorrect, it should be 402-720-1264.

Please note also: Norma M. phone number is now 402-719-3359, be sure make the change on your resident phone list.

Often times we tend to ask questions of our neighbors concerning information that is contained in the hand book we received when we moved to Somers Point, please remember to check your handbook when you have a question, if you no longer have one, you may call the Housing office for another one. Doing that will give you more definite information. Or you may call the office with your questions. Also a reminder that it is not wise to lock your outside door during the night, if the rescue unit would have to come they would have to break the door, even though they have access to a key for the inner door. This is for you safety.

Planning ahead: Every year we have our resident Thanksgiving Dinner in November on our regular potluck

date, this year it will be November 12th. Each person pays \$5 toward the meal, (the main course is catered) the treasury covers the rest. Because of the pandemic, we will have a signup sheet at the club house beginning this month. It is a hard decision to make right now, but this will be our way of deciding if we will have this meal or not, the meal won't be ordered till around the 1st of November. Those who attend will bring a salad, vegetable or dessert. If you sign up now, and change your mind we will totally understand.

There is also a sign up for a Christmas gathering which will be a soup meal with some entertainment, Jane G. and Marilyn H. will be hosting, if anyone else would be willing to volunteer please contact one of them. Everyone will bring cookies, or bars.

Several residents are planning to hold garage sales on Tuesday, September the 15th, & Wednesday, September 16th, from 1 to 7 p.m. If you wish to join in, contact Marlene M. for more information, or just have your garage sale items ready in your garage with a sign in your yard. Signs are available in the club house store room.

We are sorry to hear that Wanda S. will be leaving us, she will be moving to New York to live with her daughter. Our Best wishes to her.

One of our residents has a motorized scooter for sale, if you are interested in finding out more details, you may contact Rachel.

Happy Birthday to the September Birthdays, check your Birthday list to see who they are.

Some of our residents have been in the hospital recently, we wish them all well, and a quick recovery.

Remember to put your flags out on Monday September 7th for Labor Day, we honor all those who labor daily in many ways, especially this year we need to remember those who work in the medical field and are dealing with the pandemic. Many thanks to all of them where ever they are.

The Bible Study group will begin meeting at the club house again on September 3rd, at 1:30. For more information contact Sandy B.

If you have been unable to attend church, check the local TV channels 1304 they offer services from several churches during the week, if your evening is long, take a look at News Channel Nebraska # 98. From 8-10 every night they present Quarantine Nebraska, a live show of many talented people in Nebraska, you might see someone you know or remember.

Our Somers Point officers are:

President: Rachel J.

Vice President: Virginia S.

Treasurer: Jane G.

Your annual \$5 dues can be paid to Jane any time, this is optional.

Our recipe for this month comes from Anna B.

Glazed Cinnamon Rolls

Mix together 2 T. Sugar & 1 T. cinnamon, set aside.

2 ½ cups original Bisquick mix

2/3 cup milk

2 T. sugar

2 T. softened butter

¼ cup raisins

Glaze

1 1/3 C. Powder Sugar & 2 T. milk

Stir Bisquick, milk, and 2 T. of sugar together till dough forms. If dough is too sticky, gradually mix in enough Bisquick (up to ¼ cup) to make easier to handle.) Turn dough onto surface well dusted with Bisquick mix; gently roll dough in Bisquick mix to coat. Shape into ball, knead 10 times.

Roll dough into 15x9" rectangle, spread with butter, sprinkle evenly with sugar/cinnamon mixture and raisins. Roll up tightly beginning at 15" side. Seal well by pinching edge of dough into roll. Cut into 1 ¼" slices and place cut side down in 9x13 greased pan. Bake for 23-25 minutes. Cool for 5 minutes and remove from pan. Mix glaze and spread over rolls.

To report Maintenance Work Orders

Call Amanda - Fremont Housing Office -
402-727-4848

**For After Office Hours -
Maintenance Emergencies ONLY!**

Call –

Ed (Maintenance Supervisor) 402-720-1264
or Rita (Executive Director) 402-720-9643

Just a reminder when you are going away on vacation, in the hospital or the nursing home, it's important to inform the Office.

Thank You!