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Moundridge Manor Weekly Bulletin

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Small Group Activities



Beginning, Monday, February 15, the Activity Department will begin having small group activities of 10 people or less. The week of the 15th there will be a Reminiscing Group on Monday, Wednesday & Friday. The next week, beginning Monday, February 22, we will go on a safari to Kenya from our armchairs on Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

The groups will be invited from:

Monday

Friendship Lane & Rosewood Ave.

Wednesday

Meadow Lane

Friday

Apple, Bluestem & Clover Lanes

You will receive a personal invitation to attend.

Please remember the following:

- 6-feet social distancing
- Frequent hand hygiene
- Face covering that covers mouth & nose

19th in a series of "Getting To Know You" about the Manor residents.

Resident Story – Janis Koehn

Janis was born on December 4, 1935 to Lyle and Johanna (Johnson) Litwiller in Ithaca, Michigan. Her dad was a farmer so she has many memories of growing up on the farm in Michigan - helping with the chores, gathering eggs and feeding the pigs. With her siblings – two brothers (Darrel and Dean) and two sisters (Maris and Cheryl) she enjoyed riding bike and going fishing. Sometimes they would dig the worms, go to the lake and rent a boat for a couple dollars. She has fond memories of traveling to Kansas to see their Grandpa Johnson's. The winters in Michigan were fun with lots of snow. Janis attended grade school at the Smith Allen School and went until grade 10 at Fulton High School in Newark, Michigan. Her favorite subject was English. At the age of 21 she married Arnold Decker from Halstead, Kansas on April 8, 1956. They lived at Burns and Halstead, Kansas then moved Ithaca, Michigan. They have two children - Christine (Lalo) Arzola, Wilcox, Arizona and Brian (Charlotte) Decker, Walnut Hill, Florida. Arnold was ordained to the ministry in Michigan. Arnold, Janis and their family spent nearly 17 years in Mexico as missionaries learning to love the Spanish culture and foods. It was here that Janis learned to make many delicious Mexican dishes tacos, fideos, enchiladas, etc. After leaving Mexico they moved to El Campo, Texas. In Texas, Janis worked as a cook at Frank's Bakery and in the nursing home. Also, she cleaned houses for people and baked pies to sell. Through the years she enjoyed teaching Bible School and liked to take dishes to potluck meals at church. We had company over almost every Sunday - we always got ready and sometimes had folks over that we didn't even know. She says "I feel like I've never yet retired." Her husband, Arnold, passed away from a heart attack on September 20, 1996. After five years she married Warren Koehn from Victoria, Texas on March 11, 2001. She then gained five step-children. He passed away on February 19, 2016. It was after that when Janis moved to the Moundridge Manor in August 2016. Janis has six grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren from her first marriage. Here at the Manor Janis enjoys spending time reading and working word puzzles. In the past she had a loom to make yarn potholders or mats that she would make to give away.

WEEKLY ACTIVITY SCHEDULE

February 10 – February 16, 2021

Wednesday, February 10:

8:30 Devotions & Singing (Broadcast)

9:15 Intercom Chair Exercises

10:30 Memorial Service – Melvin Jantzen

~Broadcast from the Meridian congregation~

2:30 Store Cart

3:30 Intercom Story – The Lilac Lady

Thursday, February 11:

8:30 Devotions & Singing (Broadcast)

9:15 Intercom Chair Exercises

10:30 Intercom Story – Heart of Gold

2:30 Intercom Bingo with Valentine Snack

7:30 Gospel Singing – Zion (Broadcast)

Friday, February 12:

8:30 Devotions & Singing (Broadcast)

9:15 Intercom Chair Exercises

10:30 Intercom Story – Heart of Gold

2:30 Library Cart with Activity Packet

Saturday, February 13:

8:30 Devotions & Singing (Broadcast)

3:00 Intercom Sunday School Reading-Lesson 11

Sunday, February 14:

10:30 Worship Broadcast – Lone Tree

Happy Birthday to Wanetta Decker on Friendship Lane!

Monday, February 15: PRESIDENT'S DAY

8:30 Devotions & Singing (Broadcast)

9:15 Intercom Chair Exercises

10:30 Intercom Story – Heart of Gold

2:30 Reminisce Group 1*

3:30 President's Day Intercom Trivia

Happy Birthday to Dale Koehn on Meadow Lane!

Tuesday, February 16:

8:30 Devotions & Singing (Broadcast)

9:15 Intercom Chair Exercises

10:30 Songs of Yesterday (Broadcast)

11:15 Fifteen Minute Club*

2:30 Popcorn Cart

3:30 Intercom Story – Heart of Gold

These activities are by Invitation ONLY







ACTIVITY INFORMATION

You will receive 36 tickets each week to spend on Manor Store items. We will have Store items on the Activity Cart on Wednesdays.

If you have an activity request please have your Door Hanger request sign out by 9:00 a.m. to be filled that day. If you don't have one please ask someone from Activities. Also, you may call the Activity Office at (620) 345-6364, ext. 702.

If you would like to order from Wal-Mart please have your request to the Activity Office by Friday, February 19, 2021.

Please let Activity Staff know is you would like to do a WhatsApp video call or FaceTime with a family member. We will schedule that with you.

Cheer Basket gifts and personal deliveries are being held for 24 hours for infection control reasons – so do not expect immediate delivery of these items.

The Manor received permission from the county health department to move into Phase 1 on February 2, 2021. Dining has resumed in the Courtyard Café and Sunshine Diner with social distancing. Small group activities of 10 or less will resume February 15, 2021. Family visitations remain on hold. The Manor is in regular communication with your primary representative and keeping them informed of all developments. McPherson County has extended Phase 2 of the county reopening status through February 8, 2021 due to local hospital capacity, provider feedback, and high positivity rates.



Update as of 2-9-2021:

WORLD:

Total cases: 106,684,894Worldwide deaths: 2,332,103

UNITED STATES:

• Total cases: 27,129452

• Deaths: 465,994

KANSAS:

Total cases: 282,960 (1,398 new since 2/5)

• Deaths: 4,197 (96 new since 2/5)

Hospitalizations: 8749 (69 new since 2/5)

Negative tests: 920,799McPHERSON COUNTY:

• Total cases: 3,034 (33 new since 2/2)

Recovered: 1968

Deaths: 68

Hospitalizations: 12 current

The Manor will continue to take all prudent actions to keep everyone as safe as possible in the coming days.