

Moundridge Manor Weekly Bulletin

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Advice from a Sunflower

**BE BRIGHT, SUNNY,
& POSITIVE.**

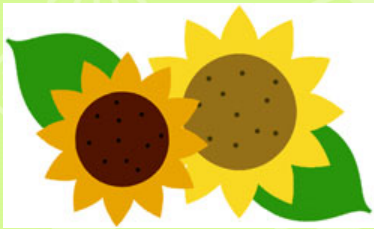
KNOW YOUR ROOTS.

Spread seeds of happiness.

**RISE, SHINE,
& HOLD YOUR HEAD UP HIGH.**

Keep on growing.

**Even on the darkest days,
stand tall & find the sunlight.**



Who Am I?

Can you guess who the resident is??

Answers in next week's bulletin.

- I have seven daughters and one son.
- We have lived in Michigan, Georgia, Kansas, Colorado, Missouri and back to Kansas.
- I worked at the Manor and later at Wal-Mart.
- **Who am I?**
- I was born at McPherson, Kansas.
- After marriage we lived in Moundridge and our street address was the same as my husband's name.
- I have two daughters that work at the Manor.
- **Who am I?**

Answers to last week's trivia clues are:

1. Marcella Koehn
2. Irene Unruh

34th in a series of "Getting To Know You" about the Manor residents.

Resident Story – Doris Bitikofer

Doris Selzer Bitikofer was born on October 2, 1926, at Goessel, Kansas. Her siblings include six sisters: Katherine Shank (deceased), Violet Selzer, Roberta Bitikofer, Ruby Bessler, Arletta Becker, and Gladys Yoder. Her family moved to Limon, Colorado for five years when Doris was a young girl. Doris started school while in Colorado. After a few years Doris and her family moved back to the central Kansas area. They lived on a farm near Canton, Kansas. She then finished grade school and high school in Canton. A dog, a Shetland pony, and a pet calf were favorite pets to Doris. They also had milk cows and chickens. She attended Spring Valley Church, rural Canton. It was here that she met Leroy Bitikofer. They were married on August 24, 1948. They have 4 children: Dwight (St. Louis, Missouri), Dennis (Canton, Kansas), Leta Jo Kremser (Catawissa, Pennsylvania), and Gary (Crestview, Florida). They enjoyed many good times on their farm near Canton, Kansas. LeRoy enjoyed farming and working at Hay & Forage. Doris was kept busy with her family. She enjoyed gardening and cooking, making many delicious meals and growing beautiful flowers. Sewing was another favorite activity. Through the years she has served her community in many ways by being a church secretary and a youth sponsor, and working as a cook at Canton Grade School and in the kitchen at the Shiloh Manor. She and her family and friends enjoyed a lot of interesting times. Her husband, Leroy, passed away in 2018. Some of her favorite leisure activities include sewing, reading, crossword puzzles, and playing dominoes.

True friends are like bright sunflowers that never fade away, even over distance and time.

WEEKLY ACTIVITY SCHEDULE

August 4 - 10, 2021

Wednesday, August 4:

8:30 Devotions & Singing (Broadcast)
8:45 Group Exercises – *Activity Room*
10:30 Intercom Story – On Top of Concord Hill
1:30-3:00 Store – *Open to all so come when it suits you!*
3:00 Reminisce Time – *Activity Room*

Thursday, August 5:

8:30 Devotions & Singing (Broadcast)
8:45 Group Exercises – *Activity Room*
10:00 Ladies' Coffee* (By Invitation ONLY) – *Activity Room*
2:30 Bingo – *Activity Room*
7:30 Gospel Singing – Meridian (Broadcast)

Friday, August 6:

8:30 Devotions & Singing (Broadcast)
8:45 Group Exercises – *Activity Room*
10:15 Intercom Story – On Top of Concord Hill
11:00 Fireside Chat – *Fireside Room*
3:00 Sunday School & Singing – *Chapel*

Saturday, August 7:

8:30 Devotions & Singing (Broadcast)
8:45 Group Exercises – *Activity Room*
3:00 Intercom Story – Reader's Choice

Sunday, August 8:

10:45 Worship Broadcast – Gospel

Monday, August 9:

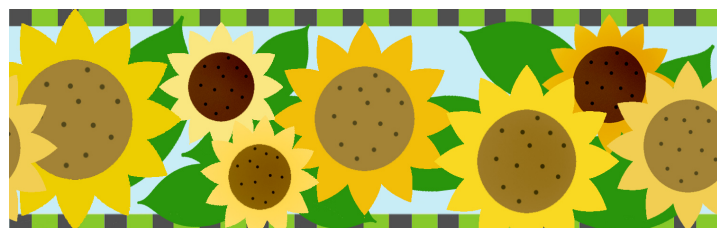
8:30 Devotions & Singing (Broadcast)
8:45 Group Exercises – *Activity Room*
10:15 Intercom Story – On Top of Concord Hill
11:00 Circle of Friends*
2:30 Bingo – *Activity Room* (S'mores snack)

Tuesday, August 10: National S'mores Day

8:30 Devotions & Singing (Broadcast)
8:45 Group Exercises – *Activity Room*
10:30 Songs of Yesterday (Broadcast)
11:15 Fifteen Minute Club*

2:00 Baking Club – Pup Treats

****By Invitation ONLY****



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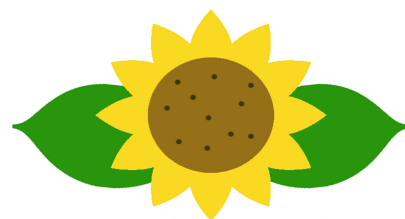
ATTENTION: The Intercom Story will continue to be broadcast as scheduled on the Activity Calendar – however if you prefer to come listen in the Activity Room you are welcome to do so!

You will receive 18 tickets each week to spend on Manor Store items beginning the week of June 7. Also, you will receive tickets for activities attended.

For activity requests you may come to the **Activity Office at the back of the Activity Room** or call the Activity Office at (620) 345-6364, ext. 305.

We have resumed once a month shopping for resident requests from Wal-Mart on the first Monday of each month so plan accordingly. Due to the Labor Day holiday on Monday, September 6, the next shopping day is Friday, September 3, 2021.

McPherson County recommends the following due to rapidly increasing case counts in the county, the State of Kansas and the nation in the last 2-3 weeks: get vaccinated, stay home if you are sick, and wash your hands. Those who are not vaccinated are encouraged to wear a mask when distancing is not possible.



Update as of 8-3-2021:

WORLD:

- Total cases: 199,162,828
- Worldwide deaths: 4,240,761
- Vaccines Administered: 4,290,445,069 doses

UNITED STATES:

- Total cases: 35,143,810
- Deaths: 613,834
- Vaccines Administered: 345,842,158 doses

KANSAS:

- Total cases: 334,636
- Deaths: 5,266
- Vaccines Administered: 3,044,800 doses

McPHERSON COUNTY:

- Total cases: 3,492
- Recovered: 3,360
- Deaths: 85
- Vaccines administered: 17,330 doses (as of 7/28/2021)