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A New Year Begins ...

And with it hopes for 2017! I always start the year with a new wellspring of anticipation for what the newyear will bring: new challenges, new highs, new lows, new expectation, love of the year-after-year traditions and thinking about the unexpected things that we can't even begin to anticipate. 2016 was a year of many, many unexpected challenges, great new opportunities, wonderful moments of compassion and caring and new moments to challenge our preconceptions. I am a PollyAnna - I always think the best of people and believe that everyone has best interest at heart when making decisions and I refuse to stop being a PollyAnna! So my New Year's Resolution is to continue to believe in the best intentions of everyone.

And with the Resolution in mind, we have great high hopes for 2017 at Perry and at Hillside. Our wonderful new building at Hillside is really coming together with lovely and tasteful furnishings, whimsical decorating touches and fantastic local art on the walls. We are welcoming great new residents and are really looking forward to the Friendship Center living into their new space with great new programming and new opportunities to learn, interact and enjoy community.

At Perry Farm Village we continue to get really great input from out owners about their vision for a long term sustainable future and work on implementing the ideas from owners, residents, & staff. We have pulled together a really great plan for refreshing/redoing our patio space this spring and I look forward to seeing how neat and clean the landscaping looks after our 'great prune' of 2016!

As always - call, email, stop by my office - and chat. I look forward to a great 2017 will all of you!

Mary Catherine

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It's Your Life. Live It Well.

By Tom Wyllie, Director of Wellness

"M" stands for Move

Last month I introduced you to MESH, what renowned geriatrician Dr. Bill Thomas refers to as the key to healthy aging. As you might recall, it's an acronym that stands for **M**ove, **E**at, **S**leep, **H**eal. According to Dr. Thomas, neglecting to do any one of these things can have dire consequences as we age. This month we will focus on what it means to move.

I bet most of you have heard the phrase "use it or lose it". It happens to be particularly true for the human body. Though our bodies are designed for movement, if we don't move them our muscles, bones, heart, lungs, and even our brains will weaken and begin to function poorly. Fortunately, the opposite is also true. If we become and remain physically active our muscles, bones, heart, lungs and brains will strengthen and begin to function better. And the good news is that we don't have train like Olympic athletes to reap the benefits.

All we need to do is get up off the couch and take a little stroll. If we did this four times a day for just 5 minutes at a time we would do ourselves a world of good. If walking isn't your thing, dance instead. Put on some music and move to the groove! The cool thing about dancing is that it can be done sitting or standing and can actually be done with or without music. And for the kind of dancing I'm talking about, there are no rules other than you need to move your entire body: arms, legs, head, and torso.

If it's been awhile since you've cut the rug (or engaged in any other type of regular physical activity), before you start inviting your neighbors over for regular dance parties it would wise to first check with your health care provider to make sure everything is o.k. Once you get the green light, whether you dance, walk, attend exercise classes, use the Village fitness center, or do some other form of physical activity the important thing to remember is to move. Choose to move! Your future-self will be glad your current-self made that choice.



8th Tom Whittingham

Happy Birthday from all of us at Perry Farm Village!





Perry Farm Village Book Club

A Very Happy New Year to all of the Perry Farm Village Residents from our own Book Club!

We will continue the popular "read the book, see the movie" series in 2017. The next Book/Movie combo is The Girl with the Pearl Earring, a novel about the famous painting by Vermeer. Considered the Northern European Mona Lisa, the story behind the portrait is intriguing and questions the identity this mysterious girl.



If you enjoy a good read/movie, we would love to have you join our group. Please contact Marni Cameron-Ostrowski (Unit 1) or Katie in the office to get started.

Our next Book Club Meeting will be **Saturday, January 28th at 2pm** to discuss the book and then view the movie on **Sunday, January 29th at 2pm.** Both gatherings will be in the Perry Center Card Room.

Happy Reading!

5 FOODS THAT BEAT THE BLUFS









OMEGA-3 FATTY-ACIDS:

Omega-3[s have been shown to reduce depression symptoms. Some foods high in Omega-3's include: certain types of fish (tuna, salmon, and halibut), eggs, milk, oatmeal, walnuts, peanut butter, and spinach.

VITAMIND

This vitamin has been linked to huge increases in immunity and lowered depressive symptoms. Foodwise, egg yolks and fatty fish are the best way to get Vitamin D. Unfortunately, there is not an abundance of food sources for this mood-enhancing vitamin; it's best synthesized from the sun by our skin.

BVITAMINS

B vitamins support neurological health, and many, especially Vitamin B3 (niacin) and Vitamin B9 (folate/folic acid), help to manufacture neurotransmitters, like serotonin which is thought to be a contributor to feelings of well-being and happiness.

VITAMIN C

By now, everyone knows about Vitamin C's immunity-boosting superpowers. It's also high in antioxidants and can increase energy levels and lower anxiety.

While most people associate it with fruits, especially the citrus variety, there are alternate options such as: leafy greens, parsley, broccoli and cauliflower.

MAGNESIUM

Magnesium-rich foods, like leafy greens, fish, and nuts can help you better deal with stress as well as reduce depression and bolster immunity.

Information provided by: $\underline{\text{http://www.besthealthmaq.ca/eat-well/healthy-eating/5-foods-to-beat-the-winter-blues}}$



Saturday, January 7th
A Walk in the Woods

Saturday, January 4th Sully

Saturday, January 21st
Florence Foster Jenkins

Saturday, January 8th
The Von Trapp Family: A
Life of Music

Card Room at 6:45 pm every Saturday!

Sunday, January 1st Love Actually

Sunday, January 15th
It's a Wonderful Life

Sunday, January 29th
The Girl with the Pearl
Earring

Sunday Movie Matinees
At 2pm
In Card Room





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Sat	Movie Night at 6:45pm "A Walk in the Woods"	Movie Night at 6:45pm "Sully"	Movie Night at 6:45pm "Florence Foster Jenkins"	Book Club at 2pm Movie Night-6:45pm "The Von Trapp Family: A Life of Music"	
Fri	6 10:30 am Sit & Fit 11:30am Cormack's Deli for Lunch	13 10:30 am Sit & Fit	20 10:30 am Sit & Fit	27 10:30 am Sit & Fit 2pm Tea & Cookies	Let F.
Thu	11 am Euchre 2pm Travel Series 4:30pm Music with Catherine	12 11 am Euchre 1pm Bingo 2pm Travel Series 4:30pm Music with Catherine	19 11 am Euchre 12p Taco Extravaganza 2pm Travel Series 4:30pm Music with Catherine	26 11 am Euchre 1pm Bingo 2pm Travel Series 4:30pm Music with Catherine	
Wed	4 10:30 am Sit & Fit 10:45am "Bandwagon" at the Lyric 2pm Bible Study at Perry	10:30 am Sit & Fit 2pm Bible Study at Hillside	18 10:30 am Sit & Fit 11:45 am Perry/Hillside Shopping Day 2pm Bible Study at Perry	10:30 am Sit & Fit 2pm Bible Study at Hillside	
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Tue	3 2:00 pm Wii Bowling	10 Ipm Cocoa & Cookies 2:00 pm Wii Bowling	2:00 pm Wii Bowling 5pm Teddy Griffin's for Dinner	1pm Scrabble 2:00 pm Wii Bowling	31 2:00 pm Wii Bowling
Mon	2 10:30 am Sit & Fit	9 Foot Clinic Starting at 9 am 10:30 am Sit & Fit	16 Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Office Closed No Bus	10:30 am Sit & Fit 11:45 am Lunch at Polish Kitchen	30 10:30 am Sit & Fit
Sun	1 Movie Matinee at 2 pm "The Bishop's Wife"	8	15 Movie Matinee at 2 pm "Harvest of Fire"	22	Movie Matinee at 2 pm "The Girl with the Pearl Earring"

January Lunch Menu



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Roast Beef & Swiss	2 Baltimore Rueben	3 Maurice Salad	4 Pulled Pork Sandwich	s Ham & Cheese	ó Quiche Lorraine	BLT
8 Turkey Sandwich	9 Hot Dog	10 Egg Salad Sandwich	Sloppy Joe	Grilled Cheese & Tomato Soup	¹³ Chef Salad	Cheese- Burger
Sandy's Chili	Corned Beef Rueben	Derby Sandwich	Tuna Salad Sandwich	Taco Extravaganza	20 Chicken Salad Sandwich	Ham & Cheese
Meatball Submarine	23 Bratwurst	Tuna Melt	Corned Beef Rueben	26 Spinach & Swiss Quiche	Chicken Caesar	28 Pulled Pork Sandwich
BLT	Egg Salad Sandwich	Roast Beef Sandwich				



January Dinner Menu



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
¹ Country Beef W/Gravy	² Vegetarian Lasagna	3 Broiled Whitefish	$^{\scriptscriptstyle 4}$ BBQ $Chicken$	s Lamb Stew	6 Pork Loin	7 Cakes
8 Country Style Chicken	9 Shrimp Stir-Fry	10 Duck Breast	Spaghetti W/ Meat Sauce	Sautéed Whitefish	Stuffed Peppers	Filet Mignon
Pepper Steak W/ Gravy	16 Meatloaf	Broiled Whitefish	¹⁸ Chicken Parmesan	Beef Stir-Fry	20 Pork Chops	21 Salmon
22 Cranberry Chicken	Pork Loin	Crab Cakes	Swiss Steak	26 Baby Back Ribs	Beef Stew	Shrimp Pasta
Pork Tenderloin	30 Rosemary Chicken	Spaghetti W/ Meat Sauce		,		



PVM RECOGIZED AS BEST-MANAGED NONPROFIT

I am pleased to report that Crain's Detroit Business has selected PVM as The Best- Managed Nonprofit for 2016. PVM received the honor "For tackling the complexity of meshing an affordable senior community with increased access to health care and related services for seniors in the surrounding neighborhood and collaborating at high levels to do it..." The Edward N. and Della L. Thome Rivertown Neighborhood, near Detroit's east riverfront, was the driving force behind this award due to innovation and challenges which were met along the way by PVM and its partners. United Methodist Retirement Communities and Henry Ford Health System also deserve much credit for making this campus a success.

PVM, throughout its 71 year history, has been known for innovation and collaboration. All of our thirty villages represent what PVM is all about in providing service excellence and a commitment to "embracing the possibilities" that life has to offer at any age. Congratulations to all on receiving this prestigious award. We will transport this same innovative spirit into 2017 and beyond. Happy New Year to all!



Giving Matters.

By Paul J. Miller, CFRE, President, PVM Foundation

Michigan, we're not getting any younger.

Going to the mall to return gifts today?...Or grocery shopping...To the office? Take a look around while you're there. *Who* do you see?

It's probably a lot of older adults.

Almost 20% of the state's population is 65 or older. Over the past 17 years, Michigan has moved from the **30**th oldest state in the USA to **10**th oldest.

So what?

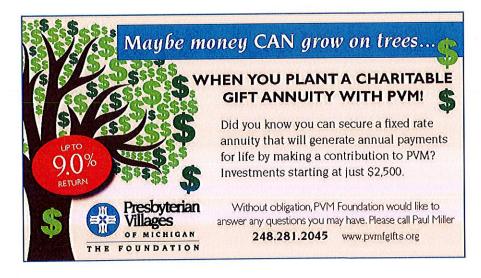
So, an aging population means the services YOU help provide to seniors are more important than ever.

Through your support of PVM, make a healthy Michigan possible.

You strengthen the economy by keeping seniors active in their communities. You are the reason that Michiganders can thrive as they age.

Thank you for your continued dedication to Michigan's older adults! If you have any questions or comments, please contact us at 248-281-2040 or pvmfoundation@pvm.org.

Warm regards, Paul J. Miller, CFRE



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Guided by our Christian heritage, we serve seniors of all faiths and create new possibilities for quality living.

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