



# Sage Grove View



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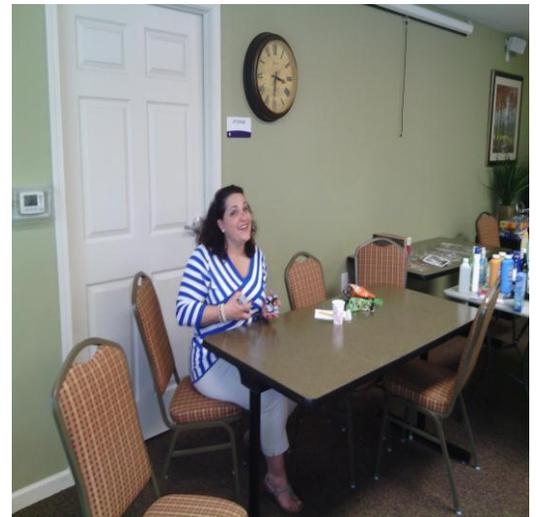
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Residents enjoyed a day trip to the Frederick Meijer Gardens in Grand Rapids, to check out the butterfly garden. Pictured L-R: Esther Polmanteer, Madonna Spence, Ron Sumner, Mary Ellen Bly, Sandra Praught and Ann Main.



Kim Middleton, from Life EMS calling B-I-N-G-O. Sage Grove residents love Grocery Bingo. Thank you Kim for all you do!!



The Village of  
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Look for PVM on:



Residents play Grocery Bingo.



Handmade quilted logo wall hanging. Thank you Peggy Sattler, we love it!!



## For Your Safety.

By Carrie L. Moon-Dupree,  
Vice President of Risk Management & Quality

### Corporate Compliance

Presbyterian Villages of Michigan strives to adhere to the highest ethical standards and practices. Every employee signs a Code of Conduct which states clearly, and without ambiguity, what our expectations are for each employee. Volunteers, including board members, are also held to those standards. Presbyterian Villages also requires that each board member and staff person in a position of authority, complete a "Conflict of Interest" statement annually. As Corporate Compliance officer for Presbyterian Villages, my job is to make sure that our procedures and practices are in compliance with all federal and state laws.

An important component of the corporate compliance program is our hotline where someone can report a concern or tip about a possible violation of our policies, procedures or any federal or state laws. Anyone may make a referral to the hotline. This may be done anonymously. The hotline is monitored daily during the week by me. You may also go to our website, [www.pvm.org](http://www.pvm.org) and submit a referral. Either way, when I get the referral, I open an investigation. First I must establish that this is indeed a corporate compliance issue and not another issue. If it is another issue, I forward the concern to the right department. If indeed it is a corporate concern, I begin an investigation. After conducting a full investigation I issue a report to the Presbyterian Villages of Michigan Corporate Compliance committee including an action plan that shows the steps that have been taken to fix the issue. In some cases my investigation shows that there was no violation. In all cases the investigation is conducted swiftly, confidentially and with integrity. If necessary violations are reported to the proper agencies for follow up.

If you have a corporate compliance concern, such as Quality of Care, billing practices, conflict of interest or any other compliance concern, please call the **HOTLINE at 1-866-964-6494**. Anyone, resident, family, vendor, or staff member can make a referral. Together we can keep Presbyterian Villages of Michigan an organization with the highest standards.

## Announcements

- ✚ **June 14<sup>th</sup>** –  
Flag Day
- ✚ **June 15<sup>th</sup>** –  
Father's Day
- ✚ **June 21<sup>st</sup>** –  
Summer begins
- ✚ **June 13<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup>** –  
Village Yard Sale in East  
Parking lot – Open to the  
public

### Community Room Events

- ❖ **June 4<sup>th</sup>** –  
Commodities Pick-up
- ❖ **June 10<sup>th</sup>** –  
Elder Law Center –  
Presentation 1:00pm
- ❖ **June 2<sup>nd</sup> & 16<sup>th</sup>** –  
Bible Study Group Meets  
4:00 – 5:00pm
- ❖ **June 7<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup>** – 2:00pm  
Crafts, Needlework &  
other crafts. People are  
willing to teach others
- ❖ **June 26<sup>th</sup>** –  
Bingo with Life EMS –  
3:00pm
- ❖ **June 30<sup>th</sup>** –  
Activities planning  
committee meeting –  
10:00am
- ❖ **June 19<sup>th</sup>** – Board  
Meeting 9:30 – 11:00am  
Community room closed
- ❖ **Community Van**  
resumes, starting Friday  
June 6<sup>th</sup> – 9am ... see  
signup sheet in lobby



## PVM Foundation Raises \$200,000 through Friends & Family Appeal and Inspire Possibilities Breakfast

Due to the generosity of over 860 donors, the PVM Foundation raised nearly \$200,000 through April and May to benefit residents from every PVM Village.

The 11<sup>th</sup> annual Friends and Family Appeal ran through the month of April and raised over \$138,000 toward various projects in many of the PVM Villages. A special incentive was offered for Villages who met their fundraising goals. Congratulations to **The Village of East Harbor, Rosebush Manor, Mill Creek** and **Harmony Manor** who all met and exceeded their fundraising goals! For more information on how much each individual Village raised, please visit [www.pvmfoundation.org](http://www.pvmfoundation.org).

The 4<sup>th</sup> annual Inspire Possibilities event was held at The Hilton Garden Inn in Southfield on Thursday, May 8<sup>th</sup>. 300 guests attended and donated and pledged over \$60,000 to support the PVM Mission. Residents from **The Village of Oakland Woods** energized the crowd with a wellness warm-up and resident presenters from **The Village of St. Martha's, Westland** and **Brush Park Manor Paradise Valley** all shared their stories and kept the crowd engaged. **Mike Damone** of **The Damone Group** also shared his story of how his family established the Claire Damone Fall Prevention Fund at the PVM Foundation in memory of his mother.

The fundraising success this spring would not have been possible without many donors and volunteers. Thank you to each and every one of you who made this possible and who contributed to a better life for so many seniors!

Warm regards,  
Paul J. Miller, CFRE

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# It's Your Life. Live It Well.

By Tom Wyllie,  
Director of Wellness

*Dear Readers,*

*This month I have a distinguished guest columnist, a resident from the Village of Brush Park who has some words of wisdom to share.*

## **Edward's Words of Advice**

Through the years, I have learned a lot about aging successfully. This list expresses what I think will help you and others enjoy life more after 60:

1. Create good health habits that make your body better.
2. Avoid the TV and telephone, and keep moving.
3. Read all you can.
4. Think about positive things.
5. Be thankful for what you do have.
6. Try to make each day better.
7. Don't forget you made it this far.
8. Remember to love yourself and others.
9. Don't get knocked out in life's boxing match.
10. Pray.

My name is Edward Leonard. With 89 years of life experience, I hope my words of advice will do you some good. I fought for my country. My wish for all you is peace of mind.

*If you would like to be a guest columnist, please contact me by phone at 248-281-2047 or via email at [twyllie@pvm.org](mailto:twyllie@pvm.org).*

## Service Coordinator's Corner: Rebecca Ogradowski

Welcome to the Service Coordinator's Corner for June 2014. I hope that you are enjoying the warmer, sunnier weather. It's great to get outside when you can. The gardeners have been doing a lot of work. The gardens are coming along; way to go!

I have information about the Resident Satisfaction Surveys and the presentations being planned for June and July. So read away and see me with questions.

*(Chew)becca*

### Resident Satisfaction Surveys

The surveys from the Hannan Foundation have been placed in your cubbies. Please fill them out as completely as possible. Once done, the form can be folded and placed in the box (in the Community Room) with the words "Resident Satisfaction Survey" on it. All responses will be confidential; no names or apartment numbers are needed. Honest opinions *are needed*.

I will be removing the box by June 6, so please make sure yours is returned by that date. Any questions can be addressed to Cheryl Bukoff at the Hannan Foundation. Her phone number is 313.833.1300 x20. You can also email her - [cbukoff@hannan.org](mailto:cbukoff@hannan.org)

Thanks in advance for your help. I will keep the box in a safe place and return in to Hannan on my next trip there or their next trip here. Whichever comes first.

### Upcoming Presentations

June's presentation will be about legal matters like wills and estates. Staff from Walling and Foster, PC, are planning to share their knowledge and answer questions. Their phone number is 269.324.7344. The website is <http://www.wallingandfoster.com/>. Many of you have been working on final arrangements, so this is a great opportunity to learn from the pros. Please come to the Community Room on Tuesday June 10, 2014 at 1p.

For July, the Area Agency on Aging 3A will be here to talk about their services and how you can benefit from being involved with the AAA. I met with Anne Zemlick, RN recently. She explained how to contact them, their internal referral process, and the assessment they use to determine the best way to help a person. This should be a really useful and relevant event. The presentation will be on Wednesday July 23, 2014 at 1p in the Community Room.

As always, snacks and drinks will be served.

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## Announcements Continued

- ❖ **1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the Month – 5:30pm – *Birthday Celebration*** for all who have birthday's during the month
- ❖ Last Monday of the month, Activity Planning Committee meet @10am
- ❖ Last Saturday of the month "Give away day" and Social Gathering- 10am – 12:00pm
- ❖ Movie Matinee every other Tuesday – 1:30pm
- ❖ Loaves and Fishes – Delivery of Produce & Baked goods from Meijer Shopping Center & other local stores. **Deliveries are at random.** All residents are welcome to what we receive, on a 1<sup>st</sup> come 1<sup>st</sup> serve basis.
- ❖ Wal-Mart Bus – Every Monday – Pick-up is at 12:15pm

## Birthday Celebration!

Cheryl D. ....June 7<sup>th</sup>  
 Pearl K. ....June 7<sup>th</sup>  
 Earnestine W. ....June 20<sup>th</sup>

*Wishing you a Great Day and a Blessed Year*



### Administrator Column

Village happenings – Please remember check out the *Announcement, Community Room Events* and *Calendar* sections of this newsletter.

April was our Friends and Family Appeal. We raised a total of **\$1,989.00**. Last year we raised **\$1,462.00**, together we have raised a grand total of **\$3,451.00**. Thank you everyone for your donations and hard work. We're getting closer to our final goal.

To all of our gardeners ... “Looking good!!” I see a lot of plants and flowers starting to really take off. You all have fabulous “green thumbs.” I’m looking forward to seeing everything in full bloom.

I have yet to get a definite date when Charter Cable will be here to install the boxes for the analog/digital switch taking effect on June 10<sup>th</sup>. Please to NOT go to Charter to pick up a box. As we are a Senior Living community, Charter will be bringing the boxes to us and installing them. When I receive the exact installation date, I will try to give a 24 – 48 hour notice informing when their techs will be here. If you do NOT already have a charter cable box, please let the office know so I can make a list of who needs a box. If it comes

down to it, I will pick up all of the boxes needed and we will install them. I will keep you posted.

The community Van will be running again starting this Friday, June 6<sup>th</sup> and June 13<sup>th</sup>. Please see signup sheet in the lobby.

With summer upon us, we will be bringing out the grill. We are looking into placing it in a permanent location for all to use.

The Village yard sale will be held in the East parking lot Friday - June 13<sup>th</sup> & Saturday – June 14<sup>th</sup> (weather permitting – rain dates are the following weekend). We will also be selling hot dogs, chips, soda and water. All proceeds are going towards paving our service road.

Interested in a night out to take in some live music? Check out the Comstock Community Center, the first Monday of the month 7pm – 9pm. One of our residents will be performing with his band throughout the summer.

This is going to be a great summer.

*Thank you,  
 Paula Hager*

# June 2014

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 Bible Study Group Meets 4 - 5pm in Cm Room <hr/> Walmart Bus 12:15pm	3 Movie Matinee 1:30pm	4 Commodities pick-up for those enrolled <hr/> Games, Cards or Bowling 2:00pm in Comm. Rm	5	6	7 Crafts, Needlework & other crafts 2:00pm
8 ~ Birthday Celebration 5:30pm in Comm. Rm	9 Walmart Bus 12:15pm	10 Legal Issues Affecting Seniors – Elder Law Center here 1:00pm in Comm. Rm	11 Games, Cards or Bowling 2:00pm in Comm. Rm	12	13 Village Yard Sale	14 Village Yard Sale  <b>Flag Day</b>
15  <b>Father's Day</b>	16 Bible Study Group Meets 4 - 5pm in Cm Room <hr/> Walmart Bus 12:15pm	17 Movie Matinee 1:30pm	18 Games, Cards or Bowling 2:00pm in Comm. Rm	19	20	21 Crafts, Needlework & other crafts 2:00pm <hr/> <b>Summer begins</b>
22	23 Walmart Bus 12:15pm	24	25 Games, Cards or Bowling 2:00pm in Comm. Rm	26 "Bingo" Life EMS – 3:00pm in Cm Room	27 PVM Annual Village Victory Cup	28
29	30 Resident Activity Meeting 10:00am <hr/> Walmart Bus 12:15pm					Walmart Bus <u>EVERY Monday</u> Pickup @ 12:15pm Main entrance

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Christian heritage,  
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