

“For Your Information”

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Security Manager Update

We are pleased to announce that officer Daniel (Dan) Johnston, has accepted the position of Security Manager. Dan will train with Scott Vogel for a few weeks starting October 12. Scott will remain in the Security Department as one of the daylight officers. Please join us in thanking Scott for successfully managing the department over the past several years and congratulating Dan on his new journey.

Fall Farmer's Market

Our second Farmer's Market will be held in the Lobby on Thursday, October 8 from 11:15 a.m. to 1:15 p.m. Stop outside the Café and enjoy homemade baked goods, fresh produce, a chef station, an apple cider bar, and so much more. Residents may use cash or charge items to their monthly statement. Employees must use cash for purchases. We hope to see you there!

Cappuccino Machine is Here!

Our new cappuccino machine is up and running in the Café! Stop by and enjoy lattes, cappuccinos, americanos, and more — just \$2.00 each! Come grab your favorite coffee and treat yourself. Flavored syrups are now available!

COVID-19 Vaccine Clinic

RX Partners will be at Sherwood Oaks to host a COVID-19 vaccine clinic (**Pfizer only**) for Independent Living residents on Monday, October 26 from 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. in the Card Room. Skilled Nursing, Personal Care & Oak Grove residents will receive their vaccine on each unit. Questions should be directed to Gabby Barmada, Infection Control/Staff Development, at 724-776-8590. Please note:

- ✓ Pfizer is the only vaccine offered at this clinic. Pfizer is better for storage and stability than Moderna. Contact a local Pharmacy if you prefer Moderna.
- ✓ You must bring your health insurance card with you.
- ✓ Wear short-sleeved shirts or sweaters.
- ✓ RSVPs for this clinic must be received no later than 4:00 p.m. on Monday, October 12 – contact the receptionist desk at 724-776-8100 if you plan to receive the vaccine and/or need to choose a different time.

We ask that you follow the schedule below based upon your address:

- Patio homes 101-152 9:00 a.m.
- Patio homes 153-233 9:30 a.m.
- Patio homes 235-306 10:00 a.m.
- Patio homes 308-360 10:30 a.m.
- Patio homes/Apartments 601-739 11:00 a.m.

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Café Closure Reminder

The Café will be closed for dinner (for in-person dining) on Saturday, October 10 and Sunday, October 11 due to a staffing shortage. The Café will be open for breakfast & lunch, and the counter will remain open until 6:30 p.m. for take-out meals, Corner Market purchases, and employee meals. We apologize in advance for the inconvenience.

Stage Lift – Repaired

The stage lift in the Auditorium was repaired this week. The vendor asked that we remind everyone that the door is a slow opening/closing automatic door and should not be forced to open or close. Signs are posted on the inside and outside of the automatic door.

Dementia 360 Program

The Living with Loss team is hosting a Dementia 360 Program in the Auditorium on Thursday, October 15, 2026, at 10:30 am. The program, presented by Amy Kowisnky, is entitled “Memory Loss: Helping our Neighbors, our Friends and Ourselves.” All residents are welcome to attend.

Medicare Talk

Eric Holmes, insurance services of Zelienople, will be here on Friday, October 23 at 1:30 PM in the Auditorium to provide a general presentation about Medicare open enrollment and health insurance options.

If you have questions about your current health care plan and would be interested in discussing your insurance needs for 2027, Eric is available to assist you in choosing the health insurance plan that will work best for you. He can be reached by cell phone at 412-719-6059 or by email at erich@iszelie.com.

Pumpkin Decorating Contest

Residents and staff are invited to enter the annual pumpkin decorating contest. Drop off your decorated pumpkin (no “real” carved pumpkins please) to the lobby table by the Café on October 26. Pumpkins will be on display October 26-31. Prizes will be awarded for first, second and third place. Flyers with the winner’s names will be posted in the mailroom and at the timeclocks on November 3. Pumpkins not picked up by November 1 will be discarded. Questions can be directed to Roberta Breninghouse at 724-776-8471.