"For Your Information"

(A periodic publication by Sherwood Oaks' Senior Director, Mark Nord)

November 19, 2026

Thanksgiving Day

On Thursday, November 26, there will be no off-campus transportation. Please see the security & transportation bulletin board for details. All patio homes and apartments that are normally cleaned on Thursdays will not be cleaned due to the holiday. A credit will be applied to your monthly statement. Reception desk hours this day will be 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Dining hours are:

Main Dining Room
Lunch Buffet – 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.
(RSVPs are full - call 724-776-8234 to be added to the waiting list.)
Dinner – Closed

Café
Breakfast – 8-10:30 a.m.
*Lunch – Closed
*Dinner – Closed

*Takeout meals are available at the Café counter from 11:30 – 1:30 p.m. the holiday menu.
Home delivered meals will be delivered between 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Garage Etiquette

With all the recent move-ins, most of our available garage spaces are now taken. Please remember that you may store items in the space in front of your car but are not permitted to store items in the space between the cars. Doing so could make it difficult for others to get in and out of their vehicle. Questions can be directed to Sue Hoffman at 724-776-8461.

Package Delivery Awareness

We are entering a very busy holiday season and are seeing an increase in packages delivered to the campus. All packages for Independent Living (IL), Personal Care (PC), Skilled Nursing (SN), and Oak Grove (OGC) residents that are delivered by the US Post Office come to the Reception Desk to be sorted and logged in. This includes some, but not all, Amazon packages. Packages delivered by FedEx, UPS, and private Amazon drivers for patio homes 101-360, 711-739 and 601-619 are given a map at the gatehouse and are directed to your home. Several companies are now using third party delivery drivers who do not always follow these directions. This is resulting in packages being left on benches, sidewalks, and other areas on the campus. If you see a package(s) on a bench, sidewalk, or outside an empty unit, please contact Security at 724-776-8155. They will retrieve it and take it to the correct location. If your package is delivered to the wrong area (or missing), we encourage you to call the company and complain.

Taizé Service

A Taizé Service will be held on Monday, November 30 at 1:30 p.m. in the Auditorium. This ecumenical service encourages worshippers to use prayer, readings, simple chants from the Taizé community in France, and silence to become closer to God. It lasts about 45 minutes. A program will be provided. All are invited!