



Guardian Angels

SENIOR COMMUNITY

Engel Haus



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ENGEL HAUS NEWS

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WELCOME FALL!

AUTUMN IS HERE

UNMISTAKABLE CRISP AIR

TIME FOR LEAVES CHANGING COLOR

UNDER TREES THEY FALL WITH FLAIR

MAIKING LEAF PILES EVERYWHERE

~TRANQUIL LENS~

We have had a busy couple of months here at Engel Haus. New tenants moving in, the addition of new staff and lots of activities! See inside for updates: photos of activities and outings our residents have enjoyed this summer along with news of some upcoming improvements to our culinary program.

As we approach the 7-year anniversary of the opening of Engel Haus, all of us here would like to say THANK YOU! Thank you for choosing our community as your home, or your loved one's home. Thank you for volunteering your time and talents to enhance our community.



Karisa Hoefl

Administrator



Tami's Talks



We are continuing our caregiver support group for the families of Engel Haus and community members. We are meeting on the second Wednesday of the month at 1:00pm in the conference room. The next meeting will be October 12th. This group also has an education component to it. If you would like more details, please contact Tami at 763-270-3492 or email tkolbinger@gager.org. Please contact me with any questions, concerns, or if you or your family needs support or resources.



**Another great way of staying connected “Like” and follow
Engel Haus on Facebook**



Resident Spotlight

Jacquelyn Lindstrom



Jacque grew up south of Richfield MN. She started work right out of high school at United Agency Family and Children Services. She worked until her high school sweetheart John “Jack” graduated from college and they married in June 1953. They built a house in Minnetonka and that’s where they raised their 2 children John David and Jan Margrit. It was a tradition in the family to name the boys John and give them different middle names. Jacquie was able to stay at home with the children for 11 years. She then got a job as a secretary at Minnesota Educational Computing MCC. She worked there for 22 years. One of the hobbies Jacquie enjoyed is music. She had taken piano lessons for many years. Her favorite type of music is classical in fact, she and her husband Jack owned season tickets to the Minnesota Orchestra Hall for 40 years! Other hobbies of Jacquie's include sewing and reading. She has 3 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren. When asked what Jacquie likes most about living at Engel Haus she said “the excellent food and the ability to choose off the bistro menu.” We are lucky to have Jacquie part of the Engel Haus family!



Engel Haus would like to extend a huge thank you to the following organizations, companies and individuals for their support and generosity:

Thank you to all the people that have taken the time to send a picture or write a well wish to our residents.

- Thank you to Linda Johnson for playing the piano for our Church service and during Thursdays lunch.
- Thank you to the Albertville Lions for the generous donation.
- Thank you Knights of Columbus for your generous donation.
- Thank you to St Alberts for Catholic service on the 2nd Friday of every month.
- Thank you to Word of Peace for services every 4th Thursday.
- Thank you to Chris from Catholic Services from Albertville for coming every Saturday.
- Thank you to Jean & Steve for running rosary every Monday & Wednesdays.
- Thank you to our pet therapy dogs Thor & Rosie for your weekly visits.
- Thank you to Meiny for playing music every Tuesday in memory care
- Thank you Susan Zachman for the donated tomatoes for the residents.



Please Welcome Our New Residents to Engel Haus:

Pat, Gary, Joann, Evelyn



We remember...

We extend our thoughts and prayers to the friends and families of those who passed away recently:

Geraldine H.



We have a lot of fun things planned this fall. We are happy to announce Rosary is back with Jean & Steve every Monday & Wednesday at 1:00 in the activity room. In addition to our well attended bingo, pokeno, bible study and game time, we have some special events and outings planned.

The men will be going to the Ellingson Motors museum September 15th. We will be visiting Apple Jacks apple orchard on September 22nd as well as having lunch at Russell's on the lake on September 29th. We have a special event coming up with Twin Cities Pedi Cabs. They will be coming to Engel Haus on Tuesday, September 21st from 1-3PM (weather permitting.) There will be 2 cabs running. They fit 2 people and the rides are 15 minutes long. It is such an enjoyable bike ride and the best part is, you don't have to pedal! If you are interested please sign-up with Michaela.

October we are looking forward to pumpkin decorating, crafts and making some yummy fall treats. Our Oktoberfest party will be on Friday, October 8th featuring accordion player Bill KonCar. Also, October 12th is the Mississippi Lunch Riverboat Cruise out of Harriet Island. Please see Michaela if you would like to attend this fun event.

Have a wonderful Autumn everyone!

Michaela

Activity Director



I can't believe fall is already here. It's so nice to see the residents sitting outside enjoying the weather. I would like to thank all the Engel Haus community that have welcomed the new residents that have moved in. I continue to get complements from new residents and families on how warm and welcoming the Engel Haus community is. Thank you!



Guardian Angels Mission Statement

Guardian Angels provides exceptional healthcare, housing and supportive services to seniors and their families in the spirit of Christ's love.

What workout do apples love?



Core workout!



Q: What does a skeleton say before dinner?

A: Bone appetit!

WHAT DO YOU CALL
A WITCH WHO LIVES
AT THE BEACH?

A SAND-WITCH

JOKE TIME!!!!



Q: What kind of apple isn't an apple?

A: pineapple.



What do you get when
you drop a pumpkin?

Squash.

RS

What's Cookin'

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of you for your continued patronage. October 1st is my one year anniversary date as the Culinary Manager here at Engel Haus. I wanted to thank all of you for all of your kind words and support over the past year.



After my first year, I feel that have a better understanding of what our residents want, and I would like to announce some of my plans to change our dining program to better fit the needs of our residents.

Starting October 1st. We will be changing our dining hours to better suit the needs of our residents:

Breakfast 7:30 AM-9:00 AM

Lunch 11:30 AM- 12:30 PM

Supper 4:30 PM-5:30 PM

I also have been working on a training program to improve our service standards, as well as the supervisory structure of our dining program to provide more supervision in the dining room. I believe this will provide a better overall dining experience.

One of the other changes I would like to announce is the addition of a "Lighter Side" menu to act as a healthier choice menu. This menu will be offered as an alternative to every meal service, and will be found on the back side of every weekly menu. In addition we have now made available a variety of low sodium soups, and sugar free juice (Strawberry Raspberry). These items are available for you to order at any meal service. The lighter side menu will begin with October's weekly menu.

Lastly, we will be revamping the fall bistro menu. This alternative menu will feature some of the items that many of you had requested, along with some seasonal favorites. Look for this menu to be distributed in October.

Thank you all for everything, and I hope to see you soon in our dining room.





And the
Winners
are...



MUSIC *in the* PARK



**Enjoy the Community Amenities at
Engel Haus Senior Living:**

- Beauty Salon
- Planned Activities
- The Lions' Den party lounge
- Home-style cuisine
- Studio, 1 & 2 bedroom Apartments
- Caring and friendly staff
- Nursing & Housekeeping Services
- WIFI & Satellite TV packages
- Library
- Fitness room
- Independent, Assisted Living and Memory care options.



**If interested in a tour or
information about
Engel Haus please contact
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