

SUMMIT HOUSE



Celebrating January

Upcoming Events

Skip-Bo

January 1 1:30pm

Bob and Friends

January 9 2:30pm

Oatmeal for Breakfast Day

January 11 8:30am

Popcorn and Movie

January 19 1:30pm

Carl and Joanne Nord

January 23 2:30pm

Happy Hour

January 25 2:30pm

Blueberry Pancakes

January 28 8:30am

Annual Home and Hearth Dinner

Another Christmas has come and gone. We served eighty five hungry and festive people. It would not be possible without the help of all the volunteers from the area communities who come in on Christmas day to make sure everything comes together. They do everything from moving furniture, hanging coats, to baking those wonderful pies. Thank you to Clarissa, our cook, for a job well done. The food was delicious and well prepared. We also would like to send out a big Thank You to Barb Trulson, coordinator of the Christmas Dinner, and Andrea Cruise, our Head of Dietary, for organizing this event. Summit House is very honored to be able to host this Christmas meal, so that no one is alone on Christmas day. We look forward to seeing and serving you next year. Happy New Year!



Our cook Clarissa Selvie



Hospital Visit

Thank you to RuBee and Lois for helping to deliver the gift bags and cards that the residents made for the patients who spent the Christmas holiday in the hospital. It put a smile on their faces.



Womens VFW Auxiliary spreading Christmas Cheer.



Christmas Card Making

Tenants are lending a hand in making some Christmas cards. These cards will be going to some former tenants and patients who will be in the hospital over the Christmas holiday.



Parade of Trees

Thank you to all who voted at the library during the Parade of Trees. We won second place and couldn't be more thrilled.



Our Theme
The Twelve Days of Christmas and their meaning.

Tenant Christmas Party



What a fun time playing Christmas Bingo and singing Christmas songs. The food was plentiful and the friendships many.



The Elfs were busy handing out gift bags.

Elf on the shelf

I guess Ernie thought he needed to take a bubble bath on the table in the Activity Room. What was he thinking?



Carolers

Thank you to the 4H group, Baptist Church Group and the Woden Christian Reformed Church for bringing music to our Tenants during the Christmas season.



Fruit Baskets

The American Legion brought fruit baskets to all of our Veteran's living here. Thank you for remembering our vets and their service.



Making Snowflakes



CANDY CANE HUNT

Some of the tenants getting ready to start the Candy Cane Hunt. There were 80 Candy Canes ready and waiting to be found. I'm sure we will still be finding them in February.



HOT COCOA AND COOKIES

We whipped up some homemade Mocha Latte's, with a peppermint stick. This was served with a variety of cookies. It can't get better than this on a cold day.



January Birthdays

In astrology, those born between January 1–19 are Capricorn's Goats. Goats are focused on lofty goals; these hardworking and determined souls will prevail with grit and resilience. Those born between January 20–31 are Water Bearers of Aquarius. Water Bearers are deep-thinking intellectuals, unafraid of exploring outlandish ideas. Their strong sense of community makes them good friends and valuable team members.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO OUR RESIDENTS:

Jane Wood 1/12
Terry Rasmussen 1/14
Virginia Haberkamp 1/18
Dixie Buns 1/23

Happy Birthday to our STAFF:

Victoria Hiscocks 1/19

THANK YOU!

4H - Carolers

Woden Christian Reformed Church-Carolers

Baptist Church-Carolers

West Hancock Choir-Carolers

Adala Bailey-Morning Treats

Nancy Wallen-Morning Treats

Maralee Ruter-Morning Treats

Lana Trunkhill-Coloring

Lois Hanna-Treats for the Staff

Dorothy Denny-Readings

Blanche Chizek-Nails

RuBee, Jane and Dorothy-Decorating for Christmas

Paulette Smith-Christmas Decoration

Britt Broncos 4H- Playing Cards with our Tenants

Kay Hilbert-Candy

Anna Mae Orvick-Candy

Pastor Paul-Bible Study

Pastor Kay-Church Service

Dwight Anderson-Bible Study

Ray Christensen-Bible Study