# SUMMIT HOUSE

SUMMIT HOUSE ASSISTED LIVING, 600 1<sup>ST</sup> NW, BRITT, IA 50423 641-843-3333



# **Celebrating November**

Catholic Mass/Father Ben November 2 10:00am

Daylight Savings/ Fall back One hour

November 6

Veterans Day (U.S.)
November 11

Jeff Buege/ Gospel Singer November 11 2:30pm

Men's Day/Breakfast November 16 8:30am

Music Therapy/Talia November 22 10:30am

Carl and Joanne Nord
November 22 2:30pm

**Pastor John**November 23 3:00pm

**Thanksgiving Day** *November 24* 



#### **SOCIAL DRUMMING**



Joe Parrish Annie Mielke run an organization out of Des Moines that is specially geared to enhance the lives of the elderly through social drumming.



Social drumming is a great source for creativity and a great way to express yourself. Well done everyone!

# **Summit House Updates**



We would like to welcome Terri Tweedy as our new Director at Summit House. Her door is always open for tours or just to visit.



Julie Richter has been with Summit house for 2 ½ years in the nursing department. She has been our Director of Nursing for the last 4 months and the residents couldn't be happier.

#### **DISASTER PREPARDNESS**



A big Thank You to Nick Ostrem and Bridget Smith from the lowa college of public health. This program informed the tenants on how to prepare for a natural disaster and what you can do to protect yourself if this should happen.

#### **Community Halloween**



The residents were busy packing up Halloween treat bags that we handed out to the kids in the community for Treats on the Street Day.

#### **WELCOME**



We want to welcome Father Ben Valentine to our flock. He volunteers his time to come and bring the spirit of God to our residents. We appreciate all that you do for us. God Bless!



A big Thank You to Pastor John Heille for volunteering his time to spread the word of Jesus to our residents. Nancy Beenken joins in on the fun by playing the piano and singing with the residents.

#### **Time Bingo**



Here, at the Summit House we believe in doing activities that keep the brain engaged. The residents are trying out a new Bingo game. The sheets have clocks on them instead of numbers. So, when a time was called out, they found the clock with that time and covered that clock. They all did so well we may make this a routine game.

#### Room with a View



Alfred had the perfect view while he watched the workers take down the old water tower that had been Britt's water supply for years. The new water tower has Hobo signage that reflects Britt's Hobo history.

# TENANT OF THE MONTH Maxine Noble



Maxine (Mickey) Noble was born on November 21, 1922, on a farm outside of Sexton, Iowa. She lived and worked on this farm until she graduated. After graduation she still helped on the farm but was also a waitress at the Wesley Café. The cafe was where she met her future husband Charles (June) Noble. At the time he was a farmhand until purchasing his own land outside of Britt. Mickey and June were married for 37 years and together they had eight children. Mickey said they traveled to the World's Fair in their younger days. Mickey enjoys music, tv, flowers and getting visits from her family. Congratulations Mickey on being Tenant of the Month!

# **November Birthdays**

In astrology, those born from November 1–21 are Scorpios. Scorpios cherish the truth and are not afraid to go to extraordinary lengths to uncover mysteries and get what they want. Those born from November 22–30 are Archers of Sagittarius. These Archers are philosophical seekers of knowledge who love traveling to new places to absorb new cultures.

#### HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Residents

Kay Hilbert 11/15 Maxine Noble 11/21 Verlaine Swingen 11/28 Marlys Bruns 11/30

Staff

Bobbi Black 11/2
Deb Studer-Lamoreux 11/4
Linda Hughes 11/14
Rachel Carolus 11/23

#### **COMMUNITY COFFEE IS BACK!**

Finally, we are pleased to announce that we will be having community coffee again on Friday mornings from 9-10am. This has been a long time coming and we can't wait to see your smiling faces and get back into some community fun. Hope to see you all on Friday.

