



# The Snyder Scoop

## July 2021

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O say can you see, by the dawn's early light,  
What so proudly we hailed at the twilight's last gleaming,  
Whose broad stripes and bright stars through the perilous fight,  
O'er the ramparts we watched, were so gallantly streaming?  
And the rockets' red glare, the bombs bursting in air,  
Gave proof through the night that our flag was still there;  
O say does that star-spangled banner yet wave  
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?

O n the shore dimly seen through the mists of the deep,  
Where the foe's haughty host in dread silence reposes,  
What is that which the breeze, o'er the towering steep,  
As it fitfully blows, half conceals, half discloses?  
Now it catches the gleam of the morning's first beam,  
In full glory reflected now shines in the stream:  
'Tis the star-spangled banner, O long may it wave  
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave.

A nd where is that band who so vauntingly swore  
That the havoc of war and the battle's confusion,  
A home and a country, should leave us no more?  
Their blood has washed out their foul footsteps' pollution.  
No refuge could save the hireling and slave  
From the terror of flight, or the gloom of the grave:  
And the star-spangled banner in triumph doth wave,  
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave.

O thus be it ever, when freemen shall stand  
Between their loved homes and the war's desolation.  
Blest with vict'ry and peace, may the Heav'n rescued land  
Praise the Power that hath made and preserved us a nation!  
Then conquer we must, when our cause it is just,  
And this be our motto: 'In God is our trust.'  
And the star-spangled banner in triumph shall wave  
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave!

# Keith's Corner

## A Note from the Executive Director

Happy 4th of July to everyone! We confirmed that Roanoke will have their firework display on July 3rd, and Eureka will be doing their fireworks on July 4th. At the time of writing this article (mid-June), the Peoria and East Peoria firework displays have been postponed and may be rescheduled for Labor Day weekend or another time in the fall.

I want to thank everyone who either participated or volunteered at our annual Golf Outing, which was held on June 18th. The money raised goes toward supporting our residents through the Resident In Need Fund.

It has been so encouraging to see some recent changes in COVID-19 restrictions happen throughout our state. We look forward to the day when we will be able to make further changes in restrictions at Snyder Village and to offer more visiting opportunities for our Health Center and Assisted Living residents.

God bless you all,

*Keith*

### *Happy 65<sup>th</sup> Anniversary*

Christie & Shirley Barrow

July 1 

### *Happy 65<sup>th</sup> Anniversary*

Kenneth & Shirley Doudera

 July 1



### Wedding Anniversaries

To submit your wedding anniversary announcement, notify Angela Kauffman at (309) 367-4300 ext. 133 or email [akauffman@snydervillage.com](mailto:akauffman@snydervillage.com) with your wedding date and years married.

Submit information by the 15th of the month prior to your anniversary. Anniversary dates need to be resubmitted **every year**.

### Get Connected



**Get the latest news & updates each month through email!** To subscribe to our email list, just send your email address to Angela at [akauffman@snydervillage.com](mailto:akauffman@snydervillage.com).

Friends and family can also subscribe to our email list by visiting our website and clicking on "**Contact Us**" and "**E-News Signup**".



# Retirement Community Chatter



The holiday trees turned into a Father's Day tree and a Fourth of July tree! The Father's Day tree is decorated with items that remind us of what makes dads so special and residents created patriotic crafts for the Fourth of July tree.



The male residents and their guests enjoyed a biscuits & gravy breakfast in celebration of Father's Day!



## What We're Looking Forward To:

- **July 2, 2:30 p.m.** - Cathy Rauch singing patriotic and gospel songs & "make your own" ice cream sundaes
- **July 7, 11:00 a.m.** - Picnic at Eureka Lake (*Lunch provided*)
- **July 21, 12:00 p.m.** - Brat/Hot dog Luncheon & July Birthday Party (*with strawberry shortcake!*)

*For a complete list of the July activities happening in the Retirement Community, view the activity calendar or visit [www.snydervillage.com](http://www.snydervillage.com). All activities are subject to change.*



# Assisted Living Happenings

We planted tomato plants in the courtyard and are excited to enjoy the 'fruits of our labor' soon!



Parachute fun!



We had a good time creating sparkly flip flop art!



## What We're Looking Forward To:

- July 2, 1:30 p.m. - Hop-a-park scavenger hunt in the courtyard
- July 16, 10:00 a.m. - Winston Dunbar plays the piano
- July 18, 6:00 p.m. - Have root beer floats for National Ice Cream Day
- July 21, 1:30 p.m. - Make "Hello Summer" hanging craft
- July 22, 3:00 p.m. - Lucinda Martin plays the piano

*For a complete list of the July activities happening at Assisted Living, view the activity calendar or visit [www.snydervillage.com](http://www.snydervillage.com). All activities are subject to change.*



# A Health Center Hello



We went  
"fishing"!

Wilbur Rohman's family came to celebrate his birthday on June 2! All six of his children and spouses came, along with grandkids and great-grandkids. They all gathered outside while Wilbur looked on through the glass door. They had a great time celebrating, despite the separation!



We had fun this Memorial Day. One of our residents has been asking for hot dogs on the grill so Kerri and Annie made it happen!



## What We're Looking Forward To:

- **July 2** – Patriotic Sing-along
- **July 12 & July 27** – Fishing at the SV Lake (weather permitting)
- **July 19** – Babies Day Out! Come bring the little ones for some 'Splishing & Splashing'! Located on the grass in front of Hall 3 & 4 Bistros
- **July 26** – WOOF Parade
- **July 23-30** – SV Olympic Games

*For a complete list of the July activities happening in the Health Center, view the activity calendar or visit [www.snydervillage.com](http://www.snydervillage.com). All activities are subject to change.*

## Faith & Worship

Below are services that can be viewed on TV or online:

### Sundays

8 a.m. - Mass from St. Mary's of Lourdes Catholic Church can be viewed online at [www.facebook.com/St.MaryLourdes](http://www.facebook.com/St.MaryLourdes) or [www.youtube.com/c/StMaryofLourdes](http://www.youtube.com/c/StMaryofLourdes)

9 a.m. - Service from Grace Presbyterian Church on Channel 4 (WEEK)

10 a.m. - Service from Christian Union Church on Channel 2

10 a.m. - Service from Willow Hill United Methodist Church can be viewed at [www.willowhill.org](http://www.willowhill.org).

### Wednesdays

10 a.m. – Service from Willow Hill United Methodist Church on Channel 2

### Saturdays

4:30 p.m. - Mass from St. Mary's of Lourdes Catholic Church can be viewed online at [www.facebook.com/St.MaryLourdes](http://www.facebook.com/St.MaryLourdes) or [www.youtube.com/c/StMaryofLourdes](http://www.youtube.com/c/StMaryofLourdes)

Daily mass and rosary is being offered Mon-Wed at 11:45 a.m. at [www.facebook.com/St.MaryLourdes](http://www.facebook.com/St.MaryLourdes).



## Meal Delivery

Meal delivery from the Retirement Community Bistro is available seven days a week for the noon meal. Menu offerings are listed on the monthly calendar inserted in the newsletter or posted online (*meals are subject to change*).

**Meals cost just \$6 and include free delivery.** Cost of meal can be applied to your monthly statement. Meals will be delivered to your home around noon.


**To order, call (309) 367-4300 ext. 100.**

Orders should be placed before 10:30 a.m. for weekday delivery or by 4:30 p.m. on Friday for weekend delivery. You can sign up just for a single day or set a reoccurring schedule.

**Purchase over \$100 in Bistro tickets and receive 10% off!**

Please call (309) 367-4300 ext. 100 with any questions.



Find us on 

“Like” the Snyder Village Facebook page for photos and event updates! Search for “Snyder Village” on Facebook, or visit [www.facebook.com/snydervillage](http://www.facebook.com/snydervillage).

### **Employee Facebook Group**

*Attention Employees of Snyder Village!*

Be sure to join the Snyder Village Employee Group on Facebook for announcements and updates.

## Employee Service Anniversaries

### JULY

26 yrs	Shelly Filson
17 yrs	Jennifer Burk
17 yrs	Tina Schmitt
14 yrs	Anita Hyatt
12 yrs	James Oltman
10 yrs	Dawn Harness
7 yrs	Nichole Brown
6 yrs	Laure Heinzmann
3 yrs	Audrey Barrett
2 yrs	Tom Barber
4 yrs	Nick Frawley
4 yrs	Stephanie Luttrell
3 yrs	Ali Remelius
2 yrs	Dylan McCann
2 yrs	Brook Smith
2 yrs	Aaron Klobnak
2 yrs	Caroline Curry
1 yr	Olivia Caldwell
1 yr	Taylor Liable
1 yr	Cahlia Hamilton



## Birthdays of the Month

### Retirement

### Community Cont.

### Health Center

**3** Aban Rao  
**4** William Noll  
**6** Jim Key  
**19** Susanne DeVore  
**20** Betty Anderson  
**27** Sandra Powers

**11** Mary King  
**11** Marion McKnight  
**12** Dian Klobnak  
**12** Anna Knussman  
**13** Helen Babcock  
**15** Dorothy Crone

### Assisted Living

**6** Ruth Presley  
**7** Walter Smeltzer  
**7** Donna Zimmerman

**15** John Heinz  
**16** Shirley Laudenslager  
**17** JoAnn Krumholz  
**17** Doris Pelz  
**18** Janet Clark  
**19** Connie Kolb

### Retirement Community

**4** Jim Daugherty  
**4** Arlene Mauser  
**7** Janet Hoffer  
**8** Don Haworth  
**8** David Smith  
**10** Harvey Collett

**19** Bill Shea  
**23** Richard Popelar  
**24** David Coker  
**25** Ferne Bachman  
**26** Pat Craig  
**27** Carol Rebholz  
**28** Karen Ewert  
**31** Janet Brown

## Retirement Community Resident Council

**Wednesday, July 14**  
**9:00 am | SV Center**

Retirement Community residents are welcome to attend! Contact Judy Brandow at (309) 645-1151 if you are interested in a position on the Council.



## Therapy Presentation Living with Arthritis

Join us for a presentation by Jessica, Occupational Therapist, about arthritis. Learn different ways to improve the quality of life for you or someone you know who struggles with arthritis.

**Tuesday, July 13  
9:30 - 10:15 a.m.  
SV Center**

Hope to see you there! 😊

*Please contact the Therapy Department at (309) 367-4300 ext. 101 with any questions.*



**Arthritis**

**ASSISTED  
LIVING**

**Apartments  
Available!**

### AMENITIES INCLUDE:

home-cooked meals  
housekeeping  
24-hour on-site assistance  
fun activities



CONTACT  
ADMISSION LIAISON

**KIM LINEHAN**

**366-4132**



**Need a little extra help at home?**

Home Care provides:

Personal Care  
Services  
Transportation  
Companion Care  
Homemaker Services



*Call today to learn more!*

**367-2300**

Did you know that resources and information are available on the Snyder Village website to further explain our Home Care services? The article, **"What to Expect from Home Care"** gives details of what's involved when using Home Care, from setting up the initial appointment to what types of services are available. Just visit [www.SnyderVillage.com](http://www.SnyderVillage.com), click on "Our Community" at the top of the page, and then "News & Articles" to find the article.



# Volunteer News

I hope you all are having a wonderful summer! We appreciate the support from all the volunteers who came out to help with the 23<sup>rd</sup> Annual "Tee It Up" Golf Outing Benefit! All net proceeds from the golf outing will be placed in the Resident In Need Fund, which allows Snyder Village to continue to care for our residents who have exhausted their personal funds and can no longer cover the costs of the care they require.

Thank you so much to all the volunteers who give of their time to Snyder Village in various ways throughout the month! We are blessed to have support from all of you!

## CURRENT VOLUNTEER NEEDS:

- Do you have some free time this summer? Would you be willing to help us here at Snyder Village? We are looking for a few extra volunteers to help screen our employees and help keep us all safe.
- Looking for three volunteers to grill for a campus-wide cookout on Friday, July 9th! We are in need of help grilling starting at 9:30 a.m. for a few hours. Please contact me if you can help!
- Do you love gardening? If you or your group would like to volunteer to water flowers or do outdoor landscaping throughout the summer, please let me know.

## 2021 Benefit Online Auction, September 11 - 25

### Village Market, Saturday, September 18 from 9 a.m. - 2 p.m. at the Metamora IGA

The need for volunteers is no different than in the past; volunteers are critical to the success of the benefit. We need volunteer support in various areas starting mid-August through the end of September. **Please contact Ashley at 309-366-4135 or [athompson@snydervillage.com](mailto:athompson@snydervillage.com) for more info or to sign up to help!**

## Thank you

The family of Minerva Reeb wishes to thank the staff and her many friends at Snyder Village for the prayers, cards, and other acts of kindness shown to her in recent weeks.

Minerva was one of Snyder's biggest fans and loved living there. She enjoyed the friendships formed over the years, loved all the fun activities, and truly felt Snyder Village was a great place to call home. Our sincere thanks and best wishes to you all.

## We're Hiring

**We are looking for caring individuals to join our team!** Do you know someone who would be a great fit? Tell them Snyder Village is hiring! We are seeking Home Care Aides, RNs/LPNs, CNAs, Cooks, Activity Aides & more!



All positions can be viewed and applied for on our website at **[snydervillage.com](http://snydervillage.com)**.

Questions? Contact HR at (309) 367-4300 ext. 143.

# THE SNYDER VILLAGE

## HOLY ROLLERS

— Bike Club —

Bring your unicycles, bicycles, and tricycles and come ride with us! We meet each Saturday at **9 a.m.** in the SV Center parking lot. All are welcome!



## BECOME A REFERRAL

# Rock Star

*Refer your friends to Snyder Village & you could get paid!*

Retirement Community residents can earn **\$500** for each new resident they refer who moves into the Retirement Community! Assisted Living residents can earn **\$1,000** for each new resident they refer who moves into Assisted Living! Contact the Retirement Community or Assisted Living for more information.

## ♠♦ Pinochle Club ♣♥

We are looking for Pinochle players! We play every **Thursday night from 5:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.** We play six games and change partners after each game. The winners move to the next table and play the losers of that table. We ask each player to put 50 cents in the pot for six games, and the top three players split the pot according to place. Last place is awarded with a "booby" prize.

We will teach you the rules and how to play Pinochle! Come join us for lots of fun!

Call Paul Elliott at (309) 238-7274 with questions.

### Congratulations to the winners!

#### June 3, 2021

**1<sup>st</sup> Place** Wayne Rassi  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Place** Shirley Schroeder  
**3<sup>rd</sup> Place** Mary Ann Duncan  
**Booby** Jill Elliott

#### June 10, 2021

**1<sup>st</sup> Place** Jill Elliott  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Place** Shirley Schroeder  
**3<sup>rd</sup> Place** Mary Ann Duncan  
**Booby** Lee Neff





# Remembering Our Friends and Neighbors...

Snyder Village remembers friends and neighbors lost this past month. We pray family and friends will find peace and comfort during this difficult time.

*"So also you have sorrow now, but I will see you again, and your hearts will rejoice, and no one will take your joy from you." (John 16:22)*



**Venita Craig**

Aug 25, 1927 - May 20, 2021



**Verta Riebel**

April 27, 1920 - May 24, 2021



**Bonita Grebner**

March 16, 1927 - May 25, 2021



**Delmar Smith**

May 5, 1932 - May 29, 2021



**Fred Zant**

Nov 30, 1946 - May 31, 2021



**Barry Osborn**

Sept 30, 1934 - June 1, 2021



**Donald Hoffer**

Feb 15, 1926 - June 8, 2021



**Helen Blixt**

June 2, 1926 - June 16, 2021

## In Honor and Loving Memory

The following individuals were lovingly remembered by a spouse, family members, or friends who donated generously to the Resident In Need or other Snyder Village funds in May 2021:

**Larry Attkisson, Patty Berg, and Jim Williams; Ralph Grampp; Debora Hammer; and Minerva Reeb**

Gifts to Snyder Village in honor of an individual or couple are also made by loving family and friends in celebration of special milestones in life such as graduation, anniversary, retirement, or in general recognition or appreciation. None were received this month.

The Resident In Need Fund allows Snyder Village to continue caring for those who have exhausted their personal resources and can no longer pay for the cost of their continuing care. Thank you to all who have supported the Snyder Village Mission with your gifts.



Metamora Community Nursing Home DBA

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