



# The Snyder Scoop

## September 2022

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**2022**  
**Benefit**  
ONLINE AUCTION



### ..... SCHEDULE of EVENTS .....

#### Online Bidding on Auction Website

Begins Saturday, September 10th, 8:00 a.m. & ends  
Saturday, September 24th at 12:00 noon

Go to [www.SnyderVillage.com](http://www.SnyderVillage.com) for link to auction website.  
Catalog opens for viewing on Monday, September 5th.

#### Village Market at Metamora Kirby Foods

Saturday, September 17th, 9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Like the old country markets, our Village Market offers  
homemade fruit pies, cheese spread, candy, cinnamon rolls  
as well as fresh produce, gifts, crafts & more!

Back this year is the Lucky Ducks! Kids of all ages will love it!

Watch for a sign-up sheet for FREE shuttle service to/from SV campus!

#### Pork Chop Sandwiches at Metamora Kirby Foods

Saturday, September 17th, 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Perfectly grilled butterfly pork chop sandwiches  
with chips and your choice of soft drink will be sold.

Watch for a sign-up sheet for FREE sandwich delivery to SV campus!

#### Auction Items Pick-up

Saturday, Sept. 24th to Monday, Sept. 26th

Auction items won online may be picked up at Snyder Village's  
SV Center. Complete details will be available at checkout  
on the auction website.

### RAFFLE TICKETS

Raffle tickets are available at the Retirement Community office, the Retirement Community Activities office or through the SV website. Lucky Card winners will be drawn September 22nd. What's In the Box winner and Kirby Foods Gift Cards winners will be drawn on September 24th at the end of the auction. You must be 18 or older to enter. You need not be present to win.

# Keith's Corner

## A Note from the Executive Director

Keith's Ride For The Residents will be taking place over Labor Day weekend. My wife, Sandy, and I will be riding 100 miles in one day to raise \$100,000 for the Resident In Need Fund. We had a great time sharing a program about our trip plans with many of you in August. Thanks to everyone who has already made a pledge or contribution. If you haven't contributed, would you please join in with everyone who is assisting us? Donations/pledge forms are available throughout the campus, or you can donate online through a link on our website at [www.snydervillage.com](http://www.snydervillage.com).

Our Annual Benefit is coming up soon and we're also asking for your support of the Online Auction beginning Saturday, September 10th and ending Saturday, September 24th at noon. Be sure to attend the Village Market outside the Metamora Kirby Foods on Saturday, September 17th from 9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. Also be sure to buy your Lucky Card, What's in the Box, and Kirby Foods raffle tickets. Thank you to all who have donated to this event or will be volunteering their time...Your continued generosity is truly appreciated and will greatly benefit the Resident In Need Fund!

Monday, September 5th is Labor Day. I want to THANK our staff for working so diligently to take care of our residents and clients each and every day! You are all truly valued and appreciated, and I want to extend my personal gratitude to each member of our staff.

As you all know, Janelle Clark and Kathy Polen are busy training for their new positions. If you haven't had a chance, please stop by to meet them and welcome them.

God bless you all!

*Keith*

## Words from Janelle

Thank you for such a warm welcome. I can't believe I have completed my first month! Thank you all for making it such a great experience. I have enjoyed meeting so many staff members and residents. If you haven't had a chance, please stop by and visit Kathy and I in our offices.

I am looking forward to September's big event--The Annual Benefit! Many staff members and volunteers are working behind the scenes to organize this year's event. Be sure to check out the online auction (September 10-September 24) and the Village Market (September 17). Both events are great ways to support the Resident In Need Fund. Don't miss out on your Lucky Card, What's in the Box, and Kirby Foods raffle tickets. I can't wait to find out what is actually in the box.

Finally, I want to wish all our staff members at Snyder Village a Happy Labor Day! It didn't take long to recognize that we have a great team! Thank you for choosing to share your time and talents with all of us at Snyder Village. A special thank you to all of our staff members who are sharing their holiday this year with the residents at Snyder Village!

Best! *Janelle*



# Retirement Community Chatter



We enjoyed eating out at Burger Barge and the ROMEO's visited Avanti's!



We had lots of fun during Elvis week with our Hound Dog Pool Party, learning to hula, and an Elvis Tribute Artist coming to sing for us.



We had a great turn out for our All's Fair at Snyder Village.

## What We're Looking Forward To:

- **Sept 1, 1:00 a.m.** - We'll be having our first Book Club meeting in the SV Center.
- **Sept 8, 1:00 p.m.** - We'll be transforming the SV Center into a spa and invite anyone who would like to have a spa day to stop in.
- **Sept 13, 8:15 a.m.** - We'll be going to the Museum of Science & Industry in Chicago.
- **Sept 27, 9:00 a.m.** - Starting Fall off right with a trip to Tanner's Orchard and having lunch. Then at 7 p.m., the Peoria Pops will be coming to perform in the SV Center.

*For a complete list of the September 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

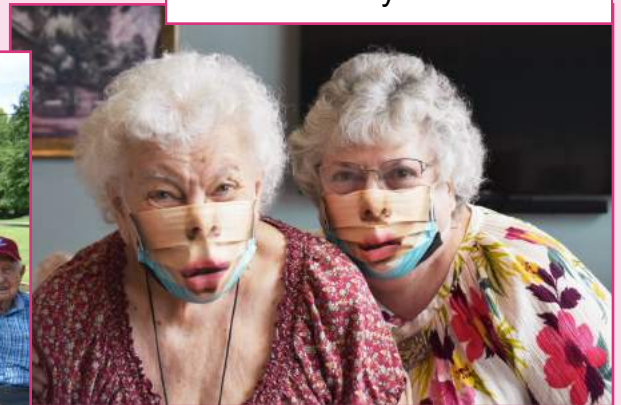


Everyone enjoyed carnival games, fair food, face painting, temporary tattoos, and more at the "All's Fair at Snyder Village"!



Staff and some brave residents took part in a pie eating contest!

Lots of silliness and laughs with our funny masks!



We had a great time visiting Lake Wildwood!

## What We're Looking Forward To:

- Sept 12, 7 p.m. - Belly Dancers
- Sept 15, 11:30 a.m. - Trip to Tanner's Orchard
- Sept 16, 3:00 p.m. - Jewelry Making
- Sept 29, 11:30 a.m. - Trip to Busy Corner for lunch

*For a complete list of the September 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 made copycat Olive Garden salad and lasagna in "Let's Get Cooking" class. Everyone made their own pans of lasagna and it was DELICIOUS! We have some amazing cooks!



Memory Care residents enjoyed visiting Henry Marina.



The Zoomobile brought some friends to visit!

## What We're Looking Forward To:

- **Sept 9** - Picnic on Grandview
- **Sept 12** - Pampering with Dayspring Native American UMC Women's Club
- **Sept 16** - Resident, Family and Staff Movie Night – Residents may attend with family participation. Please contact Amanda if you are attending. More information coming soon.
- **Sept 19** - Doggie Bingo!
- **Sept 23** - MTHS Homecoming Parade

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

KEITH'S

# Ride for the Residents



Help support the residents of Snyder Village!

Keith & Sandy Swartzentruber will be biking 100 miles in a single day to raise support for the Resident In Need Fund.

Make a pledge today to help us meet the \$100,000 goal!



**PLEDGE NOW**

[www.SnyderVillage.com](http://www.SnyderVillage.com)

Or grab a donation form from Keith or the Retirement Community Office



(309) 367-2300

## Home Care

*Loving Care in Your Own Home*

[www.SnyderVillage.com](http://www.SnyderVillage.com)

"I would like to thank everyone from Snyder Village who helped make Shirley Laudenslager's home more complete for her. She loved living in the Snyder Village homes. She enjoyed all the trips she went on and all the social events that she participated in. She especially loved her neighbors who kept in touch with her on a day-to-day basis. Thank you all so much!"

~ Cindy Rutherford, Sister-in-Law

## Retirement Community Resident Council

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

All Retirement Community residents are welcome to attend.

## Therapy Presentation

### STAY VERTICAL

One in three adults over 65 years old and 50% of adults over 85 years old fall every year. Falling is the leading cause of emergency room visits per year and the reason for physical decline. It is critical that every senior knows their fall risk and trains to "stay vertical!"

September is National Fall Awareness Month. Come join in on a presentation by the Snyder Village therapy department. We will be discussing safety, fall risk management and other ways to decrease the risk of falling.

**Tuesday, September 13**  
**9:15 a.m.**  
(Following Silver Sneakers Class)  
**SV Center**

Call (309) 367-4300 ext. 101 with questions.

## Employee Service Anniversaries

September

30 yrs	Deb Albertson
20 yrs	Annie Fisher
18 yrs	Amy Beschorner
13 yrs	Kerri Laible
8 yrs	Charles Rogers
7 yrs	Tonya Kullman
6 yrs	Kim Kempf
6 yrs	Mackenzie Rasar
6 yrs	Cindy Roley
4 yrs	Rebecca Bjorklund
4 yrs	Billie Blumenshine
4 yrs	Chelsie Spencer
4 yrs	Nichole Whirrell
3 yrs	Lindsey Gilles
3 yrs	Taylor Watson
2 yrs	Leah Tobben
1 yr	Andrew Gilles
1 yr	John Goodman
1 yr	Trisha Nodine
1 yr	Jill Rothgeb
1 yr	Jodi Short

## Birthdays of the Month

### Health Center

**2** Guy Jones  
**3** Barbara Bundy  
**7** Ruth Roberts  
**12** Lou DeFreitas  
**19** Richard Noren  
**21** Jean Morrissey  
**21** Norma Probasco  
**23** James Miller  
**27** Maurine Collett  
**27** Dixie Hilligoss  
**29** Charlotte Mudge  
**30** Carolena Largent

### Assisted Living

**4** Louise Carroll  
**7** Ruth Roberts  
**11** Margaret Barbee  
**23** Barbara Rankin

### Retirement Community

**5** Ophelia Willett  
**7** Orpha Schertz  
**8** Shirley Lane  
**10** Marion Lewis  
**15** Lorene Good  
**15** Janice Knapp  
**18** Dave Ewert  
**19** Ted Johnson  
**23** Joanne Scrivner  
**25** Christie Barrow  
**25** Marge Cunningham  
**26** Bill Willett  
**27** Paul Moore  
**29** Fran Stieler



"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).

### ***Attention Employees of Snyder Village!***

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

## Did You Know?

Old medications & prescriptions can be disposed of safely at the Metamora Administration Office. Medications can be dropped off between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. at 100 N. Davenport St. (building behind the police station).



## Get the eNews

Join our email list to receive the monthly eNews newsletter with updates from Snyder Village. To sign up, visit our website, [www.SnyderVillage.com](http://www.SnyderVillage.com), click on "Contact Us" and "E-News Sign Up".

## Refer Your Friends!

BECOME A  
**REFERRAL**



Retirement Community residents can earn **\$500** for each new resident they refer who moves into a cottage or apartment in the Retirement Community.

Just ask the Retirement Community for more information.



September 10-24, 2022

**Auction item preview begins Monday, Sept. 5th!**

**Link to auction website: [www.SnyderVillage.com](http://www.SnyderVillage.com)**

Raffle tickets for Lucky Card, What's in the Box and Kirby Foods Gift Cards are available at the Retirement Community office, Retirement Community Activities office or through the SV website!

**It's not too late!** We are still in need of items for our Village Market (homemade treats, hand-crafted items, fresh fruits & veggies) and gift cards for Lucky Ducks. Donations of gift cards may be brought to the front office of the Health Center. **Donations of items for the Village Market may be brought to the SV Center at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, September 16th.** Call the Snyder Village Development Department with questions or to arrange for making any donation at (309) 366-4116.

**FOR SV CAMPUS ONLY:** Sign up for FREE shuttle service to/from the Village Market or FREE delivery of a porkchop sandwich lunch (including chips and drink) by calling the RC Activities office at 309-366-4181.



**Don't Miss... Village Market at Metamora Kirby Foods**  
**Saturday, September 17th**  
**9 a.m. - 2 p.m.**

**Porkchop sandwiches on sale 11 - 2.**  
**BACK THIS YEAR: FREE to Snyder Village campus only - delivery of pork chop sandwiches & shuttle service!**

**Kirby Foods Gift Cards Raffle - 4 chances to win!**

Gift cards valid only at Metamora Kirby Foods. A limited number of tickets will be sold! Tickets are 1 for \$20 or 3 for \$50. **The drawing is Sat., September 24th.** You don't need to be present to win!





Tell your friends and family that Snyder Village is hiring! We are currently hiring Home Care Aides, RNs, CNAs, Caregivers, Housekeeping, and more!

All open positions can be viewed online at [www.snydervillage.com](http://www.snydervillage.com). Job applications are also available on the website.

## Volunteer News

**2022 Benefit Online Auction, September 10<sup>th</sup>-24<sup>th</sup>**

**Village Market, Saturday, September 17<sup>th</sup> from 9 a.m. – 2 p.m. at Metamora Kirby Foods**

We are still looking for more volunteer support for the Snyder Village Benefit Online Auction and Village Market! We are still in need of volunteers to assist with setting up/tearing down the Market, cashiers/assistants for the Market & pork chop sale, pork chop deliveries, help selling raffle tickets, and much more! Please contact Ashley Thompson at 309-366-4135 or [athompson@snydervillage.com](mailto:athompson@snydervillage.com) for more info or to sign up to help!

You can also view and sign up to volunteer from the website. Go to [www.snydervillage.com](http://www.snydervillage.com), click on the “Join Our Team” tab, scroll down to “Volunteers” and click on the yellow Sign-Up Genius button.

### **Volunteer Needs:**

- **Health Center Beauty Shop** - Looking for volunteers to assist the beautician on Wednesday from 8:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. and Friday from 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. each week. Volunteers would help assist residents in wheelchairs to and from their hair appointments as well as accompanying them during their appointment.
- **Senior Nutrition Program** – Volunteer(s) needed to deliver meals to residents on the SV campus on Saturdays. Meals are ready for delivery at 11:50 a.m. and the delivery route takes approximately 30-45 minutes to complete.
- **Transport Help** - We are looking for volunteers to assist as needed pushing Health Center residents in wheelchairs to activities in the SV Center and on Field Trips off campus.
- **Assisted Living** - A volunteer is needed to assist with cleaning the fish tank in Memory Care 2-3 times per month.
- **Visitor Greeter** – We are looking for individuals to offer support & greet visitors of the Health Center. As a greeter, you would welcome & direct visitors, and if needed give instruction on how to use the COVID screening kiosk. Greeters are needed throughout the week on during various hours 9-12 p.m., 12-3 p.m., and 3-6 p.m.

*For more information on volunteering at Snyder Village or to sign up to help, please contact:*

**Ashley Thompson | Volunteer Coordinator**  
**(309) 366-4135 | [athompson@snydervillage.com](mailto:athompson@snydervillage.com)**

## Pinochle Club

**Thursdays | 5:30 p.m. | SV Center**

We ask each player to put 50 cents in the pot for six games. The top three players split the pot according to place, and last place is rewarded with a "Booby" prize. We will teach you the rules and how to play Pinochle. Join us for lots of fun! **Call Paul Elliott at (309) 238-7274 with questions.**

***Congratulations to the Pinochle winners!***

### July 21

**1<sup>st</sup> Place** Paul Elliott

**2<sup>nd</sup> Place** Jill Elliott

### July 28

**1<sup>st</sup> Place** John Call

**2<sup>nd</sup> Place** Paul Elliott

### Aug 4

**1<sup>st</sup> Place** John Call

**2<sup>nd</sup> Place** Jim Richardson

### Aug 11

**1<sup>st</sup> Place** Al Wilson

**2<sup>nd</sup> Place** Leslie Koch



## Euchre Club

**Tuesdays | 5:30 p.m. | SV Center**

The other day someone said to me, "Winter is coming and I think I would like to learn something new". Euchre could be that something. It is a fun game, and we can teach you. Give those brain cells a challenge. **Call Judy Johnson at (217) 419-4816.**

***Congratulations to the Euchre winners!***

### July 26

**1<sup>st</sup> Place** Shirley Barrow

**2<sup>nd</sup> Place** Christie Barrow

### Aug 2

**1<sup>st</sup> Place** Shirley Barrow

**2<sup>nd</sup> Place** Christie Barrow

### Aug 9

**1<sup>st</sup> Place** Judy Johnson

**2<sup>nd</sup> Place** Jim Richardson

### Aug 16

**1<sup>st</sup> Place** John Call

**2<sup>nd</sup> Place** Jim Richardson



## Faith & Worship

*Snyder Village thanks area churches for providing weekly chapel services.*

### **Wednesday Chapel Services**

**2:30 - 3:00 p.m.** (Health Center)

**3:15 - 3:45 p.m.** (Assisted Living)

### **Sunday Chapel Service**

**(Willow Hill UMC)**

**10:00 a.m.**

(Retirement Community, SVC)

### **Televised:**

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

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

## ***Happy 64<sup>th</sup> Anniversary***

**Ted & Judith Johnson**



**September 1**

## Wedding Anniversaries

To submit your wedding anniversary announcement, notify Angela Kauffman at (309) 366-4133 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. Dates need to be resubmitted **every year**.

# 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).*



**Louis Gallup**

Sept 25, 1943 - July 19, 2022



**Mary Lou Hamilton**

June 6, 1928 - July 20, 2022



**Naomi Anderson**

March 25, 1943 - July 25, 2022



**Anita Rambaud**

May 4, 1931 - Aug 5, 2022



**Loretta Allen**

Aug 17, 1931 - Aug 7, 2022



**Merridy Friederich**

Feb 14, 1937 - Aug 15, 2022



**Marva Farden**

March 25, 1944 - Aug 16, 2022



**Richard Tennis**

Sept 24, 1938 - Aug 21, 2022

## 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 July 2022:

**Larry Attkisson, Patty Berg, and Jim Williams; Naomi Anderson; Russel Bachman; and Joann Haywood**

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.

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. This helps to ensure that we can provide the highest quality of care for our residents. Thank you to all who have supported the Snyder Village Mission with your gifts.



Metamora Community Nursing Home DBA

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