



ADVENT CHRISTIAN VILLAGE
AT DOWLING PARK

Friendly Neighbor News

Advent Christian Village, Dowling Park, FL 32064

“Where People Enjoy Living”

24/7/365 Assistance/Operator	658-3333	Housekeeping	658-5374
Cashier's Office	658-5343	Environmental Svcs.	658-5155
Copeland Medical	658-5300	Post Office	658-5270
Finance Department	658-5450	Security/Emergency	658-3333
Home Care	658-5460	Shuttle Bus	208-2584

JUNE 21, 2024

Friday	6/21	The Village Cashier's Office is Closed Today 9:00 a.m.–12:00 noon <i>10:00 a.m.</i> 2:00 p.m.	Veterans' Service—MS <i>Bible Study—VC Room 5</i> Sit 'N Stitch—CH
Saturday	6/22	10:30 & 10:45 a.m. 1:00 p.m.	Bus Trip: Tallahassee Model RR Show & Sale—DH & LAP DH Gospel Sing—DH Lobby
Sunday	6/23	<i>9:40 a.m.</i> <i>11:00 a.m.</i> 2:00 p.m.	<i>Morning Worship Service—VC</i> <i>VCBI: How Can I Accurately Interpret NT Books?—OPR</i> Coloring Book Time of Fellowship—DH Lobby
Monday	6/24	1:30 p.m. 2:00–4:00 p.m.	VCBI: Understanding 1 Corinthians—VC Room 5 Ceramics—PCS
Tuesday	6/25	<i>8:30 a.m.</i> 10:00 a.m.	<i>Men's Bible Study—VC Room 5</i> LOP&G Model RR Club—CB
Wednesday	6/26	9:00–11:00 a.m. 1:00 p.m. 1:15 & 1:30 p.m. <i>6:00 p.m.</i>	Ceramics—PCS Bridge Club—OPR Bus Trip: Save A Lot, Winn-Dixie and Walmart—CH & DH <i>Prayer Meeting—BC</i>
Thursday	6/27	9:30 a.m.–4:00 p.m. 9:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m. 10:00 a.m.–12:00 noon 1:30 p.m.	AARP Driver Safety Course—OPR Village Artists Guild—KC Plarn Ministry Workday—Cleo's Meeting House Dementia Support Group—JKPL
Friday	6/28	9:00 a.m.–12:00 noon <i>10:00 a.m.</i> 2:00 p.m.	Veterans' Service—MS <i>Bible Study—VC Room 5</i> Sit 'N Stitch—CH

ACV	Advent Christian Village	CT/MT	Cardinal/Magnolia Terrace	IC	Information Center	POP	Park of the Pines
BA	Butterfield Acres	DH	Dowling House	JKPL	Jo Kennon Public Library	RDR	Rumph Dining Room
BC	Bixler Chapel	DM	Dacier Manor	KC	Keepers Cottage	RV	Smith Riverview Apartments
CB	Chriss Building	DMA	Dowling Manor	LAP	Lake Aquilla Parking Lot	RW	Riverwoods
CH	Carter House	DR	Depot Room	MS	Member Services	SMR	Sawmill Room
CCC	Copeland Community Center	ET	Edgewood Terrace	OPR	Old Pavilion Room	VC	Village Church
CMC	Copeland Medical Center	GSC	Good Samaritan Center	PCS	Polk Ceramics Shop	VS	Village Square

BOLD: ONE-TIME AND MONTHLY EVENTS — *ITALIC: PROGRAMS FOR SPIRITUAL GROWTH*

The Village Post Office



Monday–Friday
11:00 a.m.–12:30 p.m.
1:00–3:00 p.m.

Saturday
11:00 a.m.–1:00 p.m.
658-5270

Village Cashier's Office

Monday–Friday
10:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.
658-5343

IN LOVING MEMORY

Iris Turner, who was a resident of GSC, died June 19. Her memorial information will be provided when available.

ACV EVENTS

BUS TRIP:

TALLAHASSEE MODEL RR SHOW & SALE

Saturday, June 22

10:30 a.m. - DH & 10:45 a.m. - LAP

Bus: \$9.00 members, \$15.00 non-members

The Big Bend Model Railroad Association is celebrating its 33rd Annual Tallahassee Model Railroad Show and Sale with a two-day event! The event will take place on Saturday, June 22, 9:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m. and Sunday June 23, 9:00 a.m.–4:00 p.m. at the North Florida Fairgrounds, buildings 2 and 4. Everything is inside the air-conditioned buildings (including areas for you to “sit and eat” or just “rest your feet”). Food will be available for purchase on the premises. On-site parking is free. The ACV bus will be providing transportation on Saturday, June 22, leaving from DH at 10:30 a.m. and LAP at 10:45. Admission is \$10 per person. Sign up at the IC.



Driver Safety

AARP DRIVER SAFETY COURSE

Thurs., June 27, 9:30 a.m.–4:00 p.m. - OPR

There will be an AARP Driver Safety Course held on Thursday, June 27, from 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. (with a 30-minute lunch) in the OPR. Those interested in attending should contact MS. Many who complete the course receive a discount on their auto insurance. Everyone attending will need to bring their AARP card (if a member), valid driver license, lunch, snacks, drinks, a sweater, and a pen. The fee per person is \$20 for AARP members and \$25 for non-members. Bring your payment to the class. Checks and money orders only accepted for payment; absolutely no cash or credit cards. Please arrive 15 minutes early.

COPING WITH LOW VISION SUPPORT AND RESOURCES GROUP

Monday, July 1, 1:30 p.m. - OPR

Our monthly support group brings people with vision loss together to share challenges and celebrate successes. The individuals who attend are in all stages of vision loss. Some still have most of their sight, while others have lost their sight completely. Together, they foster a warm, inviting place to help one another overcome barriers to living independent, vibrant lives. Join



Wayne Warner from the nonprofit agency, Lighthouse of the Big Bend, for this monthly support group and meeting.

BUS TRIP: FIREWORKS IN MADISON

Thursday, July 4

7:15 p.m. - DH & 7:30 p.m. - LAP

There will be a trip to Madison, Florida, to see their fireworks display for Independence Day on Thursday, July 4. The bus will leave DH at 7:15 p.m. and Lake Aquilla at 7:30 p.m. The cost for the bus is \$5.00 for ACV members and \$9.00 for non-members. Please plan to bring with you something to sit on. Sign up at the IC.



SUWANNEE COUNTY TAX COLLECTOR
Thursday, July 11, 9:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m. - VS
Closed 12:00–1:00 for lunch

NOTE: Date change for July only

Staff from the Suwannee County Tax Collector's office including Suwannee County Tax Collector Sharon Jordan are normally in the VS professional offices on the first Thursday of each month from 9:00 a.m. to

3:00 p.m. (closed from 12:00 to 1:00 for lunch). Due to the Independence Day holiday, they will be here on the second Thursday of July, July 11. This service will enable you to purchase automobile tags and pay your property taxes. For more information, please contact the Tax Collector's office at 362-2816, or you may visit their website at suwtax.com.

EVENTS HERE AND THERE

Events in this section are not sponsored by ACV, even if they take place at ACV.

BLACKBERRY FESTIVAL

Saturday, June 22, 9:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m.

Jasper City Park, Jasper, Florida

Riverbend News is proud to announce this year's Blackberry Festival! Join them on Saturday, June 22, from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. for vendors, activities, and delicious blackberry treats! The Blackberry Festival will be held at Jasper City Park, located at 205 Hatley St., in Jasper. Admission is FREE!

GOSPEL SING

Saturday, June 22, 1:00 p.m. - DH Lobby

A gospel sing is held at 1:00 p.m. every fourth Saturday of the month in the DH lobby. Everyone is welcome.

LADIES BIBLE STUDY

Tuesday, June 25, 10:00 a.m. - CCC

Come and join us for a ladies Bible study at CCC on Tuesday, June 25, from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m. Looking forward to meeting all of you.

July and August I will be on vacation. We will resume on Sept. 10.

THE BASICS OF THE FAITH DISCUSSION GROUP

Tuesdays, 12:30–1:30 p.m.

Private Dining Room

This discussion group on any subject concerning Christianity meets every Tuesday from 12:30 to 1:30 p.m., in the private dining room. You can buy lunch in the cafeteria and bring it into the private dining room, or you can bring a bag lunch and eat and fellowship and discuss together the things of the Lord. Please come and join us. For more information call Michael Saunders at (407) 668-6509.

DEMENTIA SUPPORT GROUP

Thursday, June 27, 1:30 p.m. - JKPL

Being a caregiver for a loved one with dementia can be a huge commitment and come with many struggles. Come meet, share and listen to others that share the same challenges.

This support group is held the fourth Thursday of every month at 1:30 p.m. at the JKPL. The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, June 27. For more information please contact GSC's Ginger Calhoun at 658-5594.

FOOD GIVEAWAY

New Day: Tuesday, July 2, 11:00 a.m.

Dowling Park Church of God

A free food giveaway will be held Tuesday, July 2, starting at 11:00 a.m. at Dowling Park Church of God on CR 250 near Dollar General. There will be produce, bread and more from Second Harvest. All are welcome. Everyone will stay in their vehicle. Food giveaways will be held the first Tuesday of each month; the next one is scheduled for August 6.

EPISCOPAL EUCHARIST SERVICE

Tuesday, July 2, 11:30 a.m. - BC

You are invited to the monthly Episcopal Eucharist service at ACV held on the first Tuesday of each month.

The next service is scheduled for Tuesday, July 2, at 11:30 a.m. in BC. Rev. Ken Johnstone of St. Luke's Episcopal Church in Live Oak will officiate. All are welcome.

VETERANS GATHERING

Friday, July 5, 12:00 noon - RDR

All service members are invited to gather for lunch to eat together on Friday, July 5, at 12:00 noon in RDR. Buy or bring your own lunch. Bring a military MEMENTO. Service members can be ACV residents, employees, or area residents. Invite other veterans!



JO KENNON PUBLIC LIBRARY

386-658-2670

Website: srrlib.org

Email: dpark@neflin.org

Mon., Wed.-Fri. 9:00 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

Tuesday 9:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m.

Saturday 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Closed Sunday

Library Closed

We will be closed on Thursday, July 4, in celebration of Independence Day. Have a great Fourth of July!

Bottle Art Class

Bring the ocean to you on Tuesday, June 25! Make a beautiful nautical decoration out of your favorite glass bottle with a combination of sand, seashells, paints, and twine. If your curiosity is piqued, take a look at possible finished products at the front desk. There are classes available at 2:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m., and everything is provided, except the bottle. Spaces are limited, so sign up online, call, or come by!

As the Page Turns Book Club

Due to our recent closure, the ATPT book club did not meet this month. We will discuss both June and July's selections at the July 11 meeting. July's selection is your choice of any Charles Martin book (except *The Mountain Between Us*).

History of Suwannee County

The History of Suwannee County is on hiatus for July but will resume on Aug. 1 at 10:00 a.m.

Shine Counseling

Do you need advice or assistance in completing your Medicare enrollment or checking eligibility for the program, as well as other programs that are relevant to senior services? On Monday, June 24, between 1:30 and 3:30 p.m., representatives from SHINE will be available to help with your questions. No need to struggle through on your own; come in and ask the experts. Walk-ins are always welcome, or call for an appointment!

Summer Reading Bookmarks Are Here

It is time to begin tracking your summer reading! JKPL will be handing out weekly bookmarks for readers of all ages to keep up with their daily goals. When the bookmark is completed, turn it in for a prize and entry to win a gift card! Take a moment to decorate the back, and it will be placed on the front of our circulation desk for all to appreciate.

Join the Safari

The summer is filled with adventure at JKPL! We have fun activities planned for all age groups, such as reading contests, movies, games, and crafts that will get your hands dirty! We have our paints and clay ready to create your next masterpiece, so beat the heat and have a blast this summer here at JKPL (and grab a book or two)! In addition to our regular programs, the summer program schedule of events is as follows:

- **Wednesdays, 9:00-10:00 a.m.:** Adventure at Your Library: ages 9 and under
- **Wednesdays, 2:00-3:00 p.m.:** Ten-2-Teens Club: ages 10-16 years
- **Fridays, 3:00-5:00 p.m.:** Adventure Movie: all ages. Includes free popcorn and a drink!
- **Saturdays, 11:00 a.m.-12:00 noon:** Camp Creative: elementary ages

Adults are welcome to attend and help the children they bring.

Summer Fun for Adults

We're kicking off our summer reading with adult-size fun beginning June 10!

- Track your reading each week for an entry into the drawing for one of two \$20 Dollar General gift cards!
- Summer Reading Bingo - Pick up your BINGO board and read, read, read. Small prizes will be awarded for each BINGO, and the completed nine-square board will earn an entry into a drawing for a gift certificate to a local business.
- "Guess How Many" game! Beginning on Monday, June 17, come by and guess how many animal crackers are in the container. The winner will be announced at the end of June.

Dementia Support

If you are a caregiver or relative of someone suffering from dementia, join Ginger Calhoun on Thursday, June 27, from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. as she gives support and resources on how to navigate through these difficult waters and what to expect in the future. Don't struggle on your own; come in and get the assistance that you need.

Tweens Fantasy Book Club

Are you a fantasy book fanatic between the ages of 10 and 17? Join other readers with similar tastes and discuss your likes, dislikes, favorite characters, and moments found within the pages of a chosen book. *The Hobbit* by J.R.R. Tolkien is the first book selection; it is filled with mythical creatures such as elves, dwarves, hobbits, orcs, and a dragon (of course)! Come in every Monday, at 1:00 p.m. for the discussion and feel free to make book suggestions for future choices.

Hot Topics

Are you ready to dig deep and talk about realistic solutions for the problems that are currently facing our nation? Join the Hot Topics discussion group on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month as they focus on finding cures for our great nation's troubles. June's discussion topic is welfare reform, so investigate and be prepared to propose a possible "fix" on Thursday, June 27, at 10:00 a.m.

Chair Yoga

All spaces are filled for our beginning yoga class, but feel free to sign up for our waitlist online or call the JKPL at 658-2670. If there is enough interest, a second session will be offered.

Friday Movie: Swing Into Adventure

Are you ready to go on an animated jungle adventure filled with fun and great songs that will make you want to sing along and tap your feet? Join our young man-cub Mowgli as he explores the jungle with his friend Baloo, meeting many peculiar, and sometimes dangerous, animals along the way!

Each Friday during June and July at 3:00 p.m. we will be showing a Mission Movie filled with adventure and provide free popcorn and a drink. The shuttle bus service ends at 4:20 p.m.; please have alternative transportation arrangements.

Just A Small Collection of Words

"Could a greater miracle take place than for us to look through each other's eyes for an instant" (Henry David Thoreau)?

Starbooks Café Topic

How far back have your ancestors been traced? Where were they from?

Weekly JKPL Meetings:

Starbooks Café	Tuesdays	9:30 a.m.
Crochet Creations	Thursdays	3:00 p.m.
Hot Topics	2nd & 4th Thurs.	10:00 a.m.
Kids Corner	Saturdays	11:00 a.m.

Have you taken some activity photos at ACV you'd like to share? Send them to mpollina@acvillage.net with a little description. They may be featured on ACV's Facebook page.





BUS TRIPS

If you wish to ride the ACV bus on these trips, you must contact the IC in person or by phone at 658-3333 to sign up. Please be considerate of those who have allergies and limit your use of perfumes, aftershaves, and colognes when riding the bus.

WEEKLY LIVE OAK SHOPPING TRIPS

There is no charge for Village members to participate in the regular weekly Live Oak shopping trips. If you have questions, call MS at 658-5400.

Please remember to bring your own bags on the Wednesday shopping trips to assist in keeping everyone's purchases separate.

- **June 26 afternoon — Walmart, Save A Lot and Winn-Dixie** — Leave CH at 1:15 p.m. and DH at 1:30 p.m. Drop off at Winn-Dixie and Save A Lot, and park at Walmart. Leave from Walmart at approximately 3:45 p.m., pick up at Save A Lot and Winn-Dixie, and return to the Village at 4:30.
- **July 3 morning — Walmart only** — Leave CH at 8:45 a.m. and DH at 9:00 a.m. Leave from Walmart at approximately 11:15 a.m. and return to the Village at noon.
- **July 10 morning — Winn-Dixie, Save A Lot and Publix** — Leave CH at 8:45 a.m. and DH at 9:00 a.m. Drop off at Winn-Dixie and Save A Lot, and park at Publix. Leave from Publix at approximately 11:15 a.m., pick up at Save A Lot and Winn-Dixie, and return to the Village at noon.
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- **July 17 morning — Walmart only** — Leave CH at 8:45 a.m. and DH at 9:00 a.m. Leave from Walmart at approximately 11:15 a.m. and return to the Village at noon.
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UPCOMING BUS TRIPS

- June 22 — Tallahassee Model Railroad Show and Sale
- July 4 — Fireworks in Madison, Florida
- July 12 — Dine-Out to Culver's in Lake City, Florida

DINE-OUT TO CULVER'S

Friday, July 12

3:45 p.m. - DH & 4:00 p.m. - LAP

Bus: \$5.00 members, \$9.00 non-members

Culver's has opened a new restaurant in Lake City, Florida. Culver's is an American fast-casual restaurant



LUNCH & DINNER SPECIALS

Friday, June 21

Stacked Grilled Rueben on Marble Rye with Homemade Chips \$12.95

Saturday, June 22

Chicken Pot Pie Over Rice with Puff Pastry \$14.95

chain offering burgers, chicken, sandwiches, seafood, salads, soups, and fresh frozen custard. Bus cost is \$5.00 for members and \$9.00 for non-members. Please sign up at the IC.

DEPARTMENT NEWS

THE VILLAGE CHURCH

Rev. Sam Worley, Senior Minister

Church Office - 658-5344 - P.O. Box 4314

SERMON: "A Picture of Pain and Providence"

TEXT: Ruth 1:1-22 NIV '84

SPEAKER: Rev. Sam Worley

The following VC events are happening this week:

Friday, June 21

10:00 a.m. — Bible Study, Tom Spannagle (VC Room 5)

Sunday, June 23

9:40 a.m. — Morning Worship (VC)

11:00 a.m. — VCBI: How Can I Accurately Interpret NT Books?, Tom Spannagle (OPR)

5:00 p.m. — Youth Meeting at Lighthouse

Monday, June 24

1:30 p.m. — VCBI: 1 Corinthians 9-16, Donald Wrigley (VC Room 5)

Tuesday, June 25

8:30 a.m. — Men's Bible Study (VC Room 5)

Wednesday, June 26

6:00 p.m. — Prayer Meeting (BC)

Friday, June 28

10:00 a.m. — Bible Study, Donald Wrigley (VC Room 5)

VILLAGE CASHIER'S OFFICE

The Village Cashier's Office was closed unexpectedly this week. It will reopen Monday, June 24.

ACV HOME HEALTH

Candace Lawson-386-658-5460

Wow! We were delighted to see so many of you at our Open House on June 14 to show off our beautiful new office. We have a lovely view of the Hidden Garden from our office with a lot more room to spread out and meet with you. If you were not able to attend, we are located in J. Ralph Smith across from the Village Cashier's office. Our hours are Monday-Friday, 8:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

We hope you enjoyed visiting and kept your raffle ticket for the prize drawings. The following ticket numbers won a free ice cream of your choice at the Lopin' Gopher (ice cream dish, cone, sundae or soda): 6693807, 6693793, 6693799, 6693820 and 6693786. The grand prize of a \$25 gift card to the River Landing Bistro goes to ticket 6693817. If you have any of these numbers, please bring your ticket to our office and pick up your gift certificate! And thanks again for coming out to help us celebrate last Friday!

Our home care services are available for both skilled and non-skilled services. Skilled services are ordered by a doctor and are billed through your insurance. They include things like medication changes; falls; balance issues; flare-up of diseases such as diabetes, hypertension, etc.; wound care; lab draws; assistive device training; aftercare following surgery; and Foley catheter care.

We can also provide non-skilled services; these do not require a doctor's order and are private pay rather than billed through insurance. These include companion services such as grocery shopping, light housekeeping, accompanying you on errands or activities, and assistance with meal preparation. Home health aide services are also included in this; things like assistance bathing, getting dressed, reminding you to take your medication, and helping with stockings or braces. Private pay skilled nursing services are medication management (pre-fill your medication box weekly, call in refills, etc.) and lab draws.

Feel free to reach out for more information about any of these services by stopping by the office or calling us at 658-5460.

ACV HOUSEKEEPING **Diana Clark—386-658-5374**

Please remember to turn on your air conditioner prior to your housekeeper's arrival. While you may enjoy the warmth of summer inside, subjecting your housekeeper to warm temperatures while they are working in your home not only makes it very uncomfortable, but could put them at risk of overheating. We appreciate your cooperation with this.

MEMBER SERVICES **James Sutter—386-658-5400**

I've heard some complaints recently about vehicles not obeying traffic laws. Please remember to always stop at stop signs, do not exceed the speed limit (25 while on campus), obey "one way" signage, and yield to pedestrians. We do not want any accidents. Please be very careful.

Political Policies

We are once again looking forward to some very important elections on the horizon. While ACV encourages its members to exercise their right to vote — and to make sure they research their options ahead of time — the Village must be very careful to avoid the appearance of supporting any party, candidate or issue. To that end, there are two policies that must be followed. If you would like a copy of the Politics at the Village policy and/or Political Campaigning Policy, stop by MS. Here are a few highlights:

- No Village employee or volunteer may endorse any candidate, party or issue while representing ACV unless ACV has taken a particular stance. Likewise, no Village resources may be used — copier, email from a work computer, supplies, etc.
- Whenever possible, politics should be avoided in Village publications and advertising, such as the *Friendly Neighbor News*.
- ACV members may host candidates in their private residences for campaign events. Members may invite others to said events under these conditions:
 - The member may send invitations to other members who are expecting the invitation using the free, no-postage option offered at the Dowling Park post office after the mailing has been approved by MS.
 - The member may send invitations in sealed and stamped envelopes to whomever they wish without any prior authorization.
- ACV members may host candidates at the Harmony Center or Cleo's Meeting House or in the Lodge conference room. ACV cannot be involved.
- Residents are not permitted to put campaign signs in their yard, on the outside of their dwelling, or in windows to be seen outside of their residence. Residents are permitted to wear campaign slogans and to display campaign slogans on their personal vehicle.
- Small political signs may be put up at the two ends of Dowling Park Drive (on CR 136 and CR 250), but are subject to removal by the county or ACV without warning or excuse.
- ACV has a "No Solicitation" policy. Candidates and their representatives/supporters are prohibited from going door-to-door on the ACV campus or campaigning in any public space. Neither are they allowed to put up signs on the grounds of ACV.
- Candidates may organize political events at ACV by renting space from Conference & Retreat (386-658-5200). They may not advertise any political events in any Village publication or by any other medium on campus such as posters, flyers or signs.

Thank you for your cooperation with this issue. If you have questions, call MS.

Pet Policy

Please remember that upon signing your paperwork to move to ACV, you agreed to abide by all of ACV's policies, including its Pet Rules. The following are a few highlights:

- No more than one fur bearing pet is permitted in an apartment. In other residential areas, up to two fur bearing pets may be permitted with written approval, beforehand, by Village Administration.

There may be no more than two birds or small caged animals per apartment. No limit is placed on the number of fish; however, the size of the fish tank may not exceed 10 gallons.

- All pets must be registered with the project owner and updated annually.
- Pets weight should not exceed 15 pounds at maturity, within HUD facilities. Weight may vary 5-10 pounds in other areas.
- Pet owners must have pets inoculated as specified by a veterinarian; and, after, annually or as specified by a veterinarian.
- No pet that bites, attacks or demonstrates other aggressive behavior toward humans may be kept.
- Dogs and cats shall be on hand-held leashes at all times outside the confines of the pet owner's apartment or home.
- No pet may make noise, which disrupts other residents. Barking and/or whining dogs, and crying or "caterwauling" cats will not be considered acceptable pets.
- Except for reasonable ingress and egress to the building, pets will not be allowed in lobbies, laundry rooms, T.V. rooms, and game rooms. Dogs shall be trained to voice command. Pets shall be carried in all public areas within the building. Specially trained dogs, however, are the exception.

If you would like to read the Pet Rules policy in its entirety, please stop by MS.

June Member Birthday Party

Once again, SMR/DR was the scene for the monthly member birthday party. We were entertained with a patriotic singalong, word search, and trivia to celebrate Flag Day. It was a good time of fellowshiping together. A delightful red, white and blue berry cake and refreshing ice cream were served.

We were blessed to have 16 persons with June birthdays, and a total of 73 in attendance. Six guests won door prizes: Virginia Holley, Donna Carr, Gloria Seidenberg, Nan O'Byrne, Ruth Cochrane and Maxine McLeskey. The oldest birthday guest was Eleanor Verrill, and the youngest was Martha Hay. Eleanor received a special cake made by Dining Services, and Martha received a fresh fruit basket prepared by the Village Grocer.

We appreciate the assistance of ACV's Dining Services and Housekeeping departments, and our faithful volunteers.

Member Services Tip of the Week

If you are planning to change locations on campus, contact your service coordinator to make sure you have filled out the proper form. If all you have done is mention to a staff member that you want to move, but the paperwork to get you on the right waitlist hasn't been filled out, it is as if you have not said anything.

Scam Tip of the Week: Imposter Scams

You get a call or an email. It might say you've won a prize. It might seem to come from a government official. Maybe it seems to be from someone you know — your grandchild, a relative or a friend. Or maybe it's from someone you feel like you know, but you haven't met in person — say, a person you met online who you've been writing to.

Whatever the story, the request is the same: wire money to pay taxes or fees, or to help someone you care about. But is the person who you think it is? Is there an emergency or a prize? Judging by the complaints to the Federal Trade Commission (FTC), the answer is no. The person calling you is pretending to be someone else.

Here's what you can do:

1. Stop. Check it out before you wire money to anyone. Call the person, the government agency, or someone else you trust. Get the real story. Then decide what to do. No government agency will ever ask you to wire money.
2. Pass this information on to a friend. You may not have gotten one of these calls or emails, but the chances are you know someone who has.

 **Remember to Wave** 

ACV ACTIVITY NEWS

BRIDGE CLUB

Dottie Stone, Reporter

The Bridge Club meets on Wednesdays at 1:00 p.m. in the OPR. If you would like to play, please call me at (352) 316-5161 or Betsey Ruehl at 658-1766 by noon on Monday.

Congratulations to our June 12 winners: 1st high, Lew Gessler, and 2nd high, Betsey Ruehl.

VILLAGE DOG PARK

A Committee of the Membership Association

Monica Serlick, Reporter

The dog park is now free of sand spurs and has been treated to stop them from growing. Let's give our fur babies a chance to run off leash and enjoy their park.

VILLAGE LIBRARY

Monday–Friday

10:00 a.m.–12:00 noon & 1:00–3:00 p.m.

Brenda Reas, Reporter

Overdue book cards are mounting up in our file. Please check your living space for any of our books that you may have misplaced or forgotten about, and either return them to the library during open hours or to the book drop after hours. You can also call the library at 658-5258 during open hours to renew books. Thank you.

We have an audiobook section, paperback rack, and many movies and TV series on DVD for check-out. Magazines can be borrowed without being checked out; just return them when you finish looking at them.

Please have your ACV ID badge available when you come to check out books and DVDs. We are located in the Schoolhouse Room between the OPR and IC. Our drop box is located around the corner across from the restrooms (beneath the bulletin board), and you may return books and DVDs there at any time.

PEN PAL PROGRAM

A Committee of the Membership Association

Monica Serlick, Reporter

Please remember that when school is out many of the youth go home for summer break and will not be writing, so do not write them any letters over the summer. I will be arranging another meeting of the pen pals for August, so stay tuned.

If you would like to be a pen pal please contact me at (386) 330-4865 and leave a message. I will call you back.

"Every child deserves a champion — an adult who understands the power of connection and insists that they become the best they can possibly be" (Rita Pierson).

STEPHEN MINISTRIES

Robin Copeland, Reporter

ACV will begin training a new class of Stephen Ministers on Wednesday, Sept. 4. This is a wonderful opportunity for you to grow in faith, develop stronger relational skills, and bring Christ's love into the lives of hurting people.

If you are interested in being part of this class, pick up a copy of the Stephen Minister Application from MS. Fill it out and return it before July 15 to one of our Stephen Ministry Leaders: Michael Saunders or me. We will then schedule a time when you can meet with a couple of our Stephen Leaders to learn more about the training and so we can learn more about you. If you have any questions, talk with one of our Stephen Ministry Leaders.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

BUTTERFIELD ACRES

Jack "CrackerJack" Dixon, Reporter

Father's Day was a special day set aside to reflect, remember and cherish the memories of my father, a man spirit-filled with the love of God for his family,

church and country. My brother, sister, mother, and I were all blessed to have the privilege and honor to be called his family. He was not a man of high education or big wealth, or recognized by the world's standard as a great achiever in worldly things. What he was, though, was a godly man who worked hard to provide for his family. He had such an endearing character. Not one in his family ever doubted the love and adoration he had for each of us in his own special way. With all this, he was a lover of all dogs and fishing, and this rounded him out to be "my special dad". I could only pray that your memories of your dad are at least half as much and fond as mine are. That being true, you also had a very blessed childhood.

Our birthday and anniversary list has not been altered from last week; please reference it for those dates.

We had a new FNN deliverer in BA this past week. Again I would like to give my heartfelt thanks to Jim, Barbara and Marco Kile for such a great job well done for the past years of faithful service to assure we all received our weekly FNN in good shape in BA. Steve Reas, a man of many talents and volunteer duties, agreed to take over for the future. Thank you, Steve, for taking on this very important position of delivering the news.

In an age group such as ours, memory is an important thing to have ... or not have! I think a good remedy for this problem we all suffer from is "if we tell the truth, we don't have to remember anything". Be kind to your friends. If it weren't for them, you would be a total stranger. Have you noticed that "too many people confuse free speech with loose talk"? Eat a banana a day; it is a fruit that always has appeal.

One hour in your day to volunteer to push a GSC resident in a wheelchair out in the fresh air and visit the koi pond will add smiles and appreciation to your day, and both of you will be blessed.

From the veranda of our humble abode overlooking the oh-so-smooth and dust-free 102nd Trail: Consider this, "A strong man has faith that he is strong enough for the journey ... But a man of strength has faith that ... it is the journey that will keep him strong", and never forget who is in charge. Isaiah 40:28–31. God bless!

CARTER HOUSE

Monica Serlick, Reporter

We have one birthday for the rest of this month, and the birthday gal is Winona Kotnick on June 30. "Sending you smiles for every moment of your special day! Have a wonderful time and a very happy birthday" (seventeen.com).

If you have any news you would like to share with others, please call and give me details. Please continue to keep all those who are ill, recovering or struggling in your thoughts and prayers. "Then they cried to the Lord in their trouble, and he saved them from their distress. He sent out his word and healed them; he rescued them from the grave" (Psalm 107:19–20).

This past weekend, on Friday evening, I had a date with my grandson. He took me out to dinner and then we attended the play *Shrek Jr. the Musical* at the Monticello Opera House. One of his friends was playing the role of the dragon. We had a wonderful time, and I was amazed at the talent and skill of the cast members who ranged in age from seven to 18 years old. I look forward to attending the next play, which will include my grandson in his first steps into the world of theater.

As we head into summertime remember to stay hydrated, and look out for your pets. It does not take more than 10 minutes for your dog to start feeling the effects of heat exhaustion. After 15 minutes their body temperature increases, and they head into heat stroke with bright red tongues and heavy panting. If they develop heat stroke it may be too late to help them, and many pets die; so please love your pet and don't run them for exercise in the heat of summer.

Make sure they always have a shady place to rest and water available to them if you are going to keep them outdoors for any length of time. Watch out for the pads of their feet getting burned on concrete or asphalt. It is very painful for them and can happen

within 30 seconds. Walk them early in the morning and late in the evenings if possible, when the temperatures are cooler.

"When you arise in the morning think of what a precious privilege it is to be alive, to breathe, to think, to enjoy, to love" (Marcus Aurelius).

"Summer time is always the best of what might be" (Charles Bowden).

Remember to be respectful of other residents and visitors. Please do not confront anyone if you think they are violating any of ACV's rules or policies. If you see anything that you believe is out of the ordinary or inappropriate, please contact the IC at 658-3333 and report it. They will ensure someone is sent to check things out. This is your home, IF YOU SEE SOMETHING, SAY SOMETHING!

DOWLING HOUSE

Patricia-Adele Lyons, Reporter

Good morning to all my brothers and sisters in the Lord at ACV. Today's a new day; rejoice and be glad in it.

No birthdays or anniversaries for the rest of June. Are you celebrating something special? If so, please share; we'd love to celebrate with you.

On a walk about, I saw Willie Woodson washing some cars in the parking lot where the ACV buses are parked. Willie has received rave reviews about washing and detailing vehicles. Just sayin'.

Scarlett Petroff reminded me the 20th is the first day of summer and the longest day of the year. Scarlett says: "Speaking of summer, my son is in Iceland on that day and will be on some cold glacier celebrating his big 5-0. (Oh, to be young again.) Lava is still flowing slowly at Reykjanes peninsula in SW Iceland, and travel advisories are issued. Now that is the hot and cold of it."

Gospel Sing this Saturday at 1:00 p.m. in DH lobby. Everyone is welcome.

Psalms 96:1-2, "Sing to the LORD a new song; sing to the LORD, all the earth. Sing to the LORD, praise his name; proclaim his salvation day after day."

Have a blessed weekend.

EDGEWOOD TERRACE

Cathy Oberg, Reporter

Heartiest congratulations to Chuck and Michelle (Martel) McManus on their June 7 wedding. Michelle was a long-time resident of ET and recently moved to POP. May God bless your union abundantly for the present and future.

Welcome home, Sandra Kelly! It's been a long, rough road, but you've conquered beautifully and courageously. I know Herschel is one very happy man!

If you have not had a need for the neighbor watch that takes place in our neighborhood, consider yourself very fortunate. Sunday, Ron and I got in the car to attend church only to discover a flat tire. We called friends that attend the same church asking for a ride to which the husband replied, "I'm so glad you have friends!"

As we were leaving church I received a text message and then a call from one neighbor asking if everything was ok because she saw the car still in the drive. During lunch with our friends I got another call from another neighbor letting us know that as they were coming or going (I'm not sure which), that we had a flat tire on the car. I appreciated these calls and the watchfulness of these neighbors so much and am extremely grateful to be living in such a caring neighborhood.

So please, friends, never, ever take even the smallest thing for granted. If something is out of the ordinary, give a knock, a shout, or a call to make sure a situation is under control. I feel it's more important now that summer is upon us and most of us are staying in the cool A/C most of the time.

Don't forget to keep Saturday, July 6, at 2:00 p.m. in Cleo's Meeting House on your calendars for our annual patriotic ice cream social. We ask that you bring your own drinks and enjoy some ice cream, get to know your neighbors, and relax. Afterwards you can get ready for the community potluck in the dining room. See y'all there!

At the Village Square

Riverside Gifts

We carry distinctive gifts for men, women and children. Choose from the many gifts in the children's section. Everything from Bibles and books to balls, dolls, jewelry, and coloring books.

Women's gifts include purses, lightweight silk scarves, lipstick purses, patriotic earrings, ankle bracelets, beautiful pins, rings, and necklaces. The gifts for men include beard grooming kits, special soap, tool kits, watches, key ring tape measures, box cutters, and pocketknives.

Gifts for the home include hanging battery lanterns, maxi flex gloves, collapsible canes, cup holders, porch pillows, wind chimes, photo sensor night-lights, and bird feeders. A new item is the reasonably priced multi-port surge protection outlet. It includes five AC outlets, three USB-A ports, and one USB-C port. This is great to have when traveling!

658-5771. Open Wednesday-Friday, 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m., and Saturday, 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

Rustic Shop

Wanted: This shop is looking for a person to do clothing alterations. Please stop in for details.

Berry season is here! Celebrate by serving them in a vintage gold-edged berry bowl with its matching individual bowls. Other items include a magnificent Adams & Tunstill England large platter that is over 100 years old; a decanter with its four glasses; crystal candle holders; a sweet crystal pineapple; and four rare Delftware Amsterdam, Holland, stein mugs with dual design.

Stop in to see the rare four-panel oriental black lacquer wall piece on display near the children's section. The beauty of the intricate carvings of the wildlife and plants is stunning.

The jewelry-making items continue to be on sale at fantastic prices! There are copper wires, beads, metal necklaces, chains, kits, pendants and brooches, wooden beads, and leather strappings.

658-5273. Open Wednesday-Friday, 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m., and Saturday, 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.

Twice Nice Shop

Men's suits and shirts continue at 1/2 off. There are also pants, neckties and bowties, belts, and shoes, too, at fantastic prices. **Women's suits are on sale for 1/2 off, and ladies' slacks continue on sale for \$2.00.** Beautiful lightweight scarves for women will add just the right touch in this warmer weather. Find a lovely pair of shoes to complete your new outfit.

Scrubs continue to sell for \$3.00 each and come in a variety of colors and fun patterns.

The Book Nook's sale of BOGO continues for Reader's Digest Condensed Books (four books in one). BOGO sales added into the mix are cookbooks, diets, health, nutrition, exercise, medical guides, and all books on the "religion" shelves. The jigsaw puzzle choices continue to expand.

Remember, Bibles, hymnals, and printed music books are free. Cassette tapes are also free!

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Are you a crafter? We have received an abundance of crafting materials: jewelry pieces, eyes, spools, pom-poms, felt and canvas, buttons, beads, and more! We are still unpacking and adding to our collection of tools and more. The AC is fixed; come on down!

GOOD SAMARITAN CENTER AND DACIER MANOR

Bruce, Arnold, Reporter

"With praise and thanksgiving they sang to the Lord: 'He is good; his love toward Israel endures forever.' And all the people gave a great shout of praise to the Lord, because the foundation of the house of the Lord was laid" (Ezra 3:11).

The book of Ezra seems to be overlooked at times when we're reading the Bible. But notice this encouraging word from this small book. When God's people came back to Jerusalem to rebuild the temple it was a time of great joy and anticipation. There were trumpets, cymbals, and people shouting. It must have been a great sound of joy! In fact, the 13th verse tells us that the sound was heard far away!

Some in the crowd were crying because they remembered the former temple. The 13th verse also tells us that no one could distinguish the sound of the shouts of joy from the sound of weeping, because there was so much noise. We may feel down today; we may feel like rejoicing today. Whatever your situation, realize that God knows your heart today, and he is near to meet your need. God understands our emotions. He gave them to us, so never be afraid to express your emotions before the Lord. He knows your heart and will be there to help you today.

This week has been CNA appreciation week at GSC and DM. Our CNAs have been treated to all kinds of special things all week. On Monday was a coffee and muffin table. Tuesday, Chef Joe prepared omelets to order and then ribs for lunch. Wednesday was ice cream day. Thursday, a burger bar. Then on Friday we will celebrate the CNA of the year, which we'll be able to publish in next week's FNN. Our residents and staff alike thank our CNAs for all they do every day!

With the recent heat wave (and summer has just begun!), the residents of GSC and DM have had to get out on the patios and porches in the earlier hours of the day. Turtle rides have also become an earlier morning activity. But it's still nice to be able to get out and around when we can. We can always be thankful, no matter what the weather!

Giant print KJV Bibles are still available for those who would like them. Just contact me at (386) 249-2792 or barnold@acvillage.net, and I'll get one to you. Many here at ACV and in GSC and DM have enjoyed these Bibles provided by Alms Ministry of Fort White.

RIVERWOODS

Betsey Ruehl, Reporter

I hope you found the information on the dragonflies last week. I failed to include that they have been all over the place in RW for weeks now.

I don't have a total for all the other visitors here last weekend, but for all the dads in the neighborhood, I hope your celebration of Father's Day was fantastic.

Gary and I often chat about how our dads influenced us as we grew up. This week I recommend an excellent article by Child Crisis Arizona (June 5, 2017) to pass on to the next generations in your family on the importance of a father's involvement in the lives of their children. Here are a few tidbits from the article: Although a mother's love is important and special, having an active father figure plays an equally important role in the healthy development of a child. Five important ways fathers impact child development include: increasing your child's intellect, emotional intelligence and problem-solving capabilities. The emotional support provided by a father to his helps to boost confidence. These children are more likely to have high self-esteem and are generally happier and more confident. Studies show that children with fathers who were actively involved throughout the 1st year of their child's life perform better on cognitive development assessments and demonstrate an increased capacity for curiosity and exploration. Children raised with active dads tend to score higher on verbal and math tests and are less likely to drop out of school or commit juvenile crimes. Fathers provide a positive male role model for their children, help to promote and reinforce good behaviors, have longer attention spans and a higher level of sociability. Their children also tend to be more compassionate and generous, with an

increased awareness of the needs and rights of others. Mothers and fathers approach questions in different ways. Active fathers have a unique opportunity to share their perspective on life and teach their kids valuable life skills. Having an active father makes a child feel loved! Having dad as a steady source of love and encouragement helps ensure that children grow up happy and healthy, with high self-esteem.

Sometimes we need to retreat into ourselves and embrace solitude. In the book *Anam Cara* I found these phrases: "In your thoughts, the silent universe seeks echo. Silence is a great friend of the soul; it unveils the riches of solitude."

MEMBER BENEFITS

ACV offers a variety of programs and services to its members under the membership program. Members pay a monthly fee to provide supplemental support for this array of services and programs, meeting many of the varied needs of its members, as well as providing the opportunity to live his or her life to its fullest potential and highest level of independence. Some services you may not need today, you may well find important or essential in the future, and your financial participation makes it possible for your neighbor to have access to the services they need now.

This week's member benefit of note:

Notary Public services are available to members for free in MS.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION

FROM BAGS TO BEDS

I had faith in our plarn neighbors, and faith worked its magic. I walked into the IC to pick up bags, a big smile came on my face as I looked at the bags piled up. The women are back to working diligently folding those bags. Thank you for your support.

This week we're going to introduce Eleanore Catarious who resides in RW. Eleanore's late husband fell in love with ACV, so they moved here from Pennsylvania. Eleanore worked at ACV, then retired in 2022. Eleanore was widowed in 2023, we are sorry for your loss. We all grieve in different ways and different time frames. Eleanore states she is ready to start her life again. I want to wish the best in your future endeavors and hope to see you again. Eleanore has been doing plarn for about four years and has done all stages of the mat-making process.

We meet every Thursday at Cleo's Meeting House, 10:00 a.m.-12:00 noon. We will not meet July 4. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at (909) 484-8796.

Linda Warner

WEST VIRGINIANS GET TOGETHER

Just a reminder to save the date! Our get-together for all West (Best) Virginians will be on July 17 at the Harmony Center. If you have any ties at all to our almost-Heaven state, you are invited! We will have West Virginia hot dogs (you know, with good chili and coleslaw), along with whatever sides or desserts you would like to share.

We promise good food, great conversations, shared memories and stories, and at least one round of "Country Roads".

Be sure to keep checking the FNN for the details. If you are interested in getting more information or in participating in the planning of this event, please call any of the following people: David and Karen Hall, (304) 920-6873; Richard Russell, 658-1839; or Bob and Brenda Story, 658-1902.

We are looking forward to having time with our West Virginia friends.

HAIR CROPPERS

This summer we are featuring a new pedicure, "very berry". It's a five-in-one-step system that was designed to pamper you! Included are a foot soak, callus soften-

er, sugar scrub, mud mask, and tension-relieving foot massage. Costs \$45. (This pedicure is a seasonal pedicure and does not replace the basic and regular pedicures.)

Add-on services like hot-stone massage, nail lacquer, or gel polish for an additional charge.

Call or text (386) 205-3791 to schedule an appointment.

FINANCIAL ADVISOR

Wendy B. Meyer, CFP[®], BFA[®], financial advisor with Pivotal Wealth Planning is at the Village on the third Wednesday of every other month (February, April, June, August, October and December) from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. in the VS professional offices. Call (850) 973-8888 for more information or to schedule an appointment.

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LEGAL SERVICES

The law firm of Robinson, Kennon & Kendron, P.A. will see clients by appointment only from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon on the following dates in the VS professional offices: June 28, Aug. 9 and 23, and Sept. 13 and 27. To make an appointment, please call Leigh Ann Cannon at (386) 755-1334, Ext. 117.

ACV QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Do you have a question about the Village you think others would also like to ask? Submit your question to MS, and we will do our best to find out the answer for you and publish it here.

Q: The stairs on the trip bus are steep, and I find it difficult to navigate them. Can I be lifted up on the lift, even though I use a walker instead of a scooter?

A: Yes. We allow those with walkers to use the lift if they find it unsafe to climb or descend the stairs. Tell the bus driver that's what you'd like to do, and they will accommodate you.

THANK YOU

I want to thank my service coordinator, Diane, who has been working hard on getting things together for my needs. Not my wants, but what is best for me. You are doing a superb job. I am glad that I am your client. Also glad that I can be a great help.

Stephen McGill

I want to give thanks to all the staff members of Home Health Care. I couldn't believe that the room has so much space, not to mention the atmosphere that gives you a feeling the way the office should look. Thank you, Candice, for making it happen!

Stephen McGill

Many of you kind folks have said to me recently that I don't look 97 years old. Some days I don't believe it either; when I see pictures of me I say, "Oh yes, you do!"

Thank you, friends and family, for all the cards, flowers, gifts, greetings, and the beautiful cake I received at the June birthday party for being the oldest member in attendance. God willing, I think I will go for 98, or maybe 100. Blessings to all.

Eleanor Verrill

I wanted to say "Thank you" to all those who have sent us cards, said prayers, brought food, and visited us in the hospital and at GSC to play games or just come by to say hi. Most of all, I appreciate the prayers. God has

responded in miraculous ways to further His plans. My heart is so full of thankfulness that it is bursting out all over. I was at GSC a little over a week, and just got home Friday, the 14th. The entire staff there was wonderful, and we are so appreciative of their help. Let me say "Thank you" once again to all of you.

Sandra Kelly

MISCELLANEOUS

PLEASE NOTE: All submissions to the FNN must have a name attached. If you prefer to not have your name included with the listing in the FNN, indicate that on the submission. Ads may be dropped into the box near the IC, or emailed to fnn@acvillage.net. Only ACV members and staff may advertise here. Ads run for two weeks.

FOR SALE: DVDs, variety of movie genres, 2 for \$1.00. Call 386-344-4566.*

FOR SALE: Two lovely old fashioned oil lamps for sale. Perfect condition, little used. Good when there is no electricity. \$40 each. Call 386-658-3058.*

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WHY GO TO CHURCH?

A churchgoer wrote a letter to the editor of a newspaper and complained that it made no sense to go to church every Sunday: "I've gone to church for 30 years now, and in that time I've heard about 3,000 sermons, and I can't remember a single one of them. I think I'm wasting my time, and pastors are wasting their time by giving sermons at all!"

This started a controversy in the Letters to Editor much to the editor's delight. It went on for weeks until a man wrote this clincher: "I've been married 30 years, and in that time my wife has cooked about 32,000 meals, and I cannot recall the entire menu for a single one! But I do know this: All those meals nourished me and gave me the strength to do my work. If my wife had not fed me those meals, I would be physically dead! Likewise, if I had not gone to church and been fed also on God's Word, I would also be spiritually dead!"

ACTING SQUIRRELLY

A man steps off the curb to cross the street when a car comes speeding around the corner and heads straight for him. The man runs, but the car changes lanes and is still coming at him. The man turns around to go back, but the car changes lanes again. The car is so close that the man freezes in the middle of the road. Coming within a foot of hitting the terrified man, the car swerves at the last second and screeches to a halt.

The driver rolls down the window, and it's a squirrel!

The squirrel says to the man, "See, it's not as easy as it looks, is it?"

RAINY DAY THOUGHTS

Why do banks leave their doors open and then chain the pens to the counters?

Why do they sell hot dogs in packs of 10 and the buns in packs of eight?

Why can a pizza get to your house faster than an ambulance or police car?

Why do we have answering machines to screen calls and then have call waiting so we won't miss a call from someone we didn't want to talk to in the first place?

One thing about ignorance — it can cause a lot of interesting arguments.

Dog owner to dog: "The neighbor says you're chasing people on bicycles." Dog: "He's lying! I don't even own a bicycle!"

Experience enables you to recognize a mistake when you've made it again.

Smile! It will increase your face value.

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Boneless Pork Roast	per lb.	\$ 4.49
Carolina Pride Smoked Bacon	12 oz.	\$ 4.99
Boneless Beef Chuck Roast	per lb.	\$ 5.99
Flanders Beef Patties	32 oz.	\$ 5.99
Boneless New York Strip Steak	per lb.	\$ 9.99

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This Week's Verse:

Let your roots grow down into him and draw up nourishment from him.

See that you go on growing on the Lord.

Colossians 2:7

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FRIDAY, 6/21

- \$2.53 Soup:** Clam Chowder
\$6.44 Entrées: GF Baked Catfish, GF Garlic Butter Shrimp, Pork Loin, Fried Catfish
\$1.21 Sides: Mixed Greens, Five-Way Vegetables, Baked Beans, Cold Salads, Fruit, Cheese Grits, Mashed Potatoes with Gravy
\$2.76 Desserts: Assorted Regular and NSA Desserts

SATURDAY, 6/22

- \$2.53 Soup of the Day**
\$7.59 Whistle Stop Special: Pork Butt Roast, Cole Slaw, Potato Salad, Dinner Roll, Assorted Desserts, Fountain Drink

SUNDAY, 6/23

♪ Piano music provided by Joan Wittman. ♪

Lunch Buffet

Members \$12.63 | Non-Members \$17.81 | Beverage Included

- Entrées:** GF Roast Beef, GF Ham in Honey Glazed Sauce, Fried Chicken
Sides: Green Beans, Cabbage, Side Salad, Watermelon, Macaroni and Cheese, Mashed Potatoes with Gravy, Dinner Rolls
Desserts: Assorted Regular and NSA Desserts

MONDAY, 6/24

- \$2.53 Soup:** Soup of the Day
\$6.44 Entrées: Pork Chops, Liver and Onions
\$1.21 Sides: California Vegetable Medley, Beets, Cold Salads, Fruit, Fried Okra, Rice with Gravy
\$2.76 Desserts: Assorted Regular and NSA Desserts

TUESDAY, 6/25

- \$7.70 Special:** Salad Bar
\$6.44 Entrées: Chicken Salad Croissant, Country Fried Steak
\$1.21 Sides: Peas and Carrots, Chuck Wagon Corn, Cold Salads, Fruit, Roasted Red Potatoes, Fried Zucchini
\$2.76 Desserts: Assorted Regular and NSA Desserts

NOTE: Prices listed are the retail cost per item. ACV members who present their ID badge at the cash register will receive a 10% discount. Menu is subject to change. Individual beverage cost: \$1.30.

GF=Gluten-Free NSA=No Sugar Added

Rumph Dining Room Midday Dining Menu

June 21–28, 2024

WEDNESDAY, 6/26

- \$2.53 Soup:** Soup of the Day
\$6.44 Entrées: BBQ Meatballs, Fried Chicken
\$1.21 Sides: Prince Edward Vegetable Blend, Cabbage, Cold Salads, Fruit, Mashed Potatoes with Gravy
\$2.76 Desserts: Assorted Regular and NSA Desserts

THURSDAY, 6/27

- \$6.44 Entrées:** GF Roasted Chicken Breast, GF Meatloaf
\$1.21 Sides: Green Beans, Zucchini and Squash, Cold Salads, Fruit, Baked Potato
\$2.76 Desserts: Assorted Regular and NSA Desserts

FRIDAY, 6/28

- \$2.53 Soup:** Lobster Bisque
\$6.44 Entrées: GF Baked Fish, GF Garlic Butter Shrimp, Roast Beef, Fried Catfish
\$1.21 Sides: Mixed Greens, Honey Glazed Carrots, Baked Beans, Cold Salads, Fruit, Cheese Grits, Mashed Potatoes with Gravy
\$2.76 Desserts: Assorted Regular and NSA Desserts



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Friday, June 21

Stacked Grilled Reuben on Marble Rye with
Homemade Chips \$12.95

Saturday, June 22

Chicken Pot Pie Over Rice with Puff Pastry \$14.95



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Mon–Fri: 11 am–1 pm
Sat. & Sun: 11 am–1:30 pm



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Sun: 7:30–10 am | 3:30–7 pm
Mon–Fri: 7:30–10 am | 2:30–7 pm
Sat: 7:30–10:00 am | 3–7 pm



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Wed–Thurs: 11 am–2 pm
Fri–Sat: 8–10:30 am | 11 am–8 pm