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We are excited to host Trinity School Students for a Spring Art Exhibition EVERY CHILD IS AN ARTIST. The Exhibition will feature a collection of original works by students in grades K-12. THE PROBLEM Join us for the opening and meet IS HOW TO the student artists. REMAIN AN Tuesday, April 4 at 6pm Village South Complegne Art Room Exhibition ARTIST ONCE Refreshments will be served WE GROW UT Come talk with the students about the creative vision behind their works. Pablo Picasso

See insert for ways to talk with kids about their art.

Recycle, Renew, & Reuse

A group of ladies, better known as the "T-shit Angels", have come together and with great LOVE taken t-shirts that have seen their better days and turned them into something anew, functional, and



comforting. Just recently, these ladies made and donated over 50



walker pouches to Healthcare and Rehab and 100 lap blankets to HGM Assisted Living. Every piece of the t-shirt is repurposed with the scraps going to Maintenance for the painters to use.

This story only gets better...T-Shirt Angel and IL Resident Shirley Stephenson's sewing machine broke down, recently. Very quickly a solution surfaced from a generous resident Elizabeth Vaughn. Shirley and her Angels are back sewing blankets without missing a beat!



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IMPORTANT CONTACTS:

 Security Transportation (Medical & Vale Facilities Mgmt. / Handyman Activity / Event Inquiries Housekeeping 	967-3898 et) 699-3474 699-3427 699-3426 699-3416 699-3433
FREQUENTLY USED NUMBERS	
Accounting / Billing	699-3406
Beauty Shop: Somewhere In Tim	e 699-3405
Chaplain	699-3404
Director of Independent Living	699-3469
Barney's Cafe (place orders)	699-3448
Wildcatters Grill (Clubhouse)	699-3418
Dollye's Bistro	247-6774
Manor Park Receptionist	689-9898
Mabee Healthcare Center	689-0707
Marketing Office	699-3414
Pharmacy	432-523-4861
Village Pantry Store	697-9010
Wellness Center	699-3411

COMMUNICATION

Let us know how we are doing and if there is something we could do better.

COMMENT SHEETS

available in three locations:

IL Activities sign up table
 Front of Dir. IL office

Cowden Clubhouse entryway
 Please leave the completed form
 with the Receptionist at the
 Wallace Bldg. entrance

Sherice Barndt Dir. of IL 432-699-3469 sbarndt@manorparkinc.org

RESIDENT COUNCIL MEETING Tuesday, April 18 2pm Great Room of the Clubhouse
RESIDENT MEETING
Tuesday,
April 25 9:30 am
Left Activity Room
(ZOOM is available. An email will go out with the link on the Monday prior to the meeting)
Join Stephen Nelson, Executive Director and Lauren Cantu, Chief Operations Officer, as they inform and update residents on the business and project progression at Manor

Park. Everyone is invited to attend this informative meeting.

VoiceFriend

If you would like to **ADD** or **REMOVE** any form of the communications available TEXT LANDLINE CELL PHONE EMAIL please contact: **SHERICE at 699-3469 or sbarndt@manorparkinc.org**

April	Birthdays

Suzanne	Bobo	4/2
Nellie	Bailey	4/3
Janette	Absher	4/6
Hazel	Wilbanks	4/6
Ruby	Wurth	4/6
Joseph	McDaniel	4/8
Sandra	Worlow	4/10
Marie	Pate	4/11
Becky	Elliott	4/13
Jacqueline	Hendricks	4/14
Elizabeth	Vaughn	4/15
Em	Carnett	4/17
Ron	Morgan	4/18
Ann	Parish	4/18
William	Barker	4/22
Tom	Heiting	4/23
Shirley	Stephenson	4/24
Connie	Bentz	4/27
Carol	Hardwick	4/27
Bobbie	Lattner	4/27
Vivian	Renfrow	4/27
Helen	Tonde	4/29

Party, party, party! Birthday Party

Thursday, 5 pm Right & Left Activity Rooms SIGNUP!

A meal will be served shortly after 5pm. The cost of the meal is **FREE** to the <u>birthday residents</u>. \$7.50 for non-birthday residents, and \$9.00 for non-Manor Park guests.

<u>Make note</u>

The Barney's Cafe dining room will be <u>closed</u> that evening To-go & delivery orders only.

Together, we can end Alzheimer's disease.

alzheimer's 🎧 association°

The Manor Park **Walk 2 End Alzheimer's Team** will be hosting a movie night in April! Laughter brings joy to Alzheimer's residents and with your contribution to have the first survivor!

Come join us Tuesday, April 18 5:30pm Left Activity Room

We will be showing Carol Burnett videos! Admission \$2.00, Popcorn & Drink Combo \$1.00, Candy \$1.00. Cash only.



- 1. Porter, Philip and Kathleen "June" 505 Lajitas
- 2. McDaniel, Joseph and Janelle 503 Adobe
- 3. Chandler, Barbara 205 Wallace Circle
- 4. McKnight, William 319 Helen Geathouse Circle

LOVE unhere you Live

Happy Anniversary!

Celebrating, loving where you live.

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Leon Thompson	19 years
Mary Lou Hall	15 years
Jim Rogers	15 years
Hal & Leann Brenner	10 years
Melba Cardwell	9 years
Ann Curtís	9 years
Mítzí O'Neill	9 years
Nancy Robertson	9 years
Carolyn Tíms	8 years
Paula Johnson	8 years
Gail Collins	7 years
Físher & Sue Adams	6 years
Lou Bost	6 years
Charles & Stella Acree	6 years
Nan Oestmann	5 years

NEW RESIDENT ORIENTATION

Join us Wednesday, April 26 2:00 pm Tour 2:30 pm Meeting Meet in the Atrium

We will take your picture for the "Wall of Neighbors"

For more information, Call IL Office to sign up 699-3469

If you were unable to attend in the past, please join us at one of our monthly meeting.

Margaret Aycock	5 years
Janell McWhorter	4 years
Jane Hicks	4 years
Freida Welch	4 years
Donald & Lana Alcorn	4 years
Walter & Marie Pate	2 years
Marílyn Ríchmond	2 years
Carolyn Harkríder	2 years
Jim & Patricia Parks	2 years
Ralph & Virginia Lang	2 years
Sammie Burnett	2 years
Connie Bentz	1 year
Arrena Gibson	1 year
Robert & Lisa Jimenez	1 year
Norma Rowland	1 year
Dewayne Freshour	1 year

Here's to many more years!

YELLOW PAGES

BEAUTY SALON SERVICES

Somewhere In Time Salon For men & women Variety of services offered. <u>Hours of Operation</u> **Tues - CLOSED Wed - 1 pm to 4 pm Thurs & Fri - 9 am to 4 pm** Please call (432)699-3405 and leave a message

FMH MEDICAL SERVICE AREA

Texas Tech Physicians Dr. Chau Minh Le Family and Geriatric Medicine Offering <u>home visits</u> for our Independent Living residents THURSDAYS 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. 432-349-8331

(Leave a message)

HANDY HELPER SERVICES

COMPUTER HANDYMAN SERVICES

Schedule a work order through the **Facilities Office** 697-9033

HANDY HOUSEKEEPER

Let us help with those home duties that are time consuming and difficult to accomplish. Specialty house services can be hired for a nominal fee so you can enjoy your retirement lifestyle. <u>To schedule your services:</u>

Housekeeping - 699-3433 OR LVillanueva@manorparkinc.org

HANDYMAN SERVICES

For example ... Hang pictures, assemble furniture, up-keep of patio and more.

Contact 697-9033

LAB SERVICES

Midland Health (MH) Lab- 432-221-2911

MH now provides services out of the FMH Medical Services office (across from the pantry). 7:00am to 7:30am *First and Third TUESDAY*

PANTRY SERVICES

Village Pantry postage stamps, detergent, snacks, milk, & more!

> Monday - Friday 10:30a - 3:30p 697-9010

PHARMACY

NEW Pharmacy Shop, prescriptions and over-thecounter (OTC) items will be delivered to your home until further notice.

Refills/OTC needed?

Call 432-523-4861. or place online at www.andrewsrxshop.com

Requests received <u>before</u> 11 am will be delivered to your home <u>after</u> 1pm Monday - Friday.

RESPITE SERVICES

Respite care available Intermittent rates 7a—7p. Daily (24hr) rates up to 2weeks. Offered 7 days a week.

> For more information Call 432-694-1691

TRANSPORTATION SERVICES

Medical Transport

Services are available for medical appointments in Midland and Odessa. Benefits include: -Reduce stress of parking space -Door to door service -Avoid busy traffic

Call 699-3474. Leave a voice message and someone will return your call

Include in your message:

Your name Your address Date & time of your appointment Name of your doctor

Staff assistance available \$20/hr

Valet

Monday thru Friday 8am - 4pm

For a roundtrip in the <u>Midland city</u> <u>limits</u> the rate is \$12. *If you have multiple stops, you will be charged an extra* \$5 per stop. For <u>MP staff assistance</u> (staying with Resident during the outing) the rate is \$20/hr.

To make arrangements contact the TRANSPORTATION Dept.

After-hours and Weekends \$25/hr min 2 hours

CALL- 699-3433 or EMAIL LVillanueva@manorparkinc.org

FACILITIES MANAGEMENT OFFICE HOURS 699-3427

Hours of Service: Monday - Friday 8 am to 5 pm Lunch 12:00 – 1:00 pm

** EMERGENCIES ** (water, electrical, heat or a/c) Call and speak to a staff member when you have an emergency during work day hours. For after-hours or weekends, Contact SECURITY 967-3898



Melina Rodriguez, IT Specialist for Manor Park can help set up e-mail, install anti-virus and software, hook up printers, and much more!

Call Facilities Mgmt to request pricing and services at 697-9033

WORXHUB WORK ORDER SYSTEM TRAINING

Friday, April 7 Ortloff Room at 2pm

There is no limit on the number of times you can take this training. Questions? Contact Debbie Hostas 699-3427



A NEW Senior Living Alert & Safety System

- 1. Please continue to use your current Aprotex pendant until further notice.
- 2. Do <u>not</u> cancel your home phone until we have completed testing the system and given notification. *Reminder: a landline serves as a backup when a cell phone is lost or not charged.*
- 3. We appreciate your patience with the testing of new and old equipment for our new alert and safety system.
- 4. The system does not contain any video or camera equipment.

Have you signed up for <u>WORXHUB</u>?

Here are a few tips to keep you using it.

TIPS for getting started:

- 1. Where do I find the website? Contact Debbie Hostas and she will email a new link to the website.
- 2. Have a NEW/DIFFERENT email address? Email hostas@manorparkinc.org to update your information.
- 3. Forgotten your password? Easy fix. Contact Debbie Hostas and she will help you create a new password.
- 4. Need an easy click ICON on your iphone, table, or computer-having an easy access ICON on the home screen or desktop of any device simplifies use.

Go to the web address in tip #1 on a tablet or iphone. Go down to the tool bar on the bottom and click on 🖒

After clicking on 🖞 Scroll down the list of options and chose "add to my home screen"

Here is what the ICON looks like for some devices





Unused or expired prescription medications are a public safety issue, leading to potential accidental poisoning, misuse, and overdose. Proper disposal - saves lives & - PROTECTS THE ENVIRONMENT

Permian Basin Regional Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse is hosting **National** DRUG TAKE BACK

Manor Park - Village South Saturday, April 22 10 am - 2pm

Bring all your unused and expired meds. Invite family and friends to participate by cleaning out their medication cabinets, too!

For questions, contact Sherice 699-3469





Join us as we make jewelry or coasters out of Scrabble game tiles.



Mon, Apríl 10 10 am and 2 pm Víllage South - Art Studío

Manor Park Choir

Do you enjoy singing? It is not too late to join fellow residents from around the campus for choir practice and performances in the future. <u>ALL</u> abilities welcomed!

Watch for practice dates and times in the weekly Monday emails.

Questions? Contact Audrey at 699-3480

GAME WINNERS

PHASE 10

3/06 Vanda Powers 3/2 Tie
Lorraine Calabria
Vanda Powers
3/10 Tie
Lorraine Calabria
Vanda Powers
3/13 Patsy Jones

Rummikub

BRIDGE

2/20 1st Carol Lester 2nd Ruth Martin

2/27 1st Ruth Martin 2nd Em Carnett

3/13 1st Mary Trux 2nd Janet Overton

MEXICAN TRAIN

No winners reported

MAH JONGG

2/14 Julie Kujawski

Jo Ann Cozart

2/18

Table 1Jo Ann CozartTable 2Rachel Criner

2/25

2/21 Charlotte Pierson **2/28** Julie Kujawski

3/07 Julie Kujawski

MANOR PARK BOOK CLUB

Meetings are the FIRST Thursday each month at 2 PM in the Ortloff Room.



APRIL

Come and join us on April 6th, at 2 P.M. in the Ortloffe Room of the Clubhouse for Manor Park Book Club. We will be reviewing "*The Paris Library*" by Janet Charles.

"A love letter to Paris, the power of books and intergenerational friendship" (*Booklist*), *The Paris Library* shows that extraordinary heroism can be found in the quietest places. A tantalizing read, this book will delve into the love of reading and books.

Looking Ahead ...

In May, we will meet to discuss "*The Cellist*" by Daniel Silva. In June, we will have an exciting surprise!

We had two new members last month and hope <u>you</u> will join us as we grow. Hope to see new faces on April 6th! Questions? Call Frances Wheat at 432) 695-4421.

HELPFUL EVENT INFORMATION

Events printed in **BOLD** on the calendar usually include a combination of a meal, a ticket, or transportation. Residents are asked to signup so we have a head count. This helps staff plan enough food, staff, and/or buses.

Life happens - if you signed up for an event and are unable to attend, it is important to notify: <u>Resident Services</u> - 699-3426

24 hr. advance notice required to avoid being charged the cancellation fee on the billing statement:

\$ 7.00 for <u>on</u> campus events \$10.00 for <u>off</u> campus events

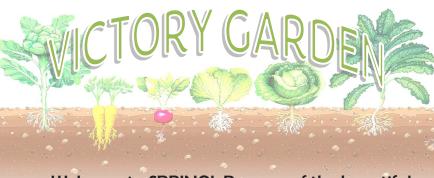
Talks of the **TOWN** Igniting conversation

PERMIAN BASIN MASTER GARDENERS

Will be teaching us about plant selection, watering suggestions, and other tips on caring.

Join us Friday, April 21st 2 pm at Village South

The first step to beautiful flowers in pots, baskets, or your yard is choosing plants that will thrive in Midland's climate and your space.



Welcome to SPRING! Because of the beautiful spring weather and the warmer temperatures, the onions have come out of dormancy and are beginning to green up and grow. Remember that we want all the onions to reach maturity, so please do not harvest the green onions. The roses are also leafing out and are already producing little buds!

We are planning on planting the majority of the spring garden somewhere around Easter weekend. My grandmother always told me to "never plant before Good Friday"!

If you are interested in helping with the garden, please contact Barbara Stooksberry (432-294-0472) so you can be put on the email/text list in order to receive announcements.

RESIDENTS INQUIRE





Honor Our Veterans Event

to thank and remember residents , family members and staff who have served in the armed forces.

A exhibit of Manor Park Veterans will be on display in the Atrium starting May 19th.

If you would like to have your picture displayed, bring your picture to **Nicole <u>OR</u> Lora**. Please, include a written account of your service history.

A copy will be made and the original picture returned.



Manor Park Authors Book Signing Event

Our community has some very accomplished people. We have several residents who have written and published books.

Come visit our local authors Friday, April 28th from 11am to 12:30pm in the Library and Living room.

Our Authors will be available to talk about the inspiration behind their books and have their books available for purchase.

April



Wellness Center



Celebrate EARTH DAY Come be part of the Great American Clean-up!

Manor Park Wellness enter and TX Tech PA Students will join forces to **Keep Midland Beautiful**

When: Saturday, April 22. 10am-12 noon

Where: 5000 Andrews Hwy (down from Chick-fil-a)

Reminder: Wear thick soled shoes Yardwork gloves. Sun protection Dress in layers.

Please sign up in the Atrium.



Member Spotlight Lets give a big THANK YOU to Frank & Jane Vitrano.

The Vitranos donated a new piece of equipment to the Wellness Center called a Biodex Upper Body Cycle. It offers cardio, upper body, and core benefits. Come check it out at the Wellness Center during the

> Open House Tuesday, April 4th 10 am—11am

Healthy Living Lecture Melodi Reams OTA Thursday, April 13th at 2pm in the Left Activity Room

Topic: Anxiety This is a common concern among older adults. Approximately 10-20% of this population are affected. It is the #1 mental health concern for women and the 2nd most common concern for men. This month, we will discuss types of anxiety, causes of the illness, signs and symptoms and how to get help. Additionally, we will discuss the types of treatment for anxiety and how rehab can help.

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
3 Walking Gp 8:30AM Fit Mix 10AM Tai Chi 4PM	4 Yoga 8:30AM WC Open House 10AM Balance Class 1:00PM	5 Walking Gp. 8:30AM Fit Mix 10AM Line Dancing 2PM Tai Chi 4PM	6 Yoga 8:30AM Balance Class 1:00PM	7 Walking Gp 8:30 AM Fit Mix 10AM
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17 Walking Gp. 8:30AM Fit Mix 10AM Tai Chi 4PM	18 Yoga 8:30AM Balance Class 1:00PM	19 Walking Gp 8:30AM Fit Mix 10AM Line Dancing 2PM Tai Chi 4PM	20 Yoga 8:30AM <u>NO BALANCE</u> <u>CLASS</u>	21 Walking Gp 8:30AM Fit Mix 10AM
24 Walking Gp. 8:30AM Fit Mix 10AM Tai Chi 4PM	25 Yoga 8:30AM Balance Class 1:00PM	26 Walking Gp 8:30AM Fit Mix 10AM Line Dancing 2PM Tai Chi 4PM	27 Yoga 8:30AM Balance Class 1:00PM	28 Walking Gp 8:30AM Fit Mix 10AM



JOIN US as we travel to Sweetwater TX Saturday, April 29th Bus leaves at 8:00 am

There will be a Fly-In and show, speakers, authors, food trucks, meet the pilots, re-enactors, tour of the museum, view replica WWI & WWII model planes, and you can enjoy a glass of wine from Hidden Hanger Winery.

EARTH DAY

Manor Park Wellness Center and TX Tech PA Students will join forces to Keep Midland Beautiful Saturday, April 22 5000 Andrews Hwy. 10am-12noon Bus will leave from the Wallace Bldg. SIGN UP! <u>Be prepared:</u> Wear thick soled shoes yardwork gloves Sun protection may be needed. Dress in layers.

Abundant Blooms!

Our campus flowerbeds are starting to bloom! Take a stroll and enjoy the view. **Thank you** to the WTX Iris Society for their hand in caring for our iris gardens.

See the insert for upcoming events.





PERMIAN BASIN GIVES DAY 2023

Thanks to 33 generous donors, Permian Basin Gives Day raised \$15,430! We are grateful for friends who supported Manor Park on this special day! SPECIAL THANKS again to Val and Jeff Sparks for the \$5,000 challenge match!

I am always happy to answer questions or visit with you about a gift to Manor Park.

Amanda Ellis 699-3424 - aellis@manorparkinc.org



- Pick-up and discard appropriately your dogs poop no matter whether it lands in the home, another yard, or the doggy park.
- Request spot clean (housekeeping) or full carpet clean (maintenance) when accidents happen and odors build.
- Be courteous to neighbors and control incessant noise, no matter what time of day or night.
- Keep dogs on a leash when outside the home, in the MP buildings, and when
- coming and leaving the dog park.
- Maintain freedom from disease with yearly examinations and vaccinations.
- Keep vaccination records handy should they be requested.

<u>Memorials and Honorariums</u>

In Memory of Betty VanWie

Debbie & Jim Ramsey Melendy Lovett Sharon & David Marcum Tammy & Bill Smith

In Memory of Marilynn Philpy Patty & Tevis Herd

In Memory of Alice Park Leslie Park

In Memory of Joseph Belden Leann & Hal Brenner Dixie & Jerry Hertel Jane & Frank Vitrano

In Memory of Genie Bailey Virginia Long

In Memory of Richard Jensen Frances Wheat

In Memory of Colleen Michael Lucy Thummel

In Memory of L.B. Taylor In Memory of Janet Blount Ima Joy Alexander

In Memory of Mary Showalter Martha Farris

In Memory of LaNell Honeyman

Ann Curtis Millie Stobart Sandy & Mike Tisdale Chris & Fred Newman Kay & Steve Castle Roberta Solorio

In Memory of James Kennedy In Memory of LaRue Whisenhunt Barbara & Ronny Stooksberry

In Memory of Don Craig In Memory of Mary Showalter In Memory of L.B. Taylor In Memory of Vera Zachry In Memory of Doris Hicks In Memory of Sarah Hardwick In Memory of Snooky Howard Ann Curtis

In Memory of Cynthia Freshour Dr. & Mrs. Charles Younger

In Honor of Nicole Church & Lora Frailey Margaret Aycock

> In Honor of Margie Fleming Debbie Gainer

Matching Gift

If your company has a matching gift program, please notify the Development Office at 699-3424. your contribution can be matched.

Secure online donations may be made at www.manorparkinc.org.



When you wish to honor a friend or loved one with a memorial gift, please consider making Manor Park, Inc. the beneficiary of your contribution. The gifts received from memorials and honorariums are a fitting tribate because they are used to enhance the lives of our residents.