July, 2015

Housing Partners of Western Nebraska

SENIOR MOVIE

We are at it again!! Another great event for our senior residents!! We will be hosting a movie matinee on Friday, July 24th, at 1:00PM. This event will be held at the Carpenter Center at 116 Terry Blvd. Bus service will be available. Please come in to enjoy a wonderful movie with great company! Please call (308) 632-0473 by Thursday, July 23rd to RSVP. We hope to see you all there!!



Public Housing Fireworks

- ⇒ We ask that everyone pick up after themselves immediately. If this is not done, we will have to clean up and everyone will be charged for our work.
- ⇒ Be sure to keep a bucket of water close by, in case of an accidental fire.
- ⇒ Please do not set off fireworks after 10:00 P.M.

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Quote of the Month:

"The hum of bees is the voice of the garden."

- Elizabeth





Festival of Hope!!

This year we at the Housing Partners had a booth at the Festival of Hope fundraising event in Mitchell. This organization help families battling cancer with financial struggles they may have during this difficult time. ALL proceeds stay here in our community helping local families. Misty and Jen were honored to be a part of this great event, and are already looking forward to next year!!



Public Housing employee Misty is all smiles at our booth!



A work in progress!



A look at our finished table top!



Misty hard at work making our booth look great!!



Receptionist Jen and her daughter having a great time at the booth!!



Another view of our awesome table!!



Our amazing gift basket we raffled away!! It contained over \$600.00 worth of goodies! All sales were donated back to the Festival of Hope!!



Senior Picnic to Monument and Chimney Rock!!



Our senior residents had a great time on our picnic! We went to Chimney Rock and the Scottsbluff National Monument. A great day, great weather, great food, and excellent company!!



Carpenter Center Lunch Menu

July2-roast beef

July 7-breakfast casserole

July9-roast pork

July14-chicken cordon bleu

July 16-cheesberger

July21-taco salad

July 23-roast chicken

July28-cooks choice

July 30-roast turkey

Cost: 60 and up-\$5.00 59 and under-\$6.00 Public Housing Residents qualify for the \$3 United Way meal Please RSVP by

2PM the day before by callling (308) 635-8422



Summer Library Schedule!!

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Week 5	*Children's Events in Green Preschool-6th grade	*Teen Events in Red 7th-12th Grade	1	2	3	4 Library is Closed
5 Week 6	6	7	8 Family Movie Day: Sky High (door prize drawing, pop- corn provided)	⁹ Orego	on Trail D	ays
12 Week 7	13	14	15 Heroes in Our Community 1:30- 2:30	16	17 Villains Workshop 1:30- 2:30	18
19 Week 8	20	21 Wrap Up Party @ the Midwest: Indiana Bones 7-8:30 pm	22	23	24	25 Last day to re- deem prizes!
26	27	28	29	30	31	*Family Events in Black

Family movie day: Spectacular Sidekicks! Wednesday, July 8, 1:30 PM

—Bring your own drinks and we'll supply the popcorn for the showing of the movie, *Sky High* in the library Community Room. A drawing for a door prize will be held.

Heroes In Our Community Wednesday, July 15, 1:30-2:30 PM

—Celebrate local heroes such as our firefighters and police, as well as many others. Participate in crafts and activities at each station.

Wrap-Up Party: Indiana Bones Tuesday, July 21, 7-8:30 PM

—Come see this "Keeper of Legends" present "Heroes! Past, Present & Fu-

From the Executive Director's Desk -Nancy Bentley

**Thanks to the Resident Council for alerting me to the fact that our maintenance staff were not leaving the door hangers to let residents know what work they had done in their units. I re-enforced with all maintenance and TQM staff that the door hangers were an important notification for our residents to know that maintenance had been in their unit and what work was completed. We also talked about respect, being friendly and leaving apartments in the condition they found them. Their next meeting is July 21st at 2 PM in the Community Room at 89A Woodley Park Road, Gering.

If you have <u>any</u> concerns please bring those to my attention!! You can always reach me at 308-632-0473 or leave me a message. I always return my calls!!

The Housing Bus is getting a new "Wrap"- we'd love to have you ride on our float or in our bus on Saturday, July 11th in the big Oregon Trail Days Parade. Give us a call by noon on June 8th to confirm you would be interested in riding on the float or in the bus. We'll finish up with roast turkey sandwiches & salads in the Community Room. Definitely only room for the first 25 riders to sign up for the bus! **Call 308-632-0473 today to reserve your spot!**

Morrill Community Room Open House – July 17

We will be having a gathering at noon on July 17th to celebrate the remodel of our Morrill Community Room. The address is 326 W Charles in Morrill. We will be serving free barbecue. Bus service will be available to those who need it. Please call (308) 632-0473 by 07/16/15 to let us know if you will be needing the bus. This will be a fun, exciting event and we hope to see you there!!

Please help us celebrate our **50th Anniversary** of serving the housing needs of our community by joining us for our "Business After Hours" picnic July 30th. In the past 50 years, we have assisted over 33,600 families with their housing needs in our Voucher and Public Housing Programs. We will be serving hamburgers and hot dogs from 5-6:30 PM. Please call 308-632-00473 no later than **July 24th** to let Jenny know if you are coming and how many!! Bus service will be available. We will have **door prizes!** We'll be burying our time capsule at 7 PM at 89A Woodley Park Road, Gering, NE

GIVE US A CALL TODAY TO BE PART OF THE CELEBRATION!!!

Have a Happy and Safe Summer!! *Nancy*

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Rubber duck dash OT Days parade Fourth of July Sat = <u>∞</u> 25 Senior movie matinee Room Open House Morrill Community OFFICE CLOSED OT Days kiddie parade <u>.</u> 9 24 OT Days Thu <u>9</u> 23 Colson Manor birthday party 5PM **RENT DUE** Wed 2 22 Resident Council 2PM Board meeting 12PM Public Housing Emergency Phone Number **T**ne 4 7 (308) 765-8707 ω <u>~</u> 20 9 Sun 7 <u>6</u>

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