January Birthdays!

Aidylberg
1/30 Arlaine De Lancey A I

Hillside Village
01/18 Steve Soriano HVI
01/26 David Brouillette HVI

Woodside Village
01/09 Lynn Thorp WV II
01/20 Millie Scott WV III
Isn’t it great that the days are starting to get longer; and as I am sitting here writing this article there are only 93 days until spring.

When using the washing machines; especially the front loaders, it is very important to the correct amount of soap. More is not better, all the new washers are high efficiency with low water usage and may not be able to rinse all the excess soap out of your clothes. This will leave them feeling very stiff and starchy.

Also when you are doing a load of laundry, please let the washing machine run through the complete cycle. If the light is still on the machine has not had an opportunity to finish the cycle. Even if the agitator is not moving; but the light is on the machine has not finished it’s cycle. Please let it continue to run.

While we are on the topic of water usage, the island has a single source aquifer that we must protect. When we are replacing our faucets and toilets we are always using low water use toilets and low flow faucets.

So what do you think Packer vs. Patriots in Superbowl LVI ??

Let us hope for a safe and prosperous new year

Greg Monka
Maintenance Director
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Happy New Year!

The next Wellness Clinic will be Tuesday Jan 4, 2022 at 2:30 pm in the Woodside Village 1 Community Room. Come get your blood pressure tested and maybe learn important health information from our community nurse.

Electronics help with Oak Bluffs Library staff will continue through the winter months. To schedule your one-on-one session, call the Property Management office and we can help.

We now have GoGo Grandparent Transportation program applications in the office. These forms are easy to fill out. Once they are completed, we can email to Cindy Trish at Healthy Aging of MVCS. Stop by or call the office for more information.

Mobile Market is every Thursday 10:30-11:30am at Woodside Village 1 community room. At the same time is the Mobile Library. So come by and get fresh vegetables and maybe a new read. Books are free of charge and there is no need to return when you are finished. You can also bring books as donations if you would like to make more room in your personal library.

The Chillmark School is starting a pen pal program with their students. Please let us know if you are interested in joining this fun activity which will help the young people with their writing and social skills.

Free Covid self-tests are now available at the Property Management office. Any requests for the tests will remain confidential to protect your privacy. You can also pick one up at the Island Food Pantry, the Oak Bluffs Council on Aging, or call the Oak Bluffs Board of Health at (508) 693-3554.

Please remember to close windows during the winter months if you happen to open them for a bit of air during the day. Energy conservation is important here at IEH.

During this time of year, residents may notice an increase in telephone scams. Report scams by calling the Consumer Response Center 877-382-4357. Remember not to give out personal information such as Social Security Number or Credit Card information. If you are unsure if it’s a scam, hang up and report the call. If you are tech savvy—AARP online has a great Fraud Watch Network that will keep you up-to-date on scams and more suggestions for what to do. If you would like help accessing this resource, call us and we can show you on the resident computer at Woodside Village 1.

"Cheers to a new year and another chance for us to get it right."
- Oprah Winfrey.
Thank you to Martha’s Vineyard Community Services for the grant from their Driving the Future Fund to provide accessibility improvements at the Woodside Village Community Garden.
Woodside Residents Association

The Woodside Residents Association Officers are meeting with IEH Staff every other week on Wednesdays. If you have ideas, suggestions or concerns please let them know before the meeting and they will bring it to the IEH Staff. The Officers are as follows: President—Josephine Tucker 508-687-9901, Suzanne Walker, Vice President 508-693-1389 and Secretary Glenda Cataloni—508-693-5127

Hillside Village Residents Association

Hillside Village Residents Association will continue to meet on the 1st Thursday of the month at the Hillside Village 1 community Room from 10:00—11:00. President, Annette Moreis and Secretary, Linda Kurth

Aidylberg Residents Association

Aidylberg Association are meeting regularly. If you have concerns or ideas, please contact Joseph Scanlon, President or Mary Jane Burgoyne, Secretary / clerk

Need a Notary? Paula Driscoll, Woodside Village I, is available ....503-351-1997
Happy New Year!

Want to add something?

Please call Linda Amaral at 508-693-5880 X13 or email: bookkeeper@iehmv.org before the 20th of the month to add your event to the next month’s issue.

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