

FRIENDSHIP MANOR NEWSLETTER

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A Howling Halloween Party

UCSB Students Turn Out Big Time, As Do Residents

An amazing party happened at the Manor Monday night, December 31, as Residents and UCSB students alike dressed up, danced like there was no tomorrow, and ate lots of cake and ice cream. The Ronnelles played great dance music.

This year's costume contest was fierce, and the top three winners were very clever and fun: they were Imke Bomer, Carol De Bruin and Mary Dugan. They each got a \$10 cash prize. The Guess The Weight Of The Great Pumpkin contest was won by Cheryl Johnson who guessed closest to the actual weight of 103 lbs, 2 oz and won \$10 cash also. Congratulations to the winners.



TURN BACK YOUR CLOCKS!!

It's time to say adieu to Daylight Savings Time very soon, so remember to turn your clocks back one hour so you won't miss breakfast and other events on your calendar.

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 6

November Highlights

November 4

Katie & Brian – Jamison Hall

November 5

Ice Cream Social

November 6

Daylight Savings Ends 2am

November 11

Roger Thornhill – Jamison Hall

November 13

Hot Dog BBQ – B Lounge

November 16

Alice Gerety Plays During Dinner

November 18

Music From UCSB – Jamison Hall

November 19

“Thankful for Cookies”

November 20

Pastries & Photos – E Lounge

November 24

Thanksgiving – Feast for Dinner!

November 26

Pizza Party

November 27

Sara Juno Jewelry Exhibit

November 27

\$200 Bingo – Dining Room

HALLOWEEN PARTY PIX





RESIDENT RESOURCE COMMITTEE UPDATE

The newly formed Resident Resource Committee (Betty Chackel, Chair) meets 11:00-11:30am every Friday in the E Lounge. Everyone is welcome to attend and get involved in making Manor living even better.

Mildred Kern is looking for people interested in creating a Knitting Group and/or Arts & Crafts Group (especially around the holidays). Call her if you're interested at 805/845-8606.

Remember to check out the Bulletin Board in the B Lounge for needs, services, and buying or selling requests from Residents. This is Residents' method of communicating with each other. Just put a note in Betty's mailbox (B105) and she will post it for you.



Betty Chackel

EMPLOYEE APPRECIATION TIME

It’s at this time of year that the Residents of Friendship Manor express their appreciation for everything the dedicated staff does all year to make our life so nice. Yes, it’s **Employee Appreciation** time at the Manor.

Friendship Manor is a registered non-profit organization, and the people who are attracted to such organizations are those who want to be of service, they don’t work here to get rich. Our Staff has for the most part been with the Manor for years, which speaks to their dedication in wanting to assist our retired Residents to have as good a life as possible.

Residents of Friendship Manor are fortunate to have such a dedicated staff working tirelessly all year long to keep the facilities ship-shape, serve umpteen meals a month and keep all the rooms filled to make rent as affordable as possible. We have a full calendar of live entertainment, movies and special events. Plus, the staff in maintenance, administration and security work tirelessly to do their best keeping over 210 people happy, no small feat.

Once a year, Residents have the opportunity to say “Thank You,” by generously opening their wallets and purses.

How can you participate? Starting soon, put your cash or checks in the decorated box on the slant board in the lobby next to Reception. **If you are writing a check, please make it payable to: “VSS/RSC”** as that’s the official name for the RSC at the bank.

Any amount, large or small, helps make the holiday season that much better for our wonderful staff, so please give generously and help us make this **Employee Appreciation Fund** raiser the best ever!

November Birthdays

- 11/2 John Stanton
- 11/2 Florence Almcrantz
- 11/3 Gil Aguilera
- 11/4 Lorena Stoddard
- 11/4 Thomas Rook
- 11/10 Ron Rakow
- 11/11 Lucy Najjar
- 11/12 Martin Kellogg
- 11/17 Dorothy Nelson
- 11/23 Paul Jacob
- 11/23 Joan Harkness
- 11/27 Paul Munter
- 11/29 Bob Macgruder
- 11/30 Arden Rose

