



Rockford HAPPENINGS

DECEMBER

Letter from the Director

Happy December to all!!

I know in the past this branch was accepting cash for meals, however, please know, per Beckford's policy, we cannot do this. Due to this if you are paying for meals please write a check to Bickford Senior Living of Rockford as cash will not be accepted.

To ensure monthly payment is being received at the corporate office by the due date of the 10th of the month please use the pre-addressed enveloped provided with your monthly statement and send it directly to the corporate office.

From all the BFM's at Bickford Senior Living of Rockford we would like to say thank you for being a part of our family here at Bickford Senior Living. We wish you all a very Merry Christmas, and a Happy New Year.

Danielle Nelson
Director



Resident Spotlight: Bob Wartman

Bob Wartman was born in Ashland, Wisconsin on October 31, 1961. He has three brothers and one sister. His oldest brother Mike still lives in Ashland practicing law. The second oldest is Tim who works in Chicago for Allegiant Credit Union. Bob, who is the middle child, had many jobs. Back in high school he started working at Kentucky Fried Chicken. After getting a 2 year associates degree from UW Superior in business, he moved to Minneapolis and later the Chicago area. He worked as a manager for KFC, SNAP on Tools, and as a security guard. Eventually Bob settled in Madison, Wisconsin at the Wisconsin State Lottery. He was married for 15 years and has a son named Brett. The lottery was the most interesting job for Bob

as he enjoyed traveling throughout the Wisconsin area. Later he took a job with the Wisconsin Department of Revenue where he helped people get out of debt and solved many of their financial problems. His younger brother John lives in Milwaukee, WI. Bob also lived in Milwaukee for about 2 years. His youngest sibling is Connie. She lives in Rockford and is a teacher at the new Cherry Valley School. Growing up in a big family Bob loved all sports such as skiing, boating, golfing, football, wrestling, baseball, swimming, and bowling. Bob was known for being one of the strongest on the track team as he could throw the shot put disc farther than anyone in the Ashland area. He also was one of the better golfers around. Bob is someone who brings a smile to all our faces here at Bickford Senior Living.



Events to attend in December:

Lunch Trip at Stockholm Inn:

- Wednesday, December 5
- 11:30pm - 1:30pm

Bickford Bell Choir Concert:

- Tuesday, December 11
- 10:00am

Family Christmas Dinner:

- Monday, December 17
- 5:00pm
- Cost for Dinner is \$10 by check
- RSVP's due by December 10th by 4:00pm

Birthday Party & Pictures with Santa:

- Wednesday, December 19
- 2:00pm



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<p>10:35 Catholic Communion 2:00 Chapel Service</p> <p>30</p>	<p>9:15 Exercise 10:15 Current Events & Discussion 1:30 Bickford Store 3:00 2018 Year End Trivia</p> <p>31</p>					<p>2:00 Bingo</p> <p>4:15 Kiwanis Club performs in dining room</p> <p>1</p>
<p>10:35 Catholic Communion 2:00 Chapel Service</p> <p>2</p>	<p>9:15 Exercise 10:15 Current Events & Discussion 1:30 Bickford Store 3:00 Drum Circle</p> <p>3</p>	<p>9:15 Stretch Session 10:15 Poker Games 1:30 Catholic Mass 2:00 Pinochle 3:15 Bell Choir</p> <p>4</p>	<p>9:15 Exercise 10:15 Scrabble 11:30 Trip to Lunch at the Stockholm Inn 6:00 Bingo</p> <p>5</p>	<p>9:15 Chair Yoga 10:30 Bible Study 1:00 Trip to see real Reindeer at Summerfileld Zoo 3:00 Music Therapy</p> <p>6</p>	<p>9:15 Exercise 10:15 Christmas Craft 2:00 Pearl Harbor Day Celebration 6:30 Trip to the Festival of lights</p> <p>7</p>	<p>Anytime</p> <p>Garden level fun: Billiards Fuse ball Table Tennis Air Hockey</p> <p>2:00 Bingo</p> <p>8</p>
<p>9:05 Catholic Communion 2:00 Chapel Service</p> <p>9</p>	<p>9:15 Exercise 10:30 VietNam2Now party 1:30 Bickford Store 3:00 Chair/Balloon Volleyball</p> <p>10</p>	<p>9:15 Stretch Session 10:00 Bell Choir Concert 2:00 Pinochle</p> <p>11</p>	<p>9:15 Exercise 10:15 Coffee Hour 1:00 Trip: Rockford Public Library & Kate's Pie Shop Cafe 6:00 Bingo</p> <p>12</p>	<p>9:15 Chair Yoga 10:30 Bible Study 10:30 Bickford Store 2:00 Wii Bowling</p> <p>13</p>	<p>9:15 Exercise 10:15 Scrabble 1:30 Friday Movie Matinee with candy popcorn & soda Movie: A Christmas Carol</p> <p>14</p>	<p>1:30 Bingo</p> <p>2:45 Harlem High School Acapella Group performance</p> <p>15</p>
<p>9:05 Catholic Communion 2:00 Chapel Service</p> <p>16</p>	<p>9:15 Exercise 10:15 Current Events & Discussion 1:30 Bickford Store 3:00 Drum Circle 5:00 Famiy Christmas Dinner</p> <p>17</p>	<p>9:15 Stretch Session 10:15 Poker Games 2:00 Walgreens free BP screening 2:00 Pinochle</p> <p>18</p>	<p>9:15 Exercise 10:15 Scrabble 2:00 Birthday Party & Pictures with Santa 6:00 Bingo</p> <p>19</p>	<p>9:15 Chair Yoga 10:30 Bible Study 10:30 Bickford Store 1:30 Christmas Carol Sing-A-Long 2:45 Uno 3:00 Music Therapy</p> <p>20</p>	<p>9:15 Exercise 10:15 Our own Christmas traditions throughout the years 2:00 Happy Hour: Hot Chocolate and Christmas Cookies</p> <p>21</p>	<p>Anytime</p> <p>Garden level fun: Billiards Fuse ball Table Tennis Air Hockey</p> <p>2:00 Bingo</p> <p>22</p>
<p>9:05 Catholic Communion 2:00 Chapel Service</p> <p>23</p>	<p>9:15 Exercise 10:15 Current Events & Discussion 1:30 Bickford Store</p> <p>24</p>	<p>Christmas Day 9:00 Christmas Day Parade on ABC! 2:00 Christmas Move Movie: Jingle All The Way</p> <p>25</p>	<p>9:15 Exercise 10:15 Coffee Hour Trip: AMC Showplace 16 Movie 6:00 Bingo</p> <p>26</p>	<p>9:15 Chair Yoga 10:30 Bible Study 10:30 Bickford Store 2:00 Resident/Food Council Meeting</p> <p>27</p>	<p>9:15 Exercise 10:15 Scrabble 1:30 Friday Movie Matinee with candy popcorn & soda Movie: Miracle on 34th Street</p> <p>28</p>	<p>Anytime</p> <p>Garden level fun: Billiards Fuse ball Table Tennis Air Hockey</p> <p>2:00 Bingo</p> <p>29</p>

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