

Welcome Our New Shuttle

Driver: Asim Arbab



Please say hello to our new Shuttle Driver, Asim! Asim will be driving the shuttle mainly on Sundays and Mondays. He moved to Brandon from Dauphin five years ago. He holds a Class 1 license and has experience driving semi and taxi.

Upcoming Presentations

Monday, February 5 - 10:30 a.m.

ERIK Presentation with Jody



ERIK is an Emergency Response Information Kit that provides the necessary information for medical personnel to respond quickly in an

emergency. Rotary Villas recommends you keep an up-to-date ERIK on top of your fridge for cases of emergency. ERIKs are available from Tanis, the Leasing Coordinator.

Save the Date!

Town Hall

Tuesday, March 5

2:00 p.m.

Town Hall is an opportunity to use your voice and managers to provide departmental updates. We're trying something new for next Town Hall. Questions, compliments and concerns must be pre-submitted using the new Town Hall Comment Form. Forms will be available at the Front Desk on February 20. Please return to the Front Desk by February 27. Only submitted questions and comments will be addressed at Town Hall.



Culinary Updates

- Baked potato was not well received from the off-menu list, so we are bringing the mashed potatoes back. If you would like mashed potatoes instead of what's offered on the menu at supper, ask your server.
- Diabetic cake options are now available for dessert. Cakes include lemon mousse, cherry, and blackforest. Check with your server daily to find out which one is available.



Chinese New Year
Year of the Dragon
February 10, 2024

Stay tuned for a special menu!

Valentine's Day Menu February 14



Prime Rib with Au Jus
Twice Baked Potato
Prince Edward Island
Vegetables with Honey Dill
Sauce
Yorkshire Pudding

Horseradish available on request.



Chocolate Truffle Cake



A Message from the Wellness Department

Rotary Villas Community Outreach Program is alive and well! Congratulations to the 1/2 Hour Hat ladies on the success and "fame" we've had in the last few weeks. We were on Global News, CBC Noon Show and were part of an ACC student's media project! I call that a WIN for the good guys!

Did you know our outreach is much more than just hats? We have many projects that help the Brandon community in various ways. In keeping on the subject of Samaritan House, we package bar soap, toilet paper, and garbage bags for them to include in the baskets they hand out to those in need. Many of our residents hand knit items such as mitts, scarves, and dish clothes to be given out. We have collected food for their food bank and donated 50/50 proceeds.

We also help the Brandon Humane Society by folding newspapers on a regular basis for them to use in cleaning the animal kennels. We have also collected 50/50 proceeds for them and in the past we have had residents help at their annual garage sale fundraiser. Some of the other 50/50 recipients include: Paws Crossed Animal Shelter, Poppy Fund, Salvation Army, Volt Hockey, the Women's Shelter, Brandon Bear Clan, Bee City Brandon, Terry Fox Foundation, Neelin High School Life Skills Music Program, and Westman Hospice to name a few.

This past Christmas we sponsored a family for Christmas Cheer. We had an overwhelming response to this project and will certainly do it again this year! On a yearly basis, we have the pleasure of wintering the Daly House Museum Succulent garden. This helps the museum and is always a pleasure to look at here in Rotary Villas.

Great job everyone!

Joyce Scantlebury
Wellness Coordinator

The Retirement Lifestyle You Deserve

February 2024

Welcome HOME!

The Leasing Department has been busy getting ready for our two newest residents. February 3 we have Cam Fordyce joining us on the first floor, and then Enid Lawrence on Feb 22 on the second floor. I know these fine folks have friends living here and are excited to start the next chapter at Rotary Villas. Please be sure to extend a warm welcome when you see them out and about.

I will be available at my coffee time which is every second Thursday at 10:00 to answer questions regarding the new building, or anything else that you would like to address. Stay safe and enjoy the beautiful weather and here's to hoping it stays!

Tanis Low

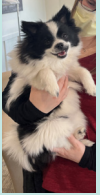
Leasing Coordinator



ROTARY VILLAS
AT CROCUS GARDENS



FEBRUARY 2024 RECREATION CALENDAR

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p>Brandon Embroiderers will be here in the Library at 1:30 p.m. on Wednesday: February 7 & 21</p>	<p>GeiMoment Nails will be offered in the Library starting at 9:00 a.m. on Wednesday: February 14 & 28</p>	<p>Lions TV Bingo is every Wednesday at 3:00 p.m. Cards are sold at the Front Desk for \$3 each.</p>	<p>Visit with Tiffany every Thursday at 1 p.m. in the Common Room!</p> 	<p>1</p> <p>9:30 Drumming to be Fit - M 10:00 Coffee with Tanis - C 2:00 Bingo - DR 3:00 Tiny World - M 7:15 Axe Throw - M</p>	<p>2</p> <p>GROUNDHOG DAY! 9:30 Stretching - M 10:00 Coffee with Lisa - C 1:00-4:00 Massage Therapy - M 1:45 Sit & Be Fit - C 2:30 Ice Cream Treats- DR 7:30 Cribbage - PDR</p>	<p>3</p> <p>10:00 Help Your Neighbour Dice Game - M 2:00 Entertainment by Keith & Gary - C</p>
<p>4</p> <p>8:30 Church Shuttle - SB 2:00 Rotary Villas Book Club - L 7:30 Youth Choir - C</p>	<p>5</p> <p>9:30 Chair Dancing - M 10:00 Coffee with Shradha - C 10:30 ERIK Info. Session - M 2:00 Shuffleboard - BL 7:15 Trivia Night - C</p>	<p>6</p> <p>9:30 Chair Yoga - M 10:00 Coffee with Joyce - C 2:00 Resident Council Meeting - M 3:30 Rotary Happy Hour - B 7:30 Jacob Chiang on Piano - C</p>	<p>7</p> <p>9:30 Stretching - M 10:00 Coffee with Trish - C 12:00 50/50 Draw 2:00 Scarf Sit & Be Fit - M 3:00 Sing-a-long - C 7:30 Whist - PDR</p>	<p>8</p> <p>9:00 Mobile Foot Nurse - M 10:00 Coffee with Cory - C 2:00 Bingo - DR 3:00 Computer Jeopardy - M 7:15 Fence Jewelry Craft - M</p>	<p>9</p> <p>9:30 Stretching - M 10:00 Coffee with Trish - C 1:45 Sit & Be Fit - M 2:30 Ice Cream Sundaes - DR 7:30 Cribbage - PDR</p>	<p>10</p> <p>10:00 Project Humane Society - M 2:00 Bean Bags Toss - M</p>
<p>11</p> <p>8:30 Church Shuttle - SB 2:30 Worship & Devotional Church Service - C</p>	<p>12</p> <p>9:30 Chair Dancing - M 10:00 Coffee with Lisa - C 10:00 Come & Go Video: Lucille Ball - M 2:00 Last Shuffleboard - BL 7:15 Charades - C</p>	<p>13</p> <p>9:30 Tai Chi - M 10:00 Coffee with Jody - C 10:00 Come & Go Video: Jerry Lewis - M 10:30 Garden Club - S 2:00 Balloon Paint & Wine Afternoon - M 3:30 Rotary Happy Hour - B 7:15 Word in a Word - C</p>	<p>14</p> <p>9:30 Stretching - M 10:00 Coffee with Trish 10:00 Come & Go Video: Carol Burnett - M 12:00 50/50 Draw 1:15 Half Hour Hats - S 2:00 Valentine Birthday Party with Prairie Fire - DR 3:00 Sing-a-long - C 7:30 Whist - PDR</p>	<p>15</p> <p>9:30 Drumming to be Fit - M 10:00 Coffee with Tanis - C 10:00 Come & Go Video: Bob Hope - M 10:30 Samaritan House Project - M 2:00 Bingo - DR 2:00 St. Matthew's Communion - PDR 7:00 Bring Your Own Project- C</p>	<p>16</p> <p>9:30 Stretching - M 10:00 Coffee with Trish - C 10:00 Come & Go Video: Betty White - M 1:45 Sit & Be Fit - M 2:30 Ice Cream Floats - DR 7:30 Cribbage - PDR</p>	<p>17</p> <p>9:30 Mandala Coloring - M 10:15 Come & Go Video: Red Skelton - M 2:00 Floor Curling - M</p>
<p>18</p> <p>8:30 Church Shuttle - SB 10:00 Prairie Therapy Dogs - C 2:00 Movie Matinee: Notting Hill (Starring Julia Roberts & Hugh Grant) - M</p>	<p>19</p> <p>LOUIS RIEL DAY</p>	<p>20</p> <p>9:30 Chair Yoga - M 10:00 Coffee with Joyce - C 2:00 Resident Meet & Greet - DR 3:30 Rotary Happy Hour with Mocktails & Snacks- B 7:15 Surprise Evening with the Girl Guides - M</p>	<p>21</p> <p>9:30 Stretching - M 10:00 Coffee with Trish - C 12:00 50/50 Draw 2:00 Scarf Sit & Be Fit - M 3:00 Sing-a-long - C 7:30 Whist - PDR</p>	<p>22</p> <p>9:30 Drumming to be Fit - M 10:00 Coffee with Cory - C 2:00 Bingo - DR 3:00 Men's Coffee Club - M 7:15 Trivia Night - C</p>	<p>23</p> <p>9:30 Stretching - M 10:00 Coffee with Trish - C 1:45 Sit & Be Fit - M 2:30 Buttermilk Sundaes - DR 7:30 Cribbage - PDR</p>	<p>24</p> <p>10:00 Project Humane Society - M 2:00 Symphony - M</p>
<p>25</p> <p>8:30 Church Shuttle - SB 2:30 Worship & Devotional Church Service - C</p>	<p>26</p> <p>9:30 Chair Dancing - M 10:00 Coffee with Lisa - C 2:00 Draw to the Button - M 4:30 Supper Club (Wah Lee's) - SB 7:15 Concert from the Past (Glen Campbell) - M</p>	<p>27</p> <p>9:30 Mobile Foot Nurse - M 10:00 Coffee with Jody - C 2:00 Rick Davison on Piano - DR 3:30 Rotary Happy Hour Mocktail & Snacks - B 7:15 Armchair Travel: Thailand - M</p>	<p>28</p> <p>9:30 Systems Beauty College Nail Care (\$10) - M 10:00 Coffee with Trish - C 12:00 50/50 1:30 Canada Post Presentation: Curling - M 2:00 Scarf Sit & Be Fit - C 3:00 Hymn Sing - C 7:30 Whist - PDR</p>	<p>29</p> <p>Leap Day 9:30 Jumping Through 29 Hoops - M 10:00 Coffee with Tanis - C 1:30 War Card Game Tournament - M 7:30 Entertainment by Brian & Dorothy Granger - DR</p>	<p>Comedy Week February 12: Lucille Ball February 13: Jerry Lewis February 14: Carol Burnett February 15: Bob Hope February 16: Betty White February 17: Red Skelton Come & go to the daily video played in the Multipurpose Room.</p>	

February Birthdays

Marion Paraschuk	Feb. 8
Louise Verbo	Feb. 11
Shirley Erskine	Feb. 14
Murray Peel	Feb. 15
Haven Brugger	Feb. 19
Denise Paulsen	Feb. 24
Jutta Tokaryk	Feb. 27
Dot Burgess	Feb. 28
Louise Pingert	Feb. 29

February Anniversaries

Shuttle Schedule

Monday to Friday
8:15 a.m. - 4:15 p.m.
Sunday Church Shuttle
8:45 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.

Locations

Common Room	C
Fitness Centre	FC
Front Lawn	FL
Multipurpose Room	M
Dining Room	DR
Private Dining Rm.	PDR
Solarium	S
Fireside Patio	FP
Library (2 nd Floor)	L
Workshop (2 nd floor)	W
Billiards Lounge	BL
Shuttle Bus	SB
Bar	B

Calendar is subject