

# Country Club Manor

July 2016 Newsletter

*Edited by Lee Bakewell*

## SAY "HELLO" TO YOUR NEW NEIGHBORS!



Hello,

We are Bill and Valerie Freid #220. We have lived in the Minneapolis area since we were married. Valerie was born and raised in Minneapolis and Bill is from Montgomery. We have 4 children and 7 grandchildren. Valerie was busy raising the children while Bill worked most of his life in marketing & sales. We are looking forward to moving into CCM and all it has to offer. We enjoy playing games, traveling and meeting new people



Hello we are Paul & Jan Johnson #335. We are long term residents of Minnesota and enjoy the outdoors. Paul likes golf and archery and Jan is a quilter and avid fan of the eastern migration of whooping cranes. Paul retired from a drafting career and Jan worked as a secretary. We have two grown children.

### FROM MARGIE'S DESK



Hello everyone and welcome to summer!

Wow did June ever go fast! We are so excited to host the BBQ on July 8th! Please remember to sign up. If you have a new neighbor maybe you could invite them to join you. It will be a lot of fun and we will have great music again this year. The meal begins at 4:30 and music is outside at 5:30. Our condolences go out to the family and friends for the loss of a long time dear friend, Percy Cosgrove on June 14th. She will be missed.

We are having a lot of fun with Team Trivia every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4th Thursday; I hope you give it a try sometime! Thank you to all for your cooperation while we replaced the garage doors, they look beautiful and now you can see through the window when your ride arrives! I have posted a sheet on each bulletin board from Brookdale Hospice they are in desperate need for volunteers. If you would like to volunteer please contact them or see me if you have questions. Here are a few other things to keep in mind:

1. Blood Pressure Clinic July 7th @ 1pm
2. BBQ July 8 @ 4:30
3. No Coffee & Donuts July 9th
4. Goodwill on Fairview & Prior lends out medical equipment.
5. Please do not leave junk mail or food by mailboxes or lobbies.
6. I will send a notice about the garage sweeping.
7. Please limit bird feeders to 1 or 2 per apartment and please make sure you clean up all excess bird seeds.

I hope you all have a wonderful month!

*Margie*

## NOTES FROM OUR "SOCIAL DIRECTORS"



Hi everyone. It's officially summer & it sure is beautiful. Our long time neighbor & friend Purcy Cosgrove passed away. Our prayers go out to her family.

Our garage sale was a success. The heat was almost unbearable, but we all made it through. Thanks to all who participated. I think we may go back to 2 days next time. A special thank-you goes to Chuck, Kevin, Carl & Noah for all

their hard work, also to Kevin Jr., Renee, & their nephew Tori for their help at the sale & hauling the unwanted items to Goodwill.

Our yearly BBQ will be on Friday July 8th. The monthly Casino Trip to Treasure Island will be on Thursday July 14th. Sign-up sheets are in both lobbies. This month's Birthday/Anniversary Potluck is on Monday July 25th at 5:30pm in the Club Room. We had 37 people join us for last month's potluck & would love to see that many every time. Movie Night is every Friday at 7pm in the Club Room. Watch for signs with information on coming activities, ditto if something is cancelled.

If you have any questions about any of our activities, please call us at 612-270-4655 or stop by #107.

That's it for this month. Have a Safe & Happy 4th of July

Love, *Kevin + Kathy E.*

## THE FUNNY BONE

• A ship engine failed and no one could fix it.  
Then they brought in a chap with 40 yrs. on the job.  
He inspected the engine very carefully, top to bottom.  
After looking things over, the guy reached into his bag and pulled out a small hammer.  
He gently tapped something. Instantly, the engine lurched into life and the engine was fixed!  
7 Days later the owners got his bill for \$10,000.  
'What?!' the owners said.  
'You hardly did anything so please send us an itemized bill.'

The reply simply said: Tapping with a hammer.       \$2  
Knowing where to tap?                                       \$9,998  
(Submitted by Kathy Erickson.)

• The prospective son-in-law was asked by his girlfriend's father, "Son, can you support a family?"  
"Well, no, sir," he replied. "I was just planning to support your daughter. The rest of you have to fend for yourselves."

• Two elderly gentlemen arrive at the bar and order a couple of drinks. They then take sandwiches from brown paper bags and began to eat.

Seeing this, the angry bar owner approaches them and says, "Excuse me, but you cannot eat your own sandwiches in here!"

The two look at each other, shrug, and exchange sandwiches.

☀ A guy decides to do some ice fishing, so he walks out onto the ice and begins drilling a hole. A loud voice—the voice of God—sounds around him, “There are no fish here.”

The man picks up his things and moves to another place on the ice. As he begins drilling his second hole, he again hears the voice say, “There are no fish here.”

“Must not be my lucky day, he thinks,” and picks up his things and moves again.

As he begins drilling his third hole, the voice rings out, “This is the rink attendant! There are NO FISH HERE!”

☀ • A priest and pastor from the local parishes are standing by the side of the road holding up a sign that reads, “The end is near! Turn around before it’s too late!” “

Leave us alone, you religious nuts!” yelled the first driver as he sped by.

From around the curve they heard screeching tires and a big splash, “Do you think,” said one clergy to the other, “we should just put up a sign that says ‘Bridge Out’ instead?”

### CCM’s ROVING CAMERA:



Jane Warren (seated), #213, celebrated her 85th Birthday by taking a few friends to high tea at the Mad Hatter in Anoka. Her daughter surprised Jane with a very special mode of transportation!