

# Notes from the Knoll



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## Upcoming Events:

- ◆ Birthday Celebrations: October, 30th—Dan Ognovic, November 19th—The Old Time Rebel and December 17th—Debbie Kutz
- ◆ Rocky Knoll Auxiliary Brat Fry and Bake Sale—Plymouth Piggly Wiggly Saturday, October 17th
- ◆ Quilt Raffle going on now through November 24th. Tickets are \$1 each or 6/\$5
- ◆ October 30th 2pm Music of the Handymen—Resident Halloween Party—Activity Room
- ◆ October 31st 1:30-3pm Halloween Trick or Treat Event—Activity Room
- ◆ Catholic Mass is held every Sunday at 10am in the Activity Room
- ◆ Chapel Service with Rev. Tom Fleishmann—Every Monday 10:30am
- ◆ Contact the Life Enrichment Department with any concerns or requests at 449-1240 or email [djacoby@rockyknoll.net](mailto:djacoby@rockyknoll.net).



## Fire Extinguisher Training

On June 18<sup>th</sup> the Fire & Safety Meeting at Rocky Knoll Health Care Center consisted of a Fire Extinguisher in-service with the management staff. Eighteen people took part each learning how to operate a fire extinguisher and having the opportunity to extinguish an actual fire. It was great to have hands on experience as many people had never had the opportunity to use an actual fire extinguisher. Rocky Knoll would like to thank Nancy Jacoby from Extinguishers at Random for the donation of the fire extinguishers and the Plymouth Fire Department for helping make this important training happen free of charge.

## Residents and Families have a blast at Family Fun Night

Family Fun Night was held at the Rocky Knoll Bistro in the evening on Tuesday, September 22nd. The Rocky Knoll Foundation sponsored the music of Karen Wickham, a Patsy Cline Tribute Artist. Food was provided free of charge for residents and their guests – corn dogs, chips, sodas and popcorn were enjoyed by all. The Rocky Knoll Auxiliary also assisted with the food and desserts. The Balloon Lady, Jean Johnson roamed the crowd and created wonderful balloon animals, hats, and bracelets for anyone who wished to have one. This year's Music at the Bistro series was a big success. In all, four concerts were held. We are already planning and thinking of new ideas for next year. If you have any ideas or suggestions, let us know!



Pictured: Caroline D. and Patsy (right), LaVern, Lori, and Leonard F. (below), Betty S. (middle), Chuck T. (bottom right)



### Yard Beautification

Over the summer of 2015 the Rocky Knoll campus has seen many esthetic changes including the planting of numerous hydrangeas, wigelias, wild grasses and more. The hope is to create a hosta garden under the crab apple trees adjacent from the bistro area. If anyone is thinning out their hosta plants and would like to donate them please contact:



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### Holiday Parties-Room Reservations



It's that time of year to throw a special family holiday get together. If you are considering a family party at Rocky Knoll, various rooms can be reserved for your event. Rooms available include the Building A Activity Room, Building B Activity Room, Family Lounge, Woodland Village Activity Room, On the Rocks Lounge area, and all unit sitting rooms.

They fill up fast, so if you would like to reserve a room please contact Deb Jacoby @ 449-1240, Tami Barrow @ 449-1244, Lori Hanson @ 449-1242, or Kate Shoup @ 449-1243



### Christmas is coming soon!

Believe it or not, Christmas is right around the corner! We have been receiving calls already about gifts, performances, Christmas cards, and the like. Sheboygan County is very fortunate to have Rocky Knoll Health Care Center which has been serving the community for the past 89 years. The staff at Rocky Knoll strives to offer all of the residents a warm, homelike experience. We hope to provide a joyous & meaningful Christmas for them once again this year. If you would like to donate gifts, time, talent or make a monetary donation, or even decorate a tree for all to see, contact Deb Jacoby in the Life Enrichment Department at [djacoby@rockyknoll.net](mailto:djacoby@rockyknoll.net) or 449-1240. Look for our Adopt a Tree Contest sign up on the lower level across from the kitchen.



### Veteran's Day

The 2015 Veteran's program will be held in the Building A Activity Room on November 11th. We celebrate this memorable day in conjunction with the American Legion Post 243, Plymouth and the American Legion Post 261, Greenbush. The program will start at 1:30pm in the Building A Activity Room. We have a full program of events planned which includes the unveiling of the inductee plaques, playing of taps and other musical selections. We will be serving refreshments following the program and encourage everyone to stay for a time of camaraderie. Please join us in honoring all of our Veterans from Rocky Knoll.



### Rocky Knoll Auxiliary Brat Fry

Twice a year the Auxiliary hosts a brat fry/bake sale at the Piggly Wiggly in Plymouth, WI. All proceeds go toward improving the programming for the residents at Rocky Knoll. The Auxiliary has hosted many of the musical performances held during 2015. Please stop in and support our Auxiliary Saturday, October 17th from 9:00am—2:00pm.



If you are interested in being a volunteer please contact Deb Jacoby @ 449-1240 or email @ [djacoby@rockyknoll.net](mailto:djacoby@rockyknoll.net) The Auxiliary is always looking for people to help with the Cobblestone Ctore, brat fries and