

Village Connection

Thank you... We are indeed blessed to have so many friends help us celebrate our 37th Wedding Anniversary. It was delightful to read the message on each card and the personal notes that were included. We feel so fortunate to have such a happy marriage and are glad that it is evident to others. Each of you make this supportive community so special to us! –

Bruce Robertson & Phyllis Lantz

George and I appreciate all the anniversary wishes. The cards and messages you sent helped us celebrate our 29th wedding Anniversary. We feel blessed to live us such a warm, close community. Thank you so much. - **George & Elaine Miller**

1936 was a very good year and on May 23, 2026, sixty-five neighbors, family members and friends of Gordon Geller celebrated him. Gordon's son and daughter hosted a lovely 90th birthday party at the Terrace Overlook restaurant. Guests enjoyed a delicious lunch and spent the afternoon enjoying some great music, a few fun sing-alongs and shared stories and memories. Gordon and his family would like to thank everyone for helping to celebrate this milestone birthday. – **Gordon**

Upcoming Programming for July- Additional Information:

Therapy Talks; Fall Prevention: Join Shannon Schuman for her presentation on Fall Prevention. She always has helpful tips and information to share.

Pop-Up Happy Hour: We are going to offer Happy Hour on a weekly basis for July. I will have wine, beer, and a limited selection of liquor. What I will have is a new hot trend called "Dirty Soda." I will have one feature Dirty Soda during these weekly happy hours.

Residential Living Planning Meeting: Join Tracy to help plan the last quarter of 2026. We will be planning trips, entertainment for October, November, and December.

Brunch Bunch: Bullocks Family Restaurant: We will head to Bullock's Family Restaurant in Westminster to enjoy lunch. Please note this is a lunch & dinner establishment, with no breakfast options.

Cozy Cup Circle: This is a time to visit with your neighbors. We will have refreshments and enjoy each other's company. I will begin on the third floor on July 13. I will move to the second floor on July 28, and we will hit the first floor on August 1; we will then have a community celebration in September.

Happy Hour with "Just Like Murray Acoustic Duo": Join us for this special marketing Happy Hour with live music. Just like the June Marketing Happy Hour bring a friend who may be interested in becoming part of the Concordia family and you will be entered into a drawing to win a Gift Card.

Windy Knoll Farm Market & Creamery: A Farm Market with a deli, bakery, produce, bulk foods, and sandwich shop. They also manufacture and distribute their own Windy Knoll Brand of homemade ice cream (75) flavors. We will enjoy lunch there.

In - House Movie: Song Sung Blue: Please note this movie will be shown in the fitness room and not the great room as usual. Song Sung Blue (2025), starring Hugh Jackman and Kate Hudson, is a musical drama based on the true story of Mike and Claire Sardina, two struggling musicians who form a Neil Diamond tribute band called Lightning & Thunder. This movie will run for 132 minutes; we will take an intermission halfway through to stretch and maybe refill your drink and popcorn.

Gettysburg Railway: Enjoy this 90-minute excursion on the Gettysburg Railway. The Gettysburg Railway offers a scenic and historical train ride through Adams County, departing from the 1884 Gettysburg train depot aboard fully restored 1950s-era passenger cars. The Gettysburg Railway provides a 90-minute sightseeing excursion that blends history, scenery, and rail travel. Passengers board luxury 1950s-era Budd passenger cars with leather lounge seating and large windows, offering comfortable views of the countryside and battlefield landmarks. Notable sights include the Eternal Light Peace Memorial and other battlefield landmarks. The train cars are modernized for comfort, featuring restrooms, tables, and snack options. The depot includes a gift shop for souvenirs and refreshments. The cost is \$30.75 pp. We will stop for Ice Cream on the way home.

Diner's Caravan; Gloryridge Tavern the Lodges at Gettysburg: Step into the warmth of 19th-century charm, where a handcrafted walnut bar and reclaimed wood floors create the perfect backdrop for gathering and dining. Their kitchen serves generous portions of guest favorites—succulent steaks, signature crab cakes and seafood, juicy burgers, and crisp, fresh salads. With a menu designed to satisfy every palate. Pair your meal with a selection from our extensive list of spirits, beers, and wines, and enjoy the inviting atmosphere that makes Gloryridge Tavern a true Gettysburg experience.



I like to think I can cook-
That is why I buy those recipe books
Every page, a perfect delight,
I could eat everything in sight!

I get out my pots and pans,
Roll out the dough-open the can.
I roll and shape, probe and knead
It's looking very nice, indeed.

Time for baking, wonderful smell
Lovely juice coming out, as well
But woe is me. Take a look!
It looks nothing like the one in the book!

Betty Crocker, "I'm not"

-Ann Paris

"Another Poem"

Well here we go again
Another month, oh my!
Time to write another poem
My how the time flies by.

The "topics" present a challenge
Seems ideas are few
But don't want to let you down
No matter what I do.

It's been many years of writing
And I've loved it all
I hope that you've enjoyed it
I'm really having a ball!

-Theresa Zink

National Hot Dog Day

July 15, 2026

If you came to the Kickoff to Summer Campus Cook out in May, you are invited to this. We had some hotdogs, chips, and money left, so come enjoy a grilled Hot Dog... I will begin grilling at 11:45am. If you would like to bring a side or a dessert to share, please let Tracy know. Sign up in the program binder by Friday, July 10th.

The following programs are regularly scheduled on a weekly basis

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	10:00am Power Hour 10:45am Back to Basics 1:00pm 10- Pin Bowling	10:00am Pilates 10:45am Man We're Moving 12:45pm Sit & Strengthen 1:00 Billiards	10:00am Power Hour 10:45am Back to Basics 1:00pm Tai Chi for Beginners 2:00pm Wii Bowling 1:00pm Dominoes (Library)	10:00am Pilates 10:45am Line Dancing 12:45pm Sit & Strengthen 1:00pm 10- Pin Bowling 2:00pm Worship (PC)	9:00am Balance & Stretch 9:30am Morning Mindfulness (GR) 10:00am Mini Tennis 1:00pm Billiards 1:00pm Dominoes (Library)	

Additional programs & events scheduled for the month of July

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	Key: All events are held in Hobby Room or Fitness Room area unless otherwise indicated. DR – Terrace Overlook Restaurant PDR – Private Dining Room APTL – Apartment Lobby CCL – Community Center Lobby GR – Great Room		1	2 11:00 Book Club (Library)	3	Independence Day 4
5	6 10:00 Village Stitchers (HR) 1:00 Therapy Talks with Shannon Schuman "Fall Prevention" (GR)	7 12:00 Women's Birthday Luncheon (DR) 2:00 Bingo (GR)	8 11:30 Chair Volleyball 2:00 Pop Up Happy Hour (Hobby Room)	9 3:00 Planning Committee Meeting (HR)	10 10:15 Brunch Bunch: Bullocks Family Restaurant 2:00 Patriotic Program with Sandy Lawrence (PC)	11
12	13 1:00 Brain Games (Library) 2:00 Pastor Rodney (PC) 3:00 Cozy Cup Circle (3rd Floor 1st Sitting Area)	14 2:00 Pop Up Happy Hour (GR)	National Hot Dog Day 15 9:30-3 Massage by Tara (Saloon) 12:00 Hot Dogs for Lunch (HR)	16 3:00 Tech Help with Steve Bean (GR)	17 2:00 Laurie & Tish Patriotic Music (PC)	18
19 2:00 Happy Hour with "Just Like Murray Acoustic Duo" (DR)	20 11:00 Windy Knoll Farm Market & Creamery	21 10:30 Catholic Mass (SC)	22 11:30 Chair Volleyball	23	24 1:00 In- House Movie: Song Sung Blue (Fitness Room)	25
26	27 12:15 Gettysburg Excursion Railway & Ice Cream	28 3:00 Cozy Cup Circle Second Floor (APTL)	29 2:00 Pop Up Happy Hour (Hobby Room)	30 2:45 Diner's Caravan: The Lodges at Gettysburg		