



# MEADOWOOD VILLAGE

# RELAX...You're home now!

**Community Buzz...** 



# Happy New Year!

It's time to ring in the New Year! We would like to thank all of our great residents for choosing our community as your home! We have a blend of long-time residents along with new faces that make our community the perfect place to live. Our staff is committed to serving each of you by providing the essential things that make your living experience with us a great one. Our door is always open so come by to visit, request a repair, or share a suggestion to better our community. You're patronage is important to us and we want to keep you with us for a long time to come! We wish each of you good health and much happiness in the New Year!

When you see **'freeze alert'** signs posted on property, please prepare your apartment by leaving cabinet

Wipter Weather Advisories

"Although no one can go back and make a brand new start, anyone can start from now and make a brand new ending."—Carl Bard

#### January



**2017-2018 list of winter storm names!** Aiden, Chloe, Jaxon, Polly, Quinn, Wilbur and Zoey. These are just a few of the names chosen by the Weather Channel, based on the most popular baby names from 2016. The Weather Channel names the storms in hopes of keeping confusion down when reporting.

**Good Luck Beans!** Start the New Year off by eating some black-eyed peas. An old folklore that dates back to the Civil War, black-eyed peas are thought to bring you luck and good fortune throughout the coming year.

**Take 5!** If you have just 5 minutes, call home, fold your laundry, sweep the kitchen floor, gather the trash, put new batteries in your smoke alarm then test! **Boost your Brain Power!** A few cups of coffee a day has been found to increase short-term recall, and as an added perk, research shows coffee drinkers are less likely to develop dementia and Alzheimer's disease.

January 17, 2018: Ditch New Year's Resolution Day, for those with little resolve!

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doors open, keeping your thermostat no lower than 68° and keeping a slow drip coming from faucets at night. A 'watch' means a winter storm is possible. A 'warning' means it is expected. Contact the office immediately if you have frozen pipes or a problem with your heater.

# **TEST** those BATTERIES

Start the New Year off with safety in mind by testing your smoke detector batteries by pressing the test button. Please replace the batteries if it isn't working properly. Call the office if you need help.

### **DOO-Diligence**

Please help us keep our community clean by cleaning up after your pets as you walk them. Also, make sure all pets are on a leash when out on property.

# Light Up For Winter

Help keep our property safer by turning your porch lights on at night. No one likes



to fumble for keys or search for an apartment number in the dark. If you see a breezeway or building light that is not working, contact the office. We will replace it right away. As a reminder, please remove toys & trash from the breezeways. Thank you for your help!

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Lead Service Technician

Important Numbers

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Emergency Maintenance (405) 737-6897

Fire, Police, Emergency 911

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# Hot Wing Dip

The perfect appetizer for Super Bowl Fans! Ingredients: 2 cups shredded, cooked chicken 1 (8 ounce) package cream cheese, cubed 2 cups shredded cheddar cheese 1 cup ranch salad dressing 1/2 cup Louisiana style hot sauce

Mix all ingredients and place in a 3 quart slow cooker. Cook, covered, on low for 1 to 2 hours or until cheese is melted. Serve with chips, celery or crackers.—Taste of Home

## MALTED HOT COCOA





seconds. Mix your favorite cup of hot chocolate with 3 tablespoons malted milk powder. Top with the marshmallows.

## **Pay off Your Holiday Bills!**

Talk about easy cash! All you have to do is refer someone to our property! Bring them in to meet our leasing staff and we'll take care of the rest. After your friend, relative, or co-worker signs a lease and pays their first month's rent, you will receive **\$200** off one month's rent. What an easy way to make some cash to help pay off those holiday bills.

### **Holiday Clean-Up**

We would like to remind you that we **do not** allow Christmas trees to be put in the dumpsters. There are local recycle sights set up for you to drop off your tree. Also, make sure to place all trash sacks inside the dumpsters. Please do not leave them sitting at your front/back door or sitting beside the dumpsters. We appreciate your help in this matter.

### **RENEW Your Lease!**

Keep money in your pocket by renewing your lease so you do not have to pay the additional month-to-month fee! Call the office and we'll get your renewal ready! Fallin' for February!

**Groundhog Day:** February 2nd. How accurate is Punxsutawney Phil? According to the National Centers for Environmental Info., over the past 28 years, Phil has only had 13 accurate predictions opposed to his 15 incorrect predictions! So don't (snow)bank on it!



**Super Bowl, February 4th: 62%!** The portion of grill owners who grill on Super Bowl Sunday, making it the biggest grilling day of the year according to BHG.

**The Perfect Chocolate Chip Cookie:** For thin and crispy cookies, replace equal amounts of brown sugar with white, granulated sugar. For thick and moist cookies, do the reverse by replacing all white, granulated sugar with brown sugar. For cookies with soft edges, use equal parts of both. **Heartfelt Words:** Searching for the right words to express your love? Here are a few of the 2018 sayings on the NECCO candy hearts to wish your loved ones! Chill out, Stop Talking, Sunshine, Wild Life, Heat Wave, Cloud Nine, In a Fog & Melt My Heart!

**Wear Red Day!** Join the American Heart Association on February 2, 2018 by wearing red to support heart awareness and

wellness. According to the AHA, two-thirds of kids and only half of adults in the U.S. get enough physical exercise. What's the problem? Too much sitting! Treat yourself to some new tennis shoes and get walking.



# **Community Calendar**

## **January 2018**

need someone to accept you completely."-InspirationBoost.com

"You don't need someone to complete you, you only

1-Rent Due-Office Closed 1-Test your smoke alarm! 2-7– Color Purple @ Civic Center

15-19 Lease Renewal Week 15-Martin Luther King Day 20-21-Professional Bull Riders @ The Peake 27-Chris Tucker @ Riverwind Casino 30-Toby Mac @ The Peake



# February 2018

1-Rent Due 1-Test your smoke alarm! 2-Groundhog Day 2-AHA Wear Red Dav 4-Super Bowl 6-11– School of Rock @ Civic Center 8-Little Big Town @ The Peake 10-Harlem Globetrotters @ The Peake 12-16 Lease Renewal Week 13-Mardi Gras 14-Valentine's Day 14-Ash Wednesday 16-Chinese New Year 16-17-Little Mermaid @ Civic Center 17-18-Monster Jam @ The Peake **19-Presidents Day** 

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