



KANSAS SOLDIERS' HOME



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Superintendent

Prairie Sentinel

July 2010

The Kansas Commission on Veterans' Affairs Meeting will be held **July 21st**. It is a Telephonic Meeting. Can attend in person at any one of the following: KCVA Central Office in Topeka, Kansas Soldiers' Home at Fort Dodge, and Kansas Veterans' Home in Winfield.

The Cottage Meeting will be meeting **Monday July 19th**, at 9:30am in the Eisenhower Hall Auditorium.

Sunday School is held each Sunday at 9:00am in the Sunday School building.

Bible Study is held each Wednesday at 6:30pm in the Sunday School building.

The Chapel Council meets the third Wednesday, at 10:00am in the Eisenhower Hall Conference Room.

The American Legion meets the second Tuesday of each month at 7:00pm in the Tornado Shelter, between Lincoln and Grant .

The American Legion Auxiliary meets the second Tuesday of each month at 7:00pm in the Tornado Shelter, between Lincoln and Grant.

Fort Dodge Jamboree: will be held July 10th and 17th, beginning at 5:00pm in the Eisenhower Hall Auditorium

Fort Dodge Salon: Please call Claire at 561-1339 for an appointment.

Kansas Soldiers' Home is proud to serve eligible Veterans and their spouses regardless of race, color, national origin, disability or age in admission, treatment, or participation in its programs, services and activities, or in employment.

Morning Glory's: Meet for a light brunch and coffee at the Eisenhower Hall Auditorium. The meeting is held the first Monday of each month at 9:30 am. This is for every lady at the Kansas Soldiers' Home.

LIBRARY/MUSEUM: Is open from 1:00pm to 4:00pm Monday thru Friday.

Clothing Store: Hours of operation; Thursdays afternoon from 1:00 to 3:00pm

The Kansas Soldiers' Home extends its deepest condolences to the loved ones of the following residents who recently passed away. We are grateful for the time they spent with the KSH family. Their presence will be greatly missed.

IOLA CARPENTER	EXP 6/3/10
WARREN PETESON	EXP 6/10/10
FRANK MILLER	EXP 6/17/10
CECIL SUNLEY	EXP 6/20/10



SUPERINTENDENT'S CORNER

The State of Kansas has passed the Kansas Clean Indoor Air Act (House Bill 2221). The Law becomes effective July 1, 2010. The basic principle of the Law allows the Home to retain the "no smoking prohibition" inside all buildings owned and operated by the Kansas Commission on Veterans Affairs on the grounds of the Kansas Soldiers' Home that is not exempted pursuant to subsection (d) of K.S.A. 21-4010, and amendments thereto. The Soldiers' Home meets the definition for certain exemptions under this law as defined in subsection (d)(5) and (d)(6) which allows designated smoking rooms in Halsey Hall and Lincoln Hall. The new Law also prohibits smoking within a ten foot outside of any doorway, open window or air intake leading into a building or facility.

The Maintenance staff will mark all doorway entrances to KSH buildings at least 10' and post signage to reflect the no smoking zone plus relocate all smoking pods beyond the markings by July 1st.

New smoking policy will be posted in Halsey Hall and Lincoln Hall on July 1st.

The new policy and changes to the grounds will be discussed with residents in open meetings on Wednesday, June 30th.

The new policy will be discussed in the next resident councils and employee in-services.

The new policy will be included in the new employee orientation.

Any questions pertaining to the implementation of the Kansas Clean Indoor Air Act (House Bill 2221) should be addressed to the Superintendent.



Halsey Hall Activity Calendar This Calendar is subject to change. E-Eisenhower HH-Halsey Hall						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3
				930AM Residents Choice 10AM Parachute on the Patio 2PM Coffee Time-Current Events	9AM Catholic Services-HH 1030AM Exercise 230 Out on the Patio to Decorate 6PM Independence Day Celebration	Visits with Family and Friends 10AM Christian Riders 4PM Movie and Popcorn
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
9AM Sunday School 10AM Church 430PM Vespers Independence Day	10AM Coffee Hour 2PM Old Westerns 2 nd Floor	9AM Current Events 10AM Horse Shoes 2PM \$Bingo-HH 6PM Remember When Social	9AM Coffee Hour 1030AM Exercise 1PM Town Trip (assisted) 3PM Popcorn on the Patio 6PM Wheel of Fortune	9AM Fishing At the Pond 10AM Make it Take it 11AM Out to Eat 2PM Residents Council	9AM Catholic Services-HH 1030AM Exercise 230 Banana Split Social	Visits with Family and Friends 10AM 2 nd Floor Board Games (TV Room 2 nd floor) 1PM Town Trip (non-assisted) 5PM Jamboree-E
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
9AM Sunday School 10AM Church 430PM Vespers 4PM 4H Social -Parade Grounds	9AM Coffee Hour & Games 1030AM Exercise Group 2PM Women's Group-Manicures	930AM Coffee and Donuts with Vernon 10AM Patio Time 1PM Monthly Birthday Party	9AM Coffee Hour 1030AM Exercise 1PM Town Trip (assisted) 3PM Popcorn on the Patio 6PM Wheel of Fortune	9AM Fishing At the Pond 10AM Games on the Patio 2PM Movie Time	9AM Catholic Services-HH 1030AM Exercise 2PM Bingo Blast -E	Visits with Family and Friends 10AM 2 nd Floor Board Games (TV Room 2 nd floor) 5PM Jamboree-E 7PM Coffee Chat 3 rd Floor
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
9AM Sunday School 10AM Church 430PM Vespers	9AM Coffee Hour & Games 1030AM Exercise Group 2PM Dairy Queen	9AM Current Events 10AM Reminiscing - Slide Show 2PM Bingo w/Marlene	9AM Coffee Hour 1030AM Exercise 1PM Town Trip (assisted) 3PM Popcorn on the Patio 6PM Wheel of Fortune	9AM Fishing at the Pond 10AM Make it Take it. 2PM Baking	9AM Catholic Services-HH 1030AM Exercise 230 Watermelon Feed on the Patio	Visits with Family and Friends 10AM 2 nd Floor Board Games (TV Room 2 nd floor) 1PM Town Trip (non-assisted) 7PM Coffee Chat 3 rd Floor
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Lincoln and Cottage Calendar

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9am Fishing @ the Pond 9:30 Croquet 10am Exercise 1:30 Yahtzee Tournament	9am Cath. Serv. HH 9:30 Walk in The Park 1pm Res. Choice 6pm 4 th of July Celebration	10am Coffee & Chat 10am Christian Bike Riders 2pm Games 6pm Dominoes

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9am Sun Sch 10am Church 4:30 Vespers Happy 4 th Visits with Friends & Family	4 th of July Observed Office Closed 10 Coffee & Chat 2pm Cards 6pm Dominoes	9am Coffee & Cookies 9am Yahtzee 10am Exercise 1pm Trivia 2pm \$ Bingo @ H.H.	9am Coffee & Cookies 9:30 Dominoes 1pm Town Trip/ Assisted 6:30 Wheel of Fortune	9am Fishing @ the Pond 9:30 Min. Golf 1:30 Yahtzee Tournament 1:30 Veggie Tray	9am Cath. Serv.@ HH 9:30 Walk in the Park 1pm Res. Choice 6pm Cribbage	10am Coffee & Chat 12:30 Town Trip 2pm Games 6Pm Dominoes
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