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Erie Gives Day August 14th Will YOU donate?



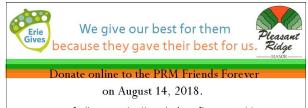
What is Erie Gives? Erie Gives began in 2011 in honor of The Erie Community Foundation's 75th Anniversary. Erie Gives 2018 will take place on August 14, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 8 p.m.

During this 12-hour period of online giving, a portion of the prorated match pool will be added to each donation you make to your favorite non-profit(s) when you donate through: <u>www.eriegives.org</u>. Find the Pleasant Ridge Manor Friends Forever and make your donation!

The Friends Forever is a volunteer organization run 100% by our volunteers. We pay no employees so 100% of our donations are used for programs, services, and purchases for our residents. We are dedicated to helping Pleasant Ridge Manor meet the needs of the residents by providing what we can to help PRM continue its mission.

Please follow our posts on Facebook, Twitter and our website in the next few weeks to see how your donations are making an impact.

If you have any questions about Erie Gives, or donations in general, please contact LeeAnn Krahe at 474-5521, extension 260.



100% of all proceeds directly benefit our residents!

Pleasant Ridge Manor's 22nd Annual Golf Outing Scheduled for August 13th

Pleasant Ridge Manor will sponsor their annual golf outing at Lawrence Park Golf Course. Thirty teams will try their best to conquer the course's challenges all the while raising money for our Friends Forever. The Friends are currently involved in a complete renovation of the Resident Activity Area and that project will be done this year. This year's golf proceeds will be used toward the purchase of a new transport van! It's been eleven years since our last van purchase and we're working hard to raise the over \$60k necessary to purchase a new vehicle for our Activities Department. Proud to take people out into the community for recreation, our volunteers are doing their best to meet that goal. You can help by donating to the Friends Forever any time!



We're in need of some seed! Our volunteer pays about twenty dollars each week to keep our feeders full. We'd love for some help! Please see page 2 for details.



Memorials & Donations

We thank the following for their financial or other contributions to the Pleasant Ridge Manor Friends Forever:

> Ruth Arnold Betty Skal Eileen Fitzpatrick Tracy Elementary School Students

The following donations were made to the Friends Forever in loving memory of **Dorothy Mara**

> By: Stephen & Rosemary Fannin Thomas & Ann Mallison Anthony & Edith Boscarino Hope Weidenboerner Brian & Susan Scharf Mary Paterniti

100% of your donations are used to directly benefit the residents and are always greatly appreciated. If you'd like to make or discuss making a donation, call LeeAnn Krahe at (814)474-5521, extension 260. Checks may be written to Pleasant Ridge Manor Friends Forever and sent to the PRM address.



Buck\$ for Beaks

If you've ever seen how many bird feeders we have around our campus, you'd certainly understand why we're asking for a little help feeding the birds! Our residents love, love, love watching the birds visit the birdfeeders and the squirrels that chase them away! On occasion, our local turkey rafter visits one of the feeders close to the woods line. Now that's a sight! If you are interested in donating bird seed, or buck\$ for birdseed, just give the Activities Department a call at (814) 474-5521, extensions 260 & 261. Thanks!



Tip Of the Month

EATING HEALTHY THIS SUMMER

With all the backyard bbq's, grad parties, and weddings, it's easy to overeat in the summer. Here are a few tips to stay healthy:

- Eat more seasonal veggies! There are fruit stands all over the county. Nothing beats home-grown fresh vegetables!
- Watch what you put on your salads. Salads loaded with dressing, cheese and fried chicken are calorie laden. Choose the salads with a variety of veggies and top it off with lean proteins like grilled chicken or beans.
- Avoid overdoing it at parties & bbq's. Choose raw veggies over chips. Treat yourself with a dessert but keep the portion reasonable.
- Enjoy your summer & be healthy!

AUGUST 2018–Volunteer/Activities Calendar

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Meleome		National Fair Month	1 10:00 Unit G Trip	2 11:15 Westlake Unit A	3	4
		National Golf Month National Catfish Month	7:30 Bingo	111p 1:30 Protestant Com- munion Service	12:30 Unit C Trip	2:30 Penny Bingo
		National Parks Month	7:00 Traditional Country Band	2:30 Prize Trivia 7:00 Grace Episcopal Bingo	2:30 Pokeno 7:00 Small Group Activity	7:00 Small Group Activity
5 9:30 Catholic Mass 1:30 Protestant Church	54	7 9:30 Catholic Mass 12:30 Unit J Trip	8 1:30 Unit H Trip	9 11:30 Unit K Picnic Trip 1:30 Bible Study	10	11 2:30 Bingo
2:30 Coffee Hour 7:00 Mystery Bingo	2:30 Sing Along 7:00 Small Group Activity	2:30 Volleyball 7:00 Beth Edwards On stage	2:30 Bingo 7:00 Small Group Activity	2:30 Bean Bag Toss 6:30 Evening Movie	2:30 Pokeno 7:00 Small Group Activity	7:00 Small Group Activity
12 9:30 Catholic Mass 1:30 Protestant Church	13	14 9:30 Catholic Mass 11:00 Resident Council	15 12:30 Unit A Trip	16 11:00 Food Committee 12:30 Unit J Trip	17 12:30 Unit C Trip	18 9:30 Grev Save Visits
2:30 Coffee Hour with John Saraceno	1:30 Rosary 2:30 Sing Along	12:30 Unit G Trip 2:00 Movie & Pizza	2:30 Bingo	1:30 Bible Study 2:30 Mike & Marie Per-	2:30 Pokeno	2:30 Penny Bingo
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7:00 Mystery Bingo	7:00 Small Group Activity	7:00 Evening Trivia	7:00 Small Group Activity	7:00 Patio Time	7:00 Small Group Activity	Gladiolus





Walk with us on Saturday, Sept.

15 (a) 10 a.m. at the

UPMC Field

The West County Area

Alzheimer's Association Support Group

meeting will be held at Pleasant Ridge Manor

Wednesday August 8, 2018

at 6:30 p.m.

For more information: call Carrie Altadonna 474-5521, extension 215.

