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MONTHLY Newsletter

Resident Spotlight



Aurelia was born and raised in Angelica WI. She had two brothers and three sisters. When she was 25 has had moved to Milwaukee where she had lived until she was 75! While she was living there she worked as a factory worker and worked in the schools cafeterias. She had then moved back to Green Bay after she retired. Aurelia has always loved to crochet afghans and spend time listening to her favorite bird, cardinals. She also loved spending time with her german shepherd dogs and her yellow lab, Sandy. She also didn't mind the occasional trip to the casino. Saying her rosary and prayers everyday is her biggest passion. We are so glad you are here, Aurelia!



Jerry was born in Green Bay, WI. When he was three, his family moved to a farm in Luxemburg. After he graduated, he worked as a tractor mechanic for a couple of years. During this time he began dating Marcella. He then joined the Army and served for two years, which included 14 months in Korea. When he returned, he married his sweetheart - on her birthday, and was able to return to his previous job as a tractor mechanic. They remained in Luxemburg for about 12 years and raised their six children. As you might guess, Gerald loves tractors, especially International's. He was also in the 2-Cycle John Deere Club for several years. In 1967 they moved to Green Bay where he worked for WPS until he retired. Gerald enjoys photography and genealogy, and even made several trips to Belgium to meet his relatives. He and his wife were also very active in their church and the Eucharistic Ministry, and would often go to nursing homes to give communion. Jerry also volunteered for over 25 years at St Vincent DePaul's in Green Bay. We are so glad you are here, Jerry!



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"IT WAS AN EASY CHOICE WHEN CHOOSING EMERALD BAY FOR MY NEW HOME. EVERYONE IS SO WARM AND FRIENDLY. I LOVE HOW EVERYONE LOOKS OUT FOR ONE ANOTHER. WE ARE LIKE ONE BIG FAMILY!"



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~Remembering Our Friends~



Gloria Kathleen (Beerntsen) Keyser, 88, passed to eternal life on September 14, 2021, with family by her side. The daughter of the late Henry and Martha (Jordan) Beerntsen was born January 1, 1933. Gloria loved to recall and share that she was the first-born baby of 1933 in Green Bay. On January 28, 1961, Gloria married Norbert "Bud" Keyser at St. Patrick's Church in Green Bay.

Gloria worked in her father's store, Beerntsen's Candies, and later as a secretary for Nelson Machinery and Northwest Engineering. As a loving wife, mother, and homemaker for her six children, she also was the secretary for Norbert's business, Keyser Plumbing. In her younger years, she liked playing softball, tennis, and did bowling. She also loved playing card games like sheepshead with her family; especially Nancy, Jim, Robert, Carol, and father Harold. Gloria was an avid Packer fan and enjoyed spending time with her family and friends. Loved by all, Gloria was a positive person and loved joking around. She had a strong faith, was charitable, and had a good heart.

Thank you to Emerald Bay Memory Care and Heartland Hospice for caring for our mom.



Ronald J. Soletske, 87, a gentle soul, Hobart resident, formerly of Green Bay, took his last breath on Tuesday, September 7, 2021. He was born on December 8, 1933, in Green Bay to the late Edward and Irene (Le Mieux) Soletske. Ron had a passion for dancing and performed on numerous shows before he graduated high school and joined the U.S. Army. While serving in the Army, he was stationed in Germany where he met and

married Gerda Pister on December 24, 1955. She preceded him in death on March 12, 2004. After completing his service, he and Gerda returned to Green Bay and raised five children. He worked at Fort Howard Paper Company for 36 years until his retirement. In his spare time, he enjoyed hunting, fishing, golfing and bowling.

To Hattie, Patrick, past and present staff at Emerald Bay Assisting Living and the Heartland Hospice team, I cannot thank you enough for all of the care and support. I couldn't have done this journey without you. All my love, Irene.



Our dad, Michael Dennis Daly, 92, Green Bay, was called home to the Lord on Wednesday, September 15, 2021.

Michael was born April 4, 1929 in Zell, South Dakota to Michael and Eleanor (Lockway) Daly. He attended St. Mary's Catholic School in Zell, SD and after the family moved to Estelline in 1944, graduated with the class of 1947. He then attended Chillicothe Business School in Missouri.

Michael enlisted and served as Yeoman (2nd Class) in the United States Navy, stationed in New Orleans, and touring Mediterranean ports between 1951 and 1955. He later enrolled at South Dakota State University at Brookings, graduating with a B.S. in Journalism.

Michael married Audrey Okins on June 6, 1959 at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Lamberton MN. They started their family in St. Paul, MN before moving to Green Bay in 1963 with his job as an auditor for St. Paul Terminal Warehouse Company. In later years, he was a parks groundskeeper, an on-site apartment manager, a school bus driver with Lamers, and a crossing guard with the city of Green Bay.

Michael loved all sports from an early age - most of all, baseball. Many times, he recounted how as a young boy, he would challenge himself to emulate his favorite baseball idol. He also played basketball and track & field as a young man, and baseball and football in the Navy. Michael continued to play (softball) into his 70's, ending his career with the "Old Timers" here in the Green Bay area. He enjoyed golf and met many great friends through bowling leagues. Mike proudly bowled his first 300 game in 2000, at age 71.

Michael was devoted to his Catholic faith. He loved to attend church mass as often as possible, and over the years often served as an usher. In later years, he volunteered each week to chaperone perpetual adoration at St. Francis Xavier Cathedral and St. Peter and Paul Catholic Church in Green Bay. His heart was dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary and her message at Fatima.

The Daly family extends deepest appreciation to the staff at Emerald Bay Memory Care where he resided the past year, and those with St. Vincent Hospital and Unity Hospice who provided care and compassion in his final days when we were unable to be by his side. For this, we are forever grateful. May God Bless and protect our Healthcare workers.



Fun Times in September

Emerald Bay Retirement Community



Dance Empowerment



Halloween Puzzle



Happy Halloween



AMULET
APPARITION
BATS
BLACK CAT
BOO
BRIMSTONE
CACKLE
CAULDRON
COBWEB

CONJURE
EERIE
FRIGHTFUL
GHOST
GOOSE BUMPS
JACK-O-LANTERN
MOON
MYSTERIOUS
PHANTOM

POTION
PUMPKIN
SKELETON
SPELL
SPOOKY
TRICK OR TREAT
TWILIGHT
WITCH



Fun Times in September

Emerald Bay Memory Care



Special Dates to Remember

Events Happening in October

Emerald Bay Memory Care

October 6th– Pumpkin Painting

October 8th– Happy Hour

October 13th– Fall Craft

October 14th– Cosmic Bingo

October 15th– Happy Hour

October 20th– Pumpkin Carving

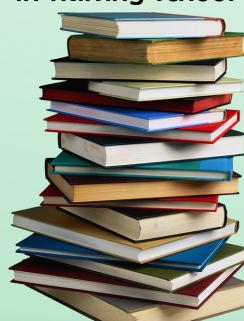
October 22nd– Happy Hour

October 29th– Halloween Party



Liliana was born in Utah and moved to Wisconsin when she was seven years old. She is married and has a three year old daughter and a step son. In her free time she enjoys reading and spending as much time outside as possible. Liliana loves working here at Emerald Bay Memory Care and is currently in nursing school to become an MA. We are so glad you are apart of our team, Liliana!

Employee Spotlight



Genesis Therapy

Please join Genesis Rehab Services at Emerald Bay on October 13th, 2021 in the Pub for our Age In Motion Wellness Seminar. This month topic is Fit and Healthy-Strengthening. The seminar will run from 10:00AM-11:00AM. We hope to see you there!

The "Fit and Healthy - Strengthening" seminar is an educational program designed to provide an overview of strength and resistance exercise as a component of health-related fitness. This seminar provides useful guidelines for creating strength training programs that are age- and function-appropriate. Increased knowledge about strength training will enhance the quality of life and independence of our residents at Emerald Bay.



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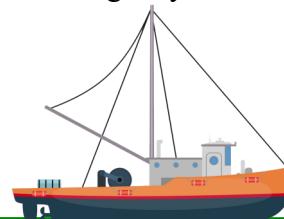
~Meet Our New Residents~



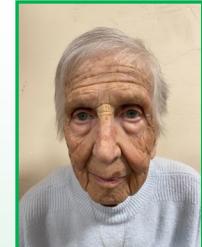
Marty was born in Bear Creek, WI, where his parents had a farm. When he was around seven they moved to Green Bay. Before he graduated, he joined the National Guard and became a Sargent of the Heavy Weapon Platoon during his 10-year duty. During this time he met and married his beautiful wife, Rosey, and they had three children. He first worked for Morning Glory, then drove semi delivering Gold Bond Ice Cream all over the US. Can you imagine a better job than that! Marty has been to every state except two, Florida and New Mexico. Marty enjoys bowling, golfing, gardening, and traveling, which included a cruise to the Caribbean. He also enjoyed hunting and fishing at his cabin at Pine Lake near Crandon. Marty is a great carpenter and built three houses! Welcome Marty!



June was born and raised in Shawano County. When she graduated she started to work as a receptionist at a field mill. She then met the love of her life, Roger and they had 5 wonderful children together. While her children were growing up June was a stay at home mom. Once they were grown she started to work as a receptionist at a local creamery until she had retired. June loves to spend time with her 10 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren. For fun, June loves to crochet, read, complete puzzles, go boating, and travel. Last year June had traveled to Cherry Blossom in Washington D.C., Nashville, and Kentucky! Welcome June, we are so glad you are here!



Jim was born in DePere and raised on his family's 184-acre farm in Hobart, WI. He worked on the farm his whole life. He's proud to say that he was a perfectionist when it came to planting his crops and gardening. Jim retired when his parents retired. They then took a few vacations together which included a trip to Disney World. He said he went as an adult because he never had time to go when he was younger as he was always farming. After retiring Jim helped out on his neighbors farm for several years. Welcome Jim!



Dorothy "Dot" was born and raised in Rochester, NY. After graduating she worked for the Eastman Kodak company as an Order Clerk. She then married her husband, Robert, and stayed home to raise their three children. Several years later they relocated to the Hobart, WI, where they lived on a 20-acre

by farm for over 48 years. Dot and her husband had a large garden and sold much of their produce at the Green Bay Farmer's Market for many years. They were also involved with the Honor Flight Organization for Veteran's, and loved to go out west on fly fishing trips. Dot enjoyed bowling, golfing, knitting, and baking. She was also an excellent line dancer and would go around to nursing homes performing with her group. She loves to read and play the organ. Maybe we can get her to entertain us here at Emerald Bay! Welcome Dot!



Special Dates to Remember

Events Happening in October

Emerald Bay Retirement Community

October 7th– Age in Motion

October 13th– Scenic Fall Bus Tour

October 14th– Good for the Soul Music

October 19th– Resident Council & Soda Social

October 20th– Arts & Craft Show & Tell

October 21st– Men's Club

October 22nd– Decorate Pumpkins

October 27th– Tea Party

October 29th– Halloween Party



Employee Spotlight



Doug is our Transportation Specialist. He was born and raised in Green Bay. After graduating he had the opportunity to travel the US with friends. He began his career working in construction building houses. From there he became a manager for Services Plus, and then Bay Towel. After that he worked in Security for St John's Homeless Shelter and then became a case worker there. He says this is where he found his calling, as he loves to help people. From there he came to Emerald Bay. Doug played soccer from high school until he was 30. He has a wonderful wife and three children with one on the way. For fun Doug enjoys fishing, hunting, and going to the casino. He also takes family vacations to Florida every year. Doug said his family is everything to him, and that includes his family here at Emerald Bay!