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TENANT 4TH OF JULY COOK-OUT

All Carroll County Housing Authority residents are cordially invited to join in on a wonderful **TENANT 4TH OF JULY COOK-OUT** at Mest Manor. We will be celebrating the holiday while cooking up some food, and fun. An assortment of games will be played following lunch. We sure hope to see everyone there.

DATE: Tuesday, July 3, 2018

TIME: Noon (12:00 p.m.)

LOCATION: Mest Manor Dining Room

MENU: Hamburgers, Hot Dogs, Brats, Assorted Salads, Potato Chips & Beverage



NOTE: If you plan on attending the cook-out, please sign the sign-up sheet provided in the Mest Manor Lobby, or call the CCHA office to RSVP. ** This event is being sponsored, as well as, hosted by the CCHA Resident Advisory Committee.

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"The luxury of all summer's sweet sensation is to be found when one lies at length in the warm, fragrant grass, soaked with sunshine, aware of regions of blossoming clover and of a high heaven filled with the hum of innumerable bees!"

- Harriet E. Prescott



PINEAPPLE ORANGE CAKE RECIPE

This dessert is moist and light, yet so satisfying.

INGREDIENTS

- * 1 package yellow cake mix (regular size)
- * 1 can (11 ounces) mandarin oranges, undrained
- * 4 large egg whites
- * 1/2 cup unsweetened applesauce

TOPPING

- * 1 can (20 ounces) crushed pineapple, undrained
- * 1 package (1 ounce) sugar-free vanilla pudding mix
- * 1 carton (8 ounces) reduced-fat whipped topping

DIRECTIONS

- * In a large bowl, beat the cake mix, oranges, egg whites and applesauce on low speed for 2 minutes. Pour into a 13x9 in. baking dish coated with cooking spray.
- * Bake at 350° for 25-30 minutes or until a toothpick inserted in the center comes out clean. Cool on a wire rack.
- * In a bowl, combine the pineapple and pudding mix. Fold in whipped topping just until blended. Spread over cake. Refrigerate for at least 1 hour before serving.

YIELD: 15 servings.



INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATION

This year, the City of Savanna will celebrate the Fourth of July on **SATURDAY, JULY 7TH**. The evening festivities will kickoff at 6:00 p.m. with a parade held on Main Street in downtown Savanna. All local residents, organizations, and businesses are encouraged to participate. Following the parade, the celebration will continue on at the West Carroll High School grounds with several fun activities planned; which will include face painting, several games, bounce houses, an Apple Pie Bake Off and much MORE. Food, as well as, soft drinks will be available for purchase. The evening will then wrap up with a **BIG FIREWORKS** display at dusk!

SENIOR HUMOR

- Five perks of reaching 60, or being over 70 and heading towards 80 years old:
1. Kidnappers are not very interested in you.
 2. In a hostage situation you are likely to be released first.
 3. People call at 8:00pm and ask "Did I wake you?"
 4. No one expects you to run anywhere.
 5. There is nothing to learn the hard way!

CCHA MONTHLY HAPPENINGS:

- BINGO (Mest Manor) Monday, July 9th & 23rd 1:00p.m. (All Tenants Welcome)
- Carroll Apts. Unit Inspections Tuesday, July 10th (Units #1 - #8) Thursday, July 12th (Units #9 - #16) Monday, July 16th (Units #17 - #24) * Beginning at 11:00 a.m.
- Board Game/Card Club Saturday, July 14th 6:30 p.m.
- Maple Lane Unit Inspections Tuesday, July 17th * Beginning at 11:00 a.m.
- Regular Board Meeting Wednesday, July 18th 2:00 p.m. (Mest Manor)
- Pest Control (All Units) Friday, July 20th 8:30 a.m.

OFFICE CLOSURE:

INDEPENDENCE DAY
Wednesday, July 4th





JULY BIRTHDAYS

Christa Darr	2
Charles Letcher	9
Ruby Wright	10
Teresa Poore	15
Heather Law	17
James Mills	21
Sienna Young	21
Lyra Siglar	23
Latrice Lewis	23
Elena Schaefer	24
Christina Reimolds	25
Keegan Gibson	27
Carygan Powell	28



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Mission Statement

The Housing Authority of the County of Carroll is committed to providing quality, affordable housing that is decent and safe, to eligible families in this community. We endeavor to instill pride and desire for an enhanced quality of life for our residents and their families.

We are committed to serving our residents and this entire community in a manner that demonstrates professional courtesy, respect, and caring.



HOW TO PLANT YOUR GARDEN OF DAILY LIVING:

PLANT THREE ROWS OF PEAS:

1. Peas of mind
2. Peas of heart
3. Peas of soul

PLANT FOUR ROWS OF SQUASH:

1. Squash gossip
2. Squash indifference
3. Squash grumbling
4. Squash selfishness

PLANT FOUR ROWS OF LETTUCE:

1. Lettuce be faithful
2. Lettuce be kind
3. Lettuce be patient
4. Lettuce really love one another

NO GARDEN IS WITHOUT TURNIPS:

1. Turnip for meetings
2. Turnip for service
3. Turnip to help one another

TO FINISH THE GARDEN, WE MUST HAVE THYME:

1. Thyme for each other
2. Thyme for family
3. Thyme for friends

WATER FREELY WITH PATIENCE AND CULTIVATE WITH LOVE. THERE IS MUCH FRUIT IN YOUR GARDEN BECAUSE YOU REAP WHAT YOU SOW!!



RIVER BEND MOBILE FOOD PANTRY



The River Bend Food Bank, a non-profit organization located in the Quad Cities, is partnering with the Savanna Food Pantry and will be distributing wholesome food to Carroll County residents in need. Individuals will need to provide their name and telephone number at the distribution site. The River Bend Mobile Food Pantry is an extra benefit to our local residents, and does not count against the individual as a visit to the Savanna Food Pantry. All the food is passed out in approximately two hours in a farmer's market style of distribution.

DATE: Saturday, July 21, 2018

REGISTRATION TIME: 10:15 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

DISTRIBUTION TIME: 11:00 a.m.

LOCATION: ShopKo Parking Lot (251 South 4th St., Savanna, IL)

**CONGRATULATIONS MARK & MARIA KARSTEN, JR.
(CCHA TENANTS RESIDING AT MEST MANOR)**

Congratulations to Mark Karsten, Jr. & Maria Crespo, as they were united in marriage in early June. A wedding reception was held at Mest Manor on Thursday, June 14, 2018, to celebrate the joyous occasion.

