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# VINTAGE VOICE



A manufactured home community that fits your lifestyle!

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Eric Yamry Community Manager

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Community Reminders

Coffee Social

Wednesdays in January 10:00 am VA Community Room

#### **TOPS**

Tuesdays in January 5:45pm VA Community Room

#### Citizen's Patrol Meeting

Wednesday, January 30 7:00 pm VA Community Center Join us!

Visit us online at vintageacres.com

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### **Christmas Gathering at Vintage**

We had a great time at our Christmas party in the Vintage Acres Community Center this year. Many enjoyed hot chocolate, cookies, roasted hot dogs and marshmallows over the fire outside and Santa Claus came to visit. The room was all decked out with Christmas spirit. Good fellowship was enjoyed by all. The





children had a chance to sit on Santa's lap and tell him their Christmas gift wishes. Each received a small gift and joined Santa in singing Christmas carols before he had to return to the North Pole. Many thanks to all how volunteered and helped to make our celebration successful.

Happy Holidays to all at Vintage Acres!

## Weekly Coffee Social...

The Vintage Acres Coffee Social will start playing games of BUNCO at the Wednesday morning gatherings. All who may be interested are welcome to come join the fun. Bunco is an European Parlor game of chance that involves rolling dice. No experience necessary. Come join in the fun at our coffee social gathering.

#### **CRP Information**

Prior to January 31st, you will receive your MN Certificate of Rent Paid from Vintage Acres. Use this form for your rental tax refund from the State of MN. For more info visit:

www.taxes.state.mn.us.



# Winners of Lighting Contest

It is with pleasure that we announce our winners of our 2012 Christmas Lighting Contest at Vintage Acres.

1st Place... 10 Bubalo Dr

2nd Place... 29 Burger Dr

3rd Place... 5 Barker Dr

Congratulations and thanks to all who help to light Vintage Acres with their festive spirit this Holiday Season.

The Vintage Acres Office will be closed for New Year's on Tuesday, January 1.

## **Cheesy Bacon and Egg Casserole (Hot dish)**

8 Slices of bacon

1 medium onion, chopped

1 loaf Italian bread, cut into 2" squares

2 C shredded cheddar cheese

1 C shredded mozzarella cheese

1 C cottage cheese

5 eggs

1 1/2 C milk

1/2 tsp. ground mustard

1/2 tsp. ground nutmeg

1/4 tsp. ground black pepper

Preheat oven to 350. Cook bacon in skillet until crisp. Drain on paper towel, Crumble and set aside. Cook onion in drippings until softened. Spread half of the bread cubes in a 13x9 baking dish. Layer with half each of bacon, onion, cheddar and mozzarella cheeses. Spread evenly with cottage cheese. Top with remaining bread cubes, bacon, onion, and cheeses. Beat eggs in a bowl with milk, mustard, nutmeg, and pepper until well blended. Pour evenly over the top. Let stand 10 minutes to let egg mix soak into bread. Bake 40-50 minutes or until center is set and golden brown.

#### Ask Eric W...

The Vintage Repair Guy!

## Q: Is it important to have a carbon monoxide detector in my house?

A: Carbon Monoxide is a poisonous gas that kills about 500 people in the US each year. Called the "silent killer" because you can't hear, taste, see or smell the gases. Often the gas is emitted from a malfunctioning gas appliance such as a furnace, stove, oven or water heater. When these appliances are not adequately ventilated, they might emit CO gases in the house which can cause illness or death. Other sources of CO include blocked cooking appliances, blocked chimney flue and vehicle exhaust. When your CO detector goes off, get out of the home and call 911. Make sure your *carbon monoxide detectors* are working properly in your home this Holiday Season. Eric W



Contact: Lauren at 218-340-4977

### **Snow Removal Helpers**

Todd White ...... 349-1090 Greg Hinnenkamp....348-7527

General Work Call Jon Kaldahl if you need some general work done around your home. 218-491-3919

### **Jewelry Making Workshop**

Come join in the fun with this fun workshop on Monday, Jan 14th from 5-7pm in the Vintage Community Center. There is a nominal cost of \$20 which includes all your supplies to learn how to make jewelry. Learn something new this winter season before cabin fever sets in. For more info call the Vintage office 626-3282 or view the posters at the mailbox centers. Hope to see you there!

# Don't Forget your Sidewalk

Snow has arrived in Duluth. We work hard to clear a snowfall on our Vintage Acres streets. We require our home owners to remove snow from their off -street parking pad, home sidewalk, and street sidewalk in front of their home. Together, we can keep our Vintage community safe for driving and walking. Thanks for your cooperation this winter.



Congratulations to Leola Burke, our December Early Bird winner of a \$25.00 gift certificate!

To have your name entered into next month's drawing, pay your rent before the 1st of the month. You could be next month's Early Bird Winner!

Thank You!



