

BREVILLIER INSIDER

*A Newsletter For Brevillier Village
Residents, Families, Friends, And Volunteers.*



September 2022

Erie's Choice Finalist!!

Thank you for VOTING!! Brevillier Village has been named an Erie's Choice Finalist in the following categories:

Beauty & Health	Rehabilitation Facility
Home & Home Services	Apartment Complex
Home & Home Services	Retirement/55+ Community



The winners will be announced in the Erie Times Newspaper on Sunday, October 2nd. Kudos to everyone who makes this possible. As Erie's reigning champion in two of these categories, we know what it takes to be Erie's Choice! Our staff, Board of Directors, volunteers, residents & their loved ones, and our entire **Brevillier Village Family**—YOU ARE ALL a part of what makes us the BEST!

Erie Gives Day 2022—Success!

Erie Gives Day 2022 was a true testament of the unwavering support from our Brevillier Village family, friends & staff! We graciously received a check in the amount of \$13,539.22 from The Erie Community Foundation. This total includes your generous donations and the prorated match from sponsors. These funds will be put towards our new nurse call system. We began this fundraiser about two years ago, between a variety of events, such as Erie Gives Day 2021 & 2022, our last two Golf Outings, and donations we are nearly 3/4 of the way to our total of \$200,000. We appreciate everyone's support and dedication to our Mission in providing person-centered care. Events like Erie Gives Day, especially during the pandemic, have been instrumental in raising funds. As we get closer to reaching our goal the committee is moving forward in the process looking into systems and product research. The new system will not only replace antiquated equipment but will also provide our residents and staff with the tools needed to enhance resident care. When thinking of a nursing home or long term care, keep in mind the most important word, home. This is the to many people and in order to maintain comfort and security, we consider this upgrade necessary. Again, heartfelt & sincere thanks to all who have contributed to this cause. We couldn't do it with out you!

Thank You!

BV Mission:

Through uncompromising attention to body, mind and spirit, Brevillier Village meets housing and health care needs in a home-like atmosphere.

BV Philosophy:

Continuing a quality not-for-profit outreach of the Episcopal Church, we are dedicated staff and volunteer care givers who serve older adults with dignity and respect.

BV Vision:

Quality of Life Matters.

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Retirement/Senior Living Facility
2017 ★ 2018 ★ 2019 ★ 2020 ★ 2021
Rehabilitation
2020 ★ 2021



Upcoming Brevillier Village Events

Brevillier Village Recreation:

Recreation is continuing to get some things back to pre-COVID normal. Residents from Barnabas South & North are coming together for some activity and the Ball Pavilion residents are mixing the halls together for some of our bigger groups.

You will see the weekly calendars available again in the foyers having a new look. Remember you can always call 814-898-5900 to hear each days events.

- 9/11 Patriot Day ~ Never Forgotten!!! And Grandparents Day
- 9/20 1:30 Country Music by Michael Donahue (BCN)
- 9/22 1st Day of Autumn Fall Fest Cart
- 9/23 1:30 Peaceful Easy Feeling
- 9/22 Autumn Fall Fest Carts (BP, BN & BS)
- 9/23 Peaceful Easy Feeling (BP)
- 9/29 6:30 Pajama Party (BCS)



Conrad House Resident Bake & Craft Sale:

Residents at Conrad House will be hosting a bake and craft sale on **Wednesday, October 20th from 9 am—2 pm** in the Multi-purpose Room. Feel free to stop by to satisfy your sweet tooth and enjoy some early holiday shopping!

Brevillier Village Fall Book Sale:

The Annual Used Book Sale to honor the memory of Hally Van Slyke will be held in the St. Barnabas Education Center on Friday, **November 4th and Saturday, November 5th from 9am-2pm**. Books are priced “donation only,” whatever you are able/willing to give is greatly appreciated!

Donations will be accepted up until Thursday, October 31st. PLEASE do not bring in any of the following items:

- NO encyclopedias
- NO text books or technology books
- NO reader's digest condensed books
- NO cassette or VHS tapes



If you are interested in helping with the Book Sale, please contact our Volunteer Coordinator, Jen Kehl for more information at (814)899-8600 Ext. 246 or jkehl@brevillier.org

Resident Physician Details:

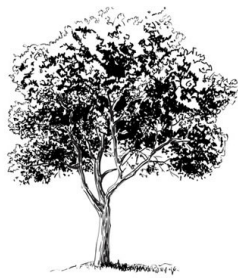
There has been some confusion over a letter that many families have received concerning Dr. Jageman's medical practice. This letter was sent out to all of the patients/POA's in his practice. At this time Dr. Jageman is not practicing out of his office on Zuck Road, but he will continue to have staff privileges at UPMC Hamot and he will continue as medical director at Brevillier Village. He does come in twice a week to see his patients here. We also have CRNP Sharon Heidecker here through the HVA CareConnect program who will see Village residents on the days that Dr. Jageman is not here. If you have any questions, please call Amy Learn at Ball Pavilion or Jean LaFuria at Barnabas Court.

Jean LaFuria BSW, NHA, PCHA

Vice President of Residential Services

Brevillier Village

(814) 899-8600 ext. 329 or jlafuria@brevillier.org



Caring Angels:

Brevillier Village has established a policy that no resident will be alone during their final moments of life. The former Caring for the Dying program will now be called Caring Angels. The Caring Angels program is a list of specially trained volunteers who are called to sit with a resident if the family is unable to be with their loved one. These volunteers understand they can be called on anytime day or night. Training will be provided. If you are interested in becoming a Caring Angels Volunteer, please contact Jen Kehl (814)899-8600 ext. 246 or Deacon Chuck ext. 219.

Safety Reminders:

Please make sure to sign out at the nurse's station if you are going outside to visit, either on or off campus. South residents may sign in/out in the South foyer. This helps us keep an accurate record of whereabouts, should an emergency arise. Don't forget to check back in upon your return.

Be careful around coded doors to not let any resident through unless they are accompanied by staff or a family member. Watch while entering numbers to make sure other residents aren't looking.

Residents are always welcome in the courtyards. If a trip to the grounds is requested without a family member, please let staff know so arrangements can be made to accompany the resident.

Keep It In The Creek Week!!



Celebrate your Harborcreek Pride with Keep It In The Creek Week, September 19—25th. Show your Harborcreek pride by participating in week-long activities with local businesses. Be sure to see the Your-Harborcreek township magazine or the Harborcreek Community Engagement Team Facebook Page for details.

CareersToLovePA

NEW Wage Structure!!

There are positions in nearly each department that is in need of staff. We welcome you to apply using our online application (link below) or by stopping by one of our offices.

There are many benefits when working at Brevillier Village, we are more than just a place of employment and offer full or part time flexible schedules in a family/team environment, learning/advancement opportunities, and much more. If you are interested but not sure, feel free to ask about job shadowing with our staff!

Online Job Application:

www.brevillier.org/careers

Open Positions	
Cook/Coordinator	6a-2:30p/10:30a-7p
Servers	6a-2:30p/9a-5:30p/10:30a-7p
Evening Servers	3:45p-7:15p
Housekeepers	1 st shift
Floor Tech	1 st shift
RN	2 nd shift and 12hr PM
LPN	2 nd shift and 12hr PM
Nurse Aides	1 st , 2 nd , & 3 rd shift
Personal Care Aides	2 nd and 3 rd shift
Evening Clerical	Evenings and Weekends
Rec Aide	Varies



Ball Pavilion:

Robert Bohrer
Mary Homchenko
Lynda Shirey
Billie Markham
Marilyn J. Garfield



Barnabas Court North:

Barnabas Court South



Conrad House:

Rose Gensheimer
Ann Groves

Brevillier Village Guest Room Accommodations

Two guest rooms are available at Brevillier Village. They are on the second floor at Barnabas Court South (*This is accessible by elevator*). The guest room offers affordable, comfortable accommodations allowing family members/loved ones to be closer to the resident during their stay in Erie.

Our guest room is a studio (efficiency) apartment with a full bath that includes a walk-in shower, and a kitchenette with a microwave, coffee/coffee pot, refrigerator and sink. Both are furnished with a queen size bed, nightstand, TV, love seat and chair, dinette table and chairs, and lamp. Bed linens and towels are included. An air mattress is available if needed. Toiletries need to be provided by the guest. Telephone service is available in the room. **No pets are permitted.*

The costs for the Guest Room are:

- \$90.00/night-1 guest or \$95.00 using a credit card
- \$100.00/night-2 guests or \$105.00 using a credit card

Other amenities include:

- Safe for personal belongings
- On-site Chapel for meditation/prayer
- Wi-Fi connections at designated places in the Village
- Outdoor walking path around the Village
- Convenient parking
- Some of the best sunsets in the world!!

If interested in reserving a Guest Room, please contact Kristin Laine, Director of Admissions at (814)-899-8600. Jen Kehl, Conrad House Social Worker can reserve rooms in Kristin's absence.

In Loving Memory

*The ones we love never go away,
They walk beside us even on this day.
Unseen, unheard, yet always near.
Still loved, still missed, and very dear.*

Last Goodbyes

We share our heartfelt goodbyes to
those who have recently passed.

Runa Bartkowiak
Doris Hinkler
Rem Muffie
Bill Yatsko



Let's Celebrate!



Lori Parker	9/10/2002	20 Years
Denise Kolodziejczak	9/21/2009	13 Years
Allison Duda	9/23/2009	13 Years
Maureen Rizzo	9/18/2018	4 Years
Kim Whitman	9/26/2018	4 Years
Rebecca Wargo	9/6/2019	3 Years
Emily Maloney	9/12/2019	3 Years
Janeen Himrod	9/12/2019	3 Years
Afton LaGrandeur	9/13/2019	3 Years
Amaryliz Lopez	9/14/2020	2 Years
Amanda Bretz	9/22/2020	2 Years
Kiaunna Sutton	9/10/2021	1 Years
Emma Sloan	9/13/2021	1 Years
Tinya Thomas	9/28/2021	1 Years

Happy Birthday

Staff Birthdays

Holly LaFuria	9/3
Karen Snedden	9/4
Zachary Olson	9/5
Jennifer Schultz	9/6
Xander Simons	9/6
Brynn Baker	9/8
Gabriel Charles	9/8
Nancy Steele	9/9
Tyler Spellman	9/11
Amaryliz Lopez	9/13
Jett Johnson	9/15
Janeen Himrod	9/17
Lacey Kolodziejczak	9/17
Venessa Cochran	9/19
Kimberly Cottrell	9/20
Genesis Ortiz-Boria	9/21
Tamra Samulewski	9/22
Andrew Achille	9/24
Gwendolyn Heyer	9/27

Ball Pavilion

Pat Granger	9/03
Eunice Patton	9/05
Bud Bohrer	9/08
Jean Hunter	9/12
Dot Beatty	9/15
Lou Phillips	9/16
Margaret Cermak	9/18
Yvonne Doerr	9/19
Carl Spacht	9/29

Barnabas Court North

**Happy 100th Birthday to
Donald Faulhaber 9/3rd**

Barbara Burghart	9/12
Roberta Dufala	9/14

Barnabas Court South

Judy Kruger	9/13
Pat Bucceri	9/14

Conrad House

Dolores Smith	9/4
John Martin	9/12
Judy McCool	9/23
Linda LiCausi	9/23





BREVILLIER VILLAGE

The Ball Pavilion
5416 East Lake Road
Erie, PA 16511

“When Quality of Life Matters!”

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The Erie Times News will be announcing 2022 Erie Choice Winners on Sunday, October 2nd!!

Congratulations to all of the finalists! We could not do this with out our amazing staff and your support!

Resident Activities & Upcoming Events

- 9/19 Keep It In The Creek Week—through September 25th
- 9/20 1:30 Country Music by Michael Donahue Barnabas Court North
- 9/22 **1st Day of Autumn** Fall Fest Cart
- 9/23 1:30 Peaceful Easy Feeling
- 9/28 Pumpkin Carving (PB & BC)
- 9/29 6:30 Pajama Party (BCS)
- 9/30 Master Gardener's Annual Pumpkin Walk @ Waldameer

- 10/20 Conrad House Bake & Craft Sale 9 am—1pm
- 11/4 Health & Wellness Fair @ Eastside YMCA 9 am—12 pm

