

# WINDSOR UPDATE

WINDSOR MANOR ASSISTED LIVING \* NEVADA, IA

## Windsor Manor Bus Transportation

Bus transportation will be provided on **Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays**. Please make all appointments on these days if you need the bus. If weather is bad, we will not be transporting residents and your appointment will be rescheduled.

## Activity Room Reservation

The Activity Room can be reserved by residents and family for special events and holidays. The room is free of charge and first come first serve. Reservations may be made with the business office or with Margie.

## Winter Valet Service

Please allow staff to start, clean off, and bring your cars up to front of the building when parking lot is icy and weather is cold. Please consider rescheduling your appointments if weather is bad.



# DECEMBER

## December Birthdays:

### Residents:

**Mary Ann Wahl**  
December 2<sup>nd</sup>

**Carolyn Gottschalk**  
December 5<sup>th</sup>

**Hazel Wright**  
December 30<sup>th</sup>

### Staff Birthdays:

**Nate Albrecht**  
December 21<sup>st</sup>

**Alison Kapustka**  
December 27<sup>th</sup>



## *BOWL ME A STRIKE!*

**Windsor residents enjoying a game of Wii Bowling in our lounge. Join us on Wednesdays and Sundays for Wii Bowling!**

## Holiday Facts



Toys for Tots got its start in 1947. This annual drive provides toys to needy children, making the holidays a little happier for kids who would otherwise be left out of the gift-giving season. As of 2016, the Toys for Tots Program and Foundation have collected and distributed more than 512 million toys.

## Just for Laughs

Christmas was coming and Tommy was asking for a bicycle. He decided he would pray for one. One night he prayed so loudly that his mother could hear him all the way downstairs. She went up and told him he didn't need to yell because God isn't hard of hearing. He responded, "But Grandma is!"

### Root of the Matter



#### *Burn the midnight oil*

Burning the midnight oil means working late into the night. While some believe this expression to come from olden days when oil lamps were used to work after dark, others think it has a religious origin. Before the consecration of new holy oils, old oils would be burned throughout the night.

### Room Service Charge

**Beginning December 1<sup>st</sup>, there will be a charge of \$3 for each meal that is delivered to your apartment. The only exception is when you are advised to remain in your apartment due to illness. If you have any questions or concerns please see Alison.**



### CAROLING MONTH

*'Tis the Season to be Jolly*

Below is a list of groups coming in to carol for us!

**December 4<sup>th</sup> @ 2:45pm Cub Scouts**

**December 11<sup>th</sup> @ 6pm Christian Church**

**December 15<sup>th</sup> @ 12:45pm 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Choir**



**Join us December 1<sup>st</sup> @ 2pm to decorate Christmas Trees!**

### **FAMILY AND FRIENDS CHRISTMAS PARTY**

**MONDAY DECEMBER 19<sup>TH</sup>  
5-7PM  
JOIN US FOR SUPPER, MUSIC  
AND GOOD CHEER!**

**PLEASE RSVP BY DECEMBER 14<sup>TH</sup>  
515-382-2980 OR EMAIL  
[margie.archambault@windsor-manor.com](mailto:margie.archambault@windsor-manor.com)**



#### *Riddle Me This*

What has a head, a tail, and is brown, but has no legs?

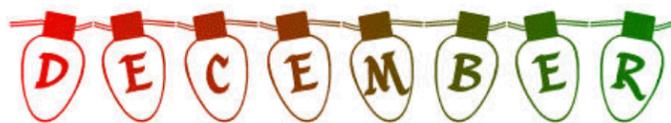
*See Margie for answer*



*Candy Cane Month*

#### *Punny Business*

A small boy swallowed some coins and was taken to the hospital. When his grandmother telephoned to ask how he was, the nurse said, "No change yet."



#### **The Holly and the Ivy**

The shiny, bright holly plant was treasured by the Druids for its dramatic winter color. The Celts believed that the goddess Ivy kept life going through the cold harsh months. Greeks used ivy together with prickly holly as a marriage wreath symbolizing fertility.