

**HILLTOP COMMONS
INFORMATION**

Office: (530) 272-5274
Kitchen: (530) 272-2854
Fax: (530) 272-5275

Laundry Room Hours:
Daily: 7:00am-9:00pm
Please remove all items from washers
and dryers by 9:00pm

**PLEASE DO NOT LEAVE YOUR CLOTHES
SITTING IN THE DRYER – PEOPLE MAY
NEED TO USE THE DRYER AND PUT YOUR
CLOTHES ON THE COUNTER WHERE THEY
MAY BE MISTAKEN FOR GIVEAWAY STUFF!!**

Van Schedule (Van leaves at 10am)
SIGN-UPS ARE REQUIRED!

Mondays
Shopping (Brunswick area)

Tuesdays
Doctor Appointments

Wednesdays
Shopping (Pine Creek area)

HAIR BY MARY – Hilltop Hair Salon
Tuesdays - Fridays / 9:00 am – 3:00 pm
Call for appointments – 530-883-7112
(please no calls after 5pm)

MISC. PHONE NUMBERS:
Gold Country Lift: 530-271-7433
Larry King (Uber/Lyft) 808-652-2490
Post Office: 530-273-3429
The Union: 530-273-9565
Comcast Cable: 800-266-2278
Grass Valley Police
530-477-4600 (non-emergency)

July Birthdays

Patty Skeahan.....7/9
Mary Corder.....7/19
Carol Aragon.....7/31

July Anniversaries

Pat Kjose.....1 year
Shirley Paulus.....1 year
Jo Todd.....3 years
Joyce Wynne.....3 years
Terri Roman.....5 years
Doris Moore.....8 years
Bill McKinney....17 years



July Newsletter

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**From the Desk of
Jammie Barquilla
Community Administrator**

Happy July everyone!

The hot weather is here, and we have some hot changes around the building. As you all know, I have moved from Activities Director to Community Administrator. I loved doing activities with you all and I'm sure going to miss it!

I'm going to try to get out of the office as much as I can to come join in the fun. This is a new adjustment for me, and a new experience for Jill Mahanna, our new Activities Director. Jill is going to do a wonderful job. We will all have lots of fun together on our new adventures at Hilltop.

Please stay safe and out of the heat, and drink lots of water.

Thank you for being you,
Jammie Barquilla



Celebrating July

Independence Day
Monday, July 4th

Happy Hour
Music with Carl Jones
Thursday, July 7th

Chair Volleyball
Friday, July 8th

Bastille Day (France)
Thursday, July 14th

Happy Hour
Music with Cowboy Kurt
Thursday, July 14th

Happy Hour
Music with Chris Crockett
Thursday, July 21st

Happy Hour
Music with Strings Attached
Thursday, July 28th

Sweet Treat Social
Every Saturday
2:30pm

*Please check your activities
calendar for details and
additional events!*

Marketing Stuff
By Traci Gelgood
Marketing Director



Hello **July...**
**Just be you, because you are
Unique, worthy and amazing
Live every day to the fullest as
You deserve all the good in life**

Happy July, and happy summertime! The days are long and bright, and we have so many opportunities to visit with family and friends and neighbors! Invite family or friends to have lunch or dinner with you in our dining room, or invite a neighbor to sit out on the patio with you in the morning or early evening when the weather is perfect!

As the weather gets hotter, don't forget to hydrate!! Drink plenty of water even if you don't feel overheated.

And if you know anybody who might be interested in moving to Hilltop, or if you have a friend that you'd like to have move here and be one of your neighbors, please let me know or have them call me! You would be entitled to a referral bonus! It would be a \$1000 credit off your rent 60 days after they move in. Friends make the best neighbors, and neighbors make the best friends!

Stay happy, healthy, and safe!



Activities Stuff
By Jill Mahanna
Activities Director



Hello Hilltop! I am so excited to be here. My name is Jill Mahanna and I am your new Activities Director. As I write this, I am on my fourth day of work here. I love it already. Here are a few things about me: I am a professional artist; I paint landscapes in oil. I love hiking and camping, playing word games, yoga, plants and nature, and eating sweets! Jammie is a tough act to follow, but with her help and a bit of time to learn new things, I will find a good groove for sure. Please look at the activities calendar. It is full of so many fun things to do and I am excited to do them with you while I learn the ropes, and soon I will toss in some new things! I have a few ideas I want to run by you, so please introduce yourself to me (maybe a few times!) and tell me what you like to do here. I am interested in which current activities are your favorites and in your suggestions for new activities. As Jammie says, I am willing to try anything once!

Live entertainment continues each Thursday at Happy Hour. Cowboy Kurt and Chris Crockett will both be back, as will Carl Jones and Strings Attached (formerly known as Pre-Existing Conditions.) As I am an artist and I love crafts, we are going to continue crafts on Monday afternoon, and you can look for flyers about the upcoming craft each week. We will color mandalas, draw, and paint some flowers in watercolor, play with collage, and a few surprises TBD.

I'm excited to learn the Cornhole Game, so that's coming up the first Friday in July. I've also had a request for Chair Volleyball, so we'll do that the second Friday. Jammie started a walking club and I hope to see some of you there on Fridays at 10am. It will be a good chance to get outside before it gets too hot, and you can meet your new Activities Director and I can meet you! Walking and talking!

I hope to see you here and there. I am so grateful to be here with you and looking forward to a fun-filled summer! 😊

Thank you for being you!!!

Your Activities Director,
Jill Mahanna

Culinary Corner
By Bonnie Riley



Happy 4th of July everyone!! We will be celebrating the 4th with a BBQ from 10:30am to 12:30pm. We will be serving BBQ pork ribs, BBQ chicken, potato salad, baked beans, corn on the cob & watermelon. We will also be barbequing outside on the big BBQ!

The 4th is a Holiday for the kitchen staff, so we will have your box dinners ready for you to pick up at the BBQ. If you do not get a box dinner at the BBQ, please ask the office or night watch staff and they will be happy to get you one. Please feel free to invite your loved ones. If you know you will have guests, please let us know in advance. We like to see you all enjoying yourself with your family and friends on the 4th and we can't wait to see you there.

I see that we are missing dishes, utensils, cups, trays, etc. again. Some of you are very good about bringing your dishes back to the kitchen. The dishes need to stay in the dining room please. We have to-go boxes and bowls, and we would be happy to give those to you for food if you would like to take the rest of your meal back to your apartments. You can also bring your own Tupperware containers if you like. Please bring any dishes, utensils, cups, trays, etc. back to the kitchen if you have any. No questions asked. Thank you.

Just a reminder to you all that if you ever have any questions or need anything, please don't hesitate to ask, or give us a call in the kitchen.

Sincerely,
Chef Bonnie Riley

Kitchen # 530-272-8254



A note from Renata
Resident Relations



Hello, beautiful people!
Thank you for being so patient, kind, and welcoming! I am so lucky and grateful to be a part of Hilltop Commons and I feel ready to start this journey with all of you! I hope you can join me on Sundays at 2:30pm for a super fun game of memory – and that hopefully we can spice it up with some good smiles and laughs.

See you soon,
Renata Barkoff
