



Sanborn Gratiot Memorial Home September/October 2018 Newsletter

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I hope everyone is enjoying their summer. Summers in Michigan are so wonderful because of the beautiful blue water and amazing weather.

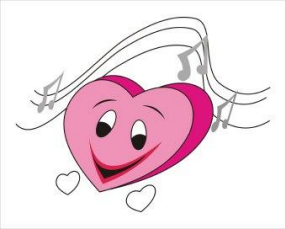
A few fun facts about Michigan:

- Michigan has more fresh water coastline than any province of any country in the world.
- Standing anywhere in the state, a person is within 85 miles of one of the great lakes.
- Michigan ranks first in boat registration.

Activities at Sanborn



Sanborn residents were excited to welcome back the 7th Street Band. The band entertained Sanborn again this summer. The talented folk band consists of 2 families who have played together for over 10 years. They are so talented and entertaining. Thank you Sanborn Auxiliary for providing the residents with such wonderful entertainment.





Activities at Sanborn (continued)



Sanborn residents enjoyed 2 separate ice cream socials in August; one was provided by Grace Hospice and the other was provided by Kimm Eick. The residents enjoyed the cold ice cream during the hot August weather. Thank you!!



Welcome to Sanborn

Carolyn Stewart (Coco) lived in Memphis with her brother Dennis and sister-in-law Sue for 4 years before moving to Sanborn. Coco worked at University of Phoenix for over 16 years before retiring. She loved her job in the computer lab helping students with their research papers. Some of Coco's hobbies are reading books, crafts, shopping, and going out to eat with family and friends. Coco is very active and loves to help other residents at Sanborn. Coco started a coloring group. She recruited other residents who wanted to color and now they have about 6 residents who get together to color and enjoy each other's company. Thank you, Coco, for all you do – we're glad you are at Sanborn!



Carolyn Stewart (Coco)

September & October Birthdays

Residents:

- Bob M. – Sept. 13
- Carolyn P. – Sept. 23
- Paul K. – Sept. 30



Employees:

- Jasmine G. – Sept. 6
- Betty G. – Sept. 22



Thank You!

Sanborn Gratiot Memorial Home would like to thank Girl Scout Troop #76421 for volunteering their time to weed our garden. We appreciate your help keeping Sanborn looking beautiful. Also, thank you to the 4H Sharp Shooters for donating the Uncle Sam and potted flowers for the porch.



Upcoming Events

- **Saturday, October 6, 2018:** Sanborn’s annual “Make a Difference Day” will be held on Saturday, October 6, 2018, from 9:00 a.m. to Noon. Volunteers are needed and appreciated. Come dressed for volunteer work as we paint, rake, trim, clean and beautify Sanborn. Please call Sanborn at 810-985-5631 if you are interested in volunteering.
- **Saturday, October 13, 2018:** The Woman’s Life Chapter #806 is sponsoring their annual “Rocking for a Cause” fundraiser event at Sanborn from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on Saturday, October 13, 2018. Funds raised will help support the Sanborn residents’ activity program. If you can’t rock, please consider sponsoring someone.
- **Thursday, October 25, 2018:** The Sanborn Auxiliary is having their Fall Fashion Show on Thursday, October 25, 2018. Come enjoy a wonderful lunch while watching a fashion show from Suzanne’s of Port Huron. This event begins at 12:30 p.m. and is being held at Port Huron Golf Club, 4101 Fairway Drive, Fort Gratiot, MI 48059.

For more information on any of these events, please contact Barb Watson at 810-985-5631.

