

OLPH WOMEN'S CLUB

Maryhaven Nursing and Rehabilitation Center 2017-2018

The OLPH Women's Club Guilds hold regularly scheduled parties for the residents of Maryhaven.

By volunteering for this service you help make a nursing home resident's day a little brighter. What little we can do to make them smile and feel appreciated is the reason we participate.

MARYHAVEN NURSING AND REHABILITATION CENTER

1700 EAST LAKE AVE.

Activities Director: Anita

Phone: 847-729-1300

Event Time: 2:30-3:30 p.m.

Contact should be made a minimum of one week prior to the party. ***

Parties are usually held on Thursdays.

Attendees are usually between 50-60 residents. This is a large group so it is recommended you have at least 3-5 people from your guild help out. There are 1-2 nurses aides on hand to also help you.

***If you need to request a date or time change, you must contact Anita a week before the party month. (i.e.: original party is scheduled for September 15, you would need to contact Anita on August 25.) Maryhaven prints up a calendar that is distributed to each resident on the first day of every month.

BIRTHDAY/SOCIAL PARTY (combined)

When you call Anita ask how many birthday attendees (male and female) there will be. Also find out how many total residents will be in attendance. Please bring a small gift for each birthday attendee. Gifts might include socks, note cards, travel size lotions, small picture frames, or any dollar store item you feel would be appropriate. Please do not bring candy. Please announce each birthday attendee by name and with a round of applause.

You may bring a cake or cupcakes and some drinks*. In addition, if you would like to bring some additional snacks, that would be fine. Fruits (with no seeds) or appetizer type items would be good. The Chef has indicated the kitchen is available to the volunteers if they would like to cut up or assemble any snack items. If you would like to use the kitchen, please call Chef Steve Lawhorn at (847)729-1300 (Maryhaven) or (630) 708-6552 (Cell). Chef Steve has some good ideas for food items. He can also provide plates and glasses if needed.

Residents have varying degrees of capability. Please plan your entertainment accordingly. Music, dancers, a sing along, short plays, children/adult choirs, etc are all good ideas. Put on your thinking cap and there will be something all the attendees can enjoy.

*Serving size should be thought of in terms of a “child’s serving portion”. Nonalcoholic drinks and punches are allowed. All food must be store purchased. Any items that need to be assembled/cut up must be done at the facility. No homemade food is allowed.

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