CELEBRATING 60th Anniversary

MASON COUNTY'S OAKVIEW

Oakleaf

November 2026

Hello Everyone

Oakview will be taking meal reservations for those who would like to eat Thanksgiving lunch with their loved one. Below is information on ordering

Please Contact

Mary Jo @ ext. 261 or e-mail mclaire@oakviewmcf.com

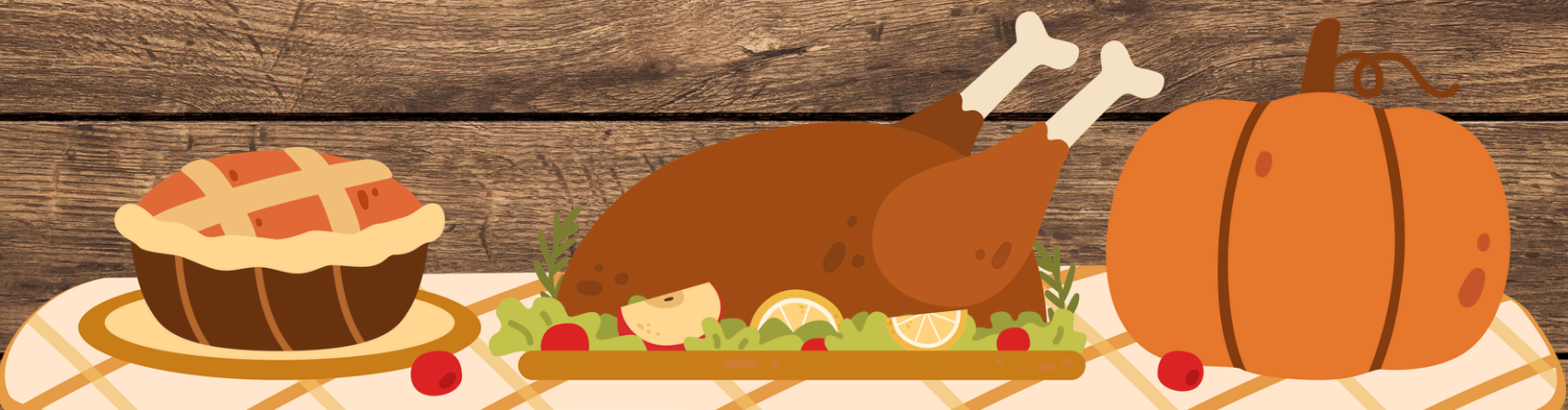
or

In person at the finance office located in the front of Oakview

Price per meal is $5.00.

This will be a lunch time meal. Meals must be ordered and paid for by 4:00pm Thursday Nov. 19th

(RSVP is a Must!)



Fall is here and winter is on the way!

It is that time of year when we ask family members to do an inventory of their loved ones clothing. Please remove the spring and summer items and replace with items suitable for the cold and damp temperatures. Many residents enjoy layering on top with a zip up sweatshirt, light jacket, or cardigan sweater. Most residents will also need a winter coat, boots, hat, and gloves to leave the facility with. Feel free to ask if you have any questions. We appreciate your help!

Friendly Reminder

A reminder to all residents and families. Money can be kept in an individual account in the business office for safe keeping. Residents can get money out as needed and will be kept track of by the business office. To set one up please see the business office. As we all hope that our staff is trustworthy, there are times that items do come up missing. There are lockboxes available to lock up valuables. Also, any cash at hand should be kept to a minimum less than $10). Should you notice something missing please report it to the Charge Nurse immediately, so it can be investigated. -Thank you

Resident Recliners

When purchasing or bringing in a recliner for your loved one please keep in mind that it cannot have a heating element in it. These are considered a fire hazard and are not allowed in Oakview. All chairs are inspeced upon deliver to the facility.

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Check out the Oakview Facebook Page for Pictures and Facility Information

Resident Appointments

Many residents leave the facility for a variety of medical, dental and vision appointments with the use of the Oakview bus. If needed, a staff member, not necessarily a certified nurse aide, is assigned to go along and assist with the transport such as walking with or pushing the wheelchair. To help prevent injuries for staff and residents, staff members will not physically lift or reposition a resident when out of the facility. Family members are welcome to transport their loved one to an appointment on their own or meet their loved one there.

Resident Outings

As a reminder, family members who take loved ones out of the facility for an appointment or to just spend quality time together, our staff will not be able to physically assist with a car transfer if the resident requires a mechanical lift within the facility. This is for the safety of the residents and staff members. It is possible, for a resident to fluctuate from day to day on the abilities to stand, pivot, and help with getting into a personal vehicle. It will be up to the family to decide on whether to proceed with the outing and manage the car transfer without staff assistance. Dial-A-Ride is a great option for residents who leave the facility. Dial-A-Ride provides transportation services 6 days a week and at a minimal cost. We appreciate your understanding.

Maintaining Emergency Contact Information

Please notify Oakview of any changes to cell or landline phone numbers and addresses for anyone listed as emergency contacts. It is imperative for staff to have correct information at all times. Also, please periodically check the number of saved voice messages on your cell phone to avoid your mailbox becoming full and Oakview unable to leave a message if needed.

Thank you for your help!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Residents

Jack Vanderwall	13th
Mike Otto	21st

Staff

Gracie Sessions	1st
Collin Hoolihan	5th
Mandy Ohman	9th
Jeff Mays	10th
Terenia Shimel	10th
Brianna Fitch-Lopez	11th
Steve Muth	12th
Brenda Gruno	14th
Joann Keffer	14th
Heidi Adams	15th
Melissa Elliott	17th
Ava Hoekwater	22nd
Jessica Olson	27th

Resident of the Month for November is

Mikey Otto



Every month, we will include one of the Resident Rights or Responsibilities as written in Oakview's "Residents Rights and Responsibilities" policy. We want our residents and their families to know these important Resident Rights and Responsibilities. If you should have any questions about any of these, please don't hesitate to ask.

(14) Notification of changes

(i) A facility must immediately inform the resident; consult with the resident's physician; and notify, consistent with his/her authority, the resident representative(s), when there is--

(A) An accident involving the resident which results in injury and has the potential for requiring physician intervention;

(B) A significant change in the residwent's physical, mental, or psychosocial status (that is, a deteroiration in health, mental, or psychosocial statuse in either life-threatening conditions or clinical complications)

(C) A need to alter treatment significantly (that is, a need to discontinue or change an existing form or treatment due to adverse consequences, or to commence a new form of treatment; or

(D) A decision to transfer or discharge the resident from the facility as specified in 483/15 (c)(1)(ii)

Residents cheered on the 7th & 8th grade volleyball girls at the Ludington Vs. Montague Game.



A month full of fun & games



Residents having a blast playing a Halloween dice game in the SLC





We have some bowlers at Oakview. Look at those scores!