

White Haven Memorial Park

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Fall/Winter 2017 Newsletter

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Do you know anyone who would like to receive these Newsletters? Are there other members in your family who would also like to be kept up to date with the events at White Haven and Canandaigua Lakeview? Simply tell them to either call or email us to get on the list.

Help Us Spread the Word!

TAKING STRIDES WALKING CLUB with NANCY DELEO Monday and Thursday afternoons at 2PM. Call Nancy to register and join our walking club here at White Haven Memorial Park, 210 Marsh Rd., Pittsford for a leisurely walk to enjoy the park's lovely trees, beautiful gardens and nature trails. It's a great way to get out and clear your head as well as a chance to be with others who are also grieving the loss of someone close to them. Invite family members and friends to join you. Let's all get healthy by walking in the Park! If the weather is too bad for walking, the club will sometimes meet for coffee instead. Call Nancy to register and join the club at 703-6695.

IMPORTANT DATES AND EVENTS

Saturday, November 4— All flowers must be removed from graves to allow for fall cleanup.

Wednesday, November 15— First day to place wreaths on graves.

Thursday, November 23— Thanksgiving Day. Office closed, cemeteries open.

Saturday, December 2— Holiday Service of Remembrance— 4 PM All Seasons Chapel.

Sunday, December 24— Office closed cemeteries open.

Monday, December 25— Christmas Day observed. Office closed, cemeteries open.

Sunday, December 31— New Year's Eve. Office closed cemeteries open.

Monday, January 1— New Year's Day observed. Office closed, cemeteries open.

Monday January 15 —Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day—Office and cemeteries open

Wednesday, February 14— Valentine's Day Drop In-All Seasons

Monday February 19— President's Day
Office and cemeteries open

THE VALENTINE'S DAY DROP-IN EVENT

RETURNS IN 2018!

Save the date for this popular, free White Haven gathering on **Valentine's Day, Wednesday, February 14th, 2018 from 2-4:00 PM**. Bring valentines for your loved ones or make them in our All Seasons Chapel Gathering Room. Hear live harp music, see a beautiful slideshow and enjoy some tasty desserts!

Holiday Service of Remembrance

Saturday, December 2, 4-5:00 PM

All Seasons Chapel

We have invited some of our area's most talented musicians to perform lovely music for us accompanied by readings and prayers prepared especially for this service as we remember those we've lost. The service will also include a photo presentation with pictures of our loved ones along with our traditional reading of The Prayer of Names.

This year, we are happy to introduce to our White Haven families **The Felice String Quartet**, four very talented string instrumentalists who will play wonderfully diverse music from "Bach to the Beatles" for us threaded throughout the service.

If you plan on attending this Holiday Service and wish to have your loved one's name read aloud as part of The Prayer of Names,* please call or email Donna in the chapel office and let her know. (Her contact information is listed below.)

If you would like your loved one's picture included in the photo presentation*, you can drop off, mail or email a JPEG version picture file to her. If you choose to send a picture by regular mail and you would like to get it back, please write your loved one's name clearly on the back of the photo and include a self-addressed, stamped envelope so it can be returned to you. If you have submitted a loved one's photo before and would like it included in the service this year, let us know and we will add it to the PowerPoint photo presentation.

***The Cut-off date for pictures & names to be added to the Holiday Service is**

Wednesday, November 29th.

Contact Donna Miller at 585-586-8232 or send an email to "donna@whitehavenmemorialpark.com".

Tree of Remembrance

White Haven's Tree of Remembrance will be in the All Seasons Gathering Room beginning on Friday, November 24th. You are welcome to bring an ornament in memory of your loved one to hang on the tree as of this date. Or, if you wish, you may bring your ornament when you come to the December 2nd Holiday Service and hang it on the tree before, or after the service. Please remove your ornaments from the Tree of Remembrance no later than Sunday, January 14th, 2018.

Flower and Wreath Reminders

Sat. Nov 4 is the LAST day for floral arrangements on graves. Starting on Nov. 7, we will remove any remaining flowers and turn the vase cups upside down to lie flush with the ground to get ready for the winter season. We have to be ready to clear any snow away with snow blowers when we need to make a burial and, if the vases are not turned over they can be hit, causing damage to both the vase and the snow blower.

Mon. Nov 6 we will begin turning off all water in the Park as overnight temperatures begin to dip below the freezing point.

Fri. Nov 11 is Veterans Day. As the one exception to the limitation on grave decorations after Nov. 5, you may place an American flag on the grave of a veteran on Veterans Day. For this one holiday, please place the flag directly in the ground rather than using the vase cup.

Wed. Nov 15 is the FIRST day that wreaths are permitted on the grounds. We need the time between the 5th and the 15th of November to clear all of our grounds of all decorations and leaves before the snow starts to fall. We appreciate your cooperation by not bringing flowers or other grave decorations during this time.

White Haven Wreath & Flower Programs

If you would like to purchase a wreath from White Haven, we will place the wreath for you in early December and remove it next spring. Please use the order form you received in the mail or call our office at 585-586-5250 to order or to receive further information.

All White Haven wreaths will be tagged with the grave location to help our employees return a wreath to its proper location if it needs to be moved for a burial. If you purchase a wreath from another source, please tag your wreath with the grave location so that it, too, may be returned to its proper location. Please note that all wreaths are to be green, no larger than 24" in diameter and placed on a metal tripod stand. All other decorations will be removed by staff.

If your loved one is in one of our mausoleums, please do NOT bring a wreath to place outside the buildings. If you have an exterior crypt with an in-ground vase, you are welcome to place a holiday spray in your vase. For all other crypt or niche owners, we encourage you to participate in our holiday flower placement program. If you did not receive a notice of this program in the mail, please call our office at 585-586-5250 for details.

Canandaigua Corner

Are you proud to have selected your final resting spot at Canandaigua Lakeview Cemetery, with one of the best lake views around? If so, we would be happy to reward you with a \$50 Wegmans gift card, just for sharing the news. All you need to do is tell your friends and family members about your decision and encourage them to join you. Then, call your Memorial Counselor and give them the names and contact information of anyone who is interested. If they purchase their burial property pre-need at either Canandaigua Lakeview or White Haven, we will send YOU a \$50 Wegmans gift card. There is no limit on the number of cards you can earn, but prior sales are excluded. So, start thinking about who you would like to have join you in your forever spot on the shores of beautiful Canandaigua Lake!

Lasting Light South

It was in 2009 that the first Lasting Light Mausoleum was constructed. It is a state of the art design with beautiful Italian marble and a curio of niches down the center of the building, accented by cozy fire place features. Many immediately discovered that this was the choice for their forever resting place.

Now in 2017, we are excited to announce the opening of the second mausoleum, Lasting Light South. The construction began late summer of 2016 and the contractors were able to work through most of the winter. We opened this new structure in July of 2017.

Lasting Light South is positioned so it has light exposure from the south, east and west lending to a very open and airy atmosphere. Placed in the center of this beautiful structure is a welcoming fire pit feature where family members can gather and sit for a while. Throughout the Mausoleum there are nearly 700 casket spaces, 520 niches and two beautiful walls of glass niche space, where urns can be displayed.



Please visit and experience the uniqueness and beauty of Lasting Light South. If you have any questions or if you are interested in purchasing a resting place in Lasting Light South, please call 585-586-5250 and ask to speak with our memorial counselors.

Memorial Gifts to White Haven Memorial Park/ Canandaigua Lakeview Cemetery

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