



Retirement Community opens Phase II building

(Submitted by Chestnut Fields)

On Friday, December 7, Chestnut Fields Retirement Community hosted its grand opening open house with a ribbon cutting ceremony at 3 p.m. Following the ceremony, guests were treated to live music, refreshments, and guided tours of the 24 new apartments in the Phase II building.

Twelve independent apartments are in the new building, and 12 are assisted living. Independent living apartments offer one or two bedrooms, full kitchens, all utilities, weekly housekeeping, organized activities, a noon meal, and washer/dryer hookups.

The assisted living apartments offer one or two bedrooms, kitchenettes, medication administration, daily housekeeping, laundry service, three meals per day, 24-hour emergency response, a full time nurse on staff, organized activities, and many personal care options.

Chestnut Fields is owned and operated by Retirement Living Management, a family-owned business with 12 properties throughout Michigan. Retirement Living Management strives to be the area's premier retirement community. "The desire of Retirement Living is to honor God by providing the elderly with a lifestyle that values their identity, their independence and their dignity."

Contact Amy Cumings at (231) 798-2220 for further information. •

Chestnut Fields

Retirement Living



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Muskegon County Marksmen. On Saturday, December 1, 2012, six kids from Ravenna went to the Pheasants Forever youth and women's shoot/hunt. They started the day shooting clay pigeons, and ended up with lots of bagged birds. They were accompanied by Trish Vermeer, Mindy Lynch and Brian McFerren. The shooters were (left to right) front row: Jake McFerran, Owen Lynch and Nolan Vermeer (back row) Tanner McFerren, Jorden Wenzinger and Kyle McFarren. •

Alzheimer's Association walk raises \$37,500

(Submitted by Alzheimer's Association, Michigan Great Lake Chapter)

More than 270 residents from the Muskegon area joined the Alzheimer Association's Walk to End Alzheimer's and united in a movement to reclaim the future for millions at Heritage Landing in October. Participants raised more than \$37,500 to fund Alzheimer's care, support and research programs.

Walk to End Alzheimer's participants did more than complete the walk. They learned more about Alzheimer's disease and the association's critical role in the fight against it, including the latest about Alzheimer's research and current clinical trials, how they can become involved in advocacy efforts at home and in Washington, D.C. as well as the association's support programs and services. The event also showcased an emotional tribute to those who have experienced or are experiencing Alzheimer's.

Alzheimer's disease is a growing epidemic and is now the nation's sixth-leading cause of death. As baby boomers age, the number of individuals living with Alzheimer's disease will rapidly escalate, increasing well beyond today's estimated 5.4 million Americans living with Alzheimer's including 196,000 people living in Michigan. For more information, or to make a donation, please visit www.alz.org/mglc. •

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