



Colonial Village



A place you are proud to call home.



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**Carol Langenfeld
Community Manager**

Holiday Garbage Schedule

**Since Christmas
Day and New
Year's Day fall on
Friday there will be
NO CHANGE to the
garbage schedule**

Recycle dates:

Thursdays

Dec. 3rd,

Dec. 17th,

&

Dec. 31st



Unfortunately we are forced to cancel our annual holiday breakfast. We hope you are all staying well and we look forward to being together again soon.



We can continue one fun item from the breakfast and that's the door prize drawings! Please fill out the enclosed entry form and drop it off in the rent box next to the office door. We'll draw names and deliver prizes to the winners. Take care and stay well everyone!

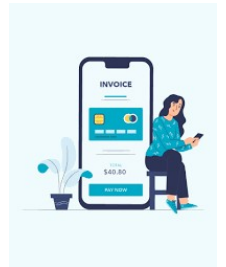
Now is a good time to update how you pay your rent

We are all looking for ways to stay inside these days. How about paying your rent without leaving your home? Here are two options:



Sign up for the **direct payment plan** and never worry about missing a payment. There is no fee and your rent is automatically paid on the 3rd of the month. Leave a message at the office (763-786-3498) and we'll send you the form to fill out.

Pay on-line right from your phone, tablet, or computer. You access your account through the Colonial Village web site and pay on the date you choose. Call Carol at the office with your email address and you will be sent login and password information. Great option if you are out of town and forgot to drop your check off before leaving.



Contest winners—

Justun Coleman & Britney Johnson



Justun and Britney have won a \$50 gift certificate for Target. You can be entered to win too! Just pay your site fee by the 3rd.

Web site: ColonialVillageCommunity.com

E-mail: Colonialvillagecommunity@comcast.net

You're all so important to us. Stay safe and stay happy this holiday season!

Cheesecake Cookie Cups



- 1 16.5 oz package Toll House refrigerated Chocolate Chip Cookie Bar Dough
- 2 8oz packages cream cheese, at room temperature
- 1 14oz can Carnation sweetened condensed milk
- 2 Eggs
- 2 tsp vanilla
- 1 can cherry pie filling

Preheat oven to 325° Paper line 24 muffin cups. Place one piece of cookie dough in each muffin cup. Bake 10-12 minutes or until cookie has spread to edge of cup. Beat cream cheese, sweetened condensed milk, eggs, and vanilla in medium bowl until smooth. Pour about 3 tablespoons cream cheese mixture over each cookie in cup. Bake for additional 15-18 minutes or until set. Cool completely in pan on wire rack. Top each with level tablespoon of pie filling. Refrigerate for 1 hour.

Classified Ads

Snow shoveling: Sheldon
763-777-8639 or 612-414-3260

House Cleaner: Denise 612-850-6597

Handyman: Craig 763-898-2667

Residents are looking for someone to hire to shovel or plow. Call the office if you'd like your name handed out.

Colonial Village does not endorse any service or product



Ask John....

the Colonial Repair Guy!



Q: How do I clean my dryer vent?

A: There are more than 15,000 dryer fires every year in the US. A plugged vent can also burn out the heating element. A telltale sign that the dryer vent needs cleaning is that clothes take longer to dry. You can also go outside when the dryer is running. The fins on the vent should be flapping. If not, the vent may be plugged or not hooked up. While you are out there, clean any lint collected on the vent. You can use a flexible brush to clean down the lint filter area. You can also use an air compressor to blow out. It is a good idea to occasionally replace your dryer vent hose. Semi-rigid seems to be the safest flexible choice. Clean the floor, under the dryer, and on the back of the cabinet. If the control area is hotter than usual, disconnect the dryer and check the vent for lint build up.

It is also a good idea to WASH the dryer lint screen. Dryer sheets can put a film on the screen. Remove the screen and pour a small amount of water on it. If it pools, wash the screen with warm, soapy water using a brush. Repeat until water flows through.

Things you can do to stay healthy while staying at home:

- Eat well
- Sleep well
- Exercise enough
- Stay in touch with family & friends
- Try a new calming activity
Puzzle, read, play cards



Our sympathies to John Hirschler and family. John's wife, Liz passed away. John and Liz

were faithful attendees of our community room donut days. She will be missed.