# SUMMIT AT HALFMON



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# Manager's Message

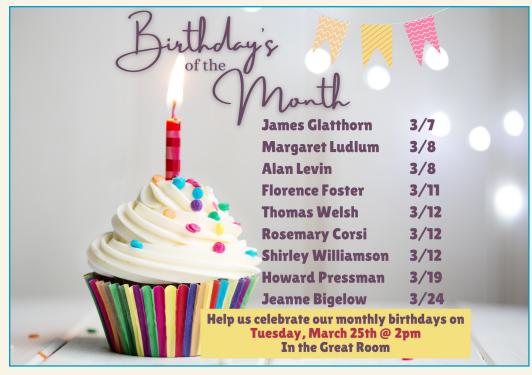
hen I was a child growing up on a small farm in Easton, NY, I was exposed to some important life lessons. There was the wonder in seeing the birth of a new calf and the labor in chopping holes in our frozen stream so the cattle could drink. There was the worry of our best cow suffering from milk fever and the hope there would be enough rain to keep our pastures green. In the goings-on of our daily life, I was both inspired and humbled by Mother Nature.

At this particular time of year, I recall my father bundling me, a curious preschooler, in my snowsuit so we could play in the snow among the grove of maple trees in our front yard. One tree branch had broken off during a strong late summer storm. There was an unusual icicle hanging from the protrusion where the branch had been. Hoisting me over his head, Dad encouraged me to harvest and taste the icicle. That faint sweetness was my first real introduction to the delicious nectar known as maple syrup.

Although maple sap typically begins running sometime within the first three months of the year, you can be sure you'll see the sap house chimneys spewing steam in the month of March. After all, it takes 40 gallons of evaporated sap to yield a single gallon of thick sweet maple syrup. This month, if you're wise, you'll manage to find yourself seated before a stack of hot pancakes topped with fresh butter and Mother Nature's silky golden gift. Enjoy!

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Community Manager





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# Welcome to Summit at Halfmoon!!!



FOOD & FRIENDS

### Eat-in or Pick-up available in the Great Room

Deliver Supper Club Order Form to the Office or rent box with exact cash

Due: 9 AM Thursday, February 27th

### Monday the 3rd - Chef Johnny

Everything Bagel Chicken w/Scallion Cream Cheese Sauce, Mini Potatoes, Vegetable & Dessert (\$16)

### Wednesday the 5th - Chef Mickey

Chicken Cordon Bleu on a Hard Roll, Macaroni Salad, Garden Salad & Dessert **(\$16)** 

### Monday the 10th - Chef Johnny

Chicken & Biscuits, Mashed Potatoes & Dessert (\$16)

### Wednesday the 12th - Chef Mickey

Baked Haddock, Mashed Potatoes, Vegetable, Salad, Roll & Dessert (\$16)

### Monday the 17th - Chef Johnny

Corned Beef & Cabbage, Carrots, Potatoes & Dessert (\$16)

### Wednesday the 19th - Chef Mickey

Sliced Ham w/Raisin Sauce, Sweet Potato Puree, Vegetable, Salad, Roll & Dessert **(\$16)** 

### Monday the 24th - Chef Johnny

Ham & Scalloped Potatoes, Vegetable & Dessert (\$16)

### Wednesday the 26th - Chef Mickey

Open Face Hot Turkey w/Gravy, French Fries, Salad, Roll & Dessert (\$16)

### Monday the 31st - Chef Johnny

Shrimp Linguine, Salad, Garlic Bread & Dessert (\$16)



# FOOD OUTINGS THIS MONTH

LUNCH AT

RAYENSWOOD

GRILL & TAVERN

Tuesday, March 4th 12pm

Please Sign up by 3/3

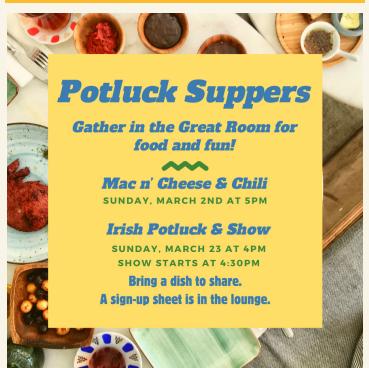
LUNCH AT

(heesecake Factory.

Thursday, March 13th 12pm

Please Sign up by 3/12





Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
CONNECTED life  FITNESS	Every Monday  10:00 am Balance Class (FS)  11:00 am Chair Yoga (FS)  3:00 pm Chair Dancing (LNG)	Every Tuesday 10:00 am Sit to be Fit (FS) 11:00 am Water Aerobics (Pool)	Every Wednesday  10:00 am Strength & Balance (FS)  11:00 am Hydro-rider Class (30 min)  (Pool) - Sign-up Required  11:30 am Hydro-rider Class (30 min)  (Pool) - Sign-up Required	Every Thursday 10:00 am Sit to be Fit (FS) 11:00 am Water Aerobics (Pool)	Every Friday  10:00 am Pilates (FS)  11:00 am Hydro-rider Class (30 min)  (Pool) - Sign-up Required  11:30 am Hydro-rider Class (30 min)  (Pool) - Sign-up Required	10:30 am Cornhole (FS) 1:00 pm Scrabble (LNG) 2:00 pm Leap Year (MOV) 3:00 pm Billiards (BIL) 4:00 pm Spinner Dominoes (LNG) 6:00 pm Rummikub (GR)
2:00 pm Salt Water (MOV) 4:00 pm Poker (LIB) 5:00 pm Potluck Supper (GR) 6:00 pm Farkle & Left Right Center (10 Dimes) (GR) 7:00 pm The Six Triple Eight (MOV)	11:30 am Modern Line Dance Class (FS) 4:00 pm Supper Club w/Chef Johnny - Everything Bagel Seasoning Chicken \$16 (GR) 6:00 pm Chicken Foot (GR) 7:00 pm Sing Street (MOV)	11:00 am Small demonstration Irish Step by Farrell Irish Dance 12:00 pm Lunch at Ravenswood 2:30 pm Irish Luck (MOV) 3:00 pm Pinochle (LNG) 6:00 pm Mexican Train (GR)  Medical Transports	8:30 am Waffle Wednesday (GR)  11:00 am Jason Kramer (GR)  Albany's Finest Presentation  2:00 pm Quarter Bingo (GR)  2:30 pm Bridge (LNG)  4:00 pm Supper Club w/Chef Mickey - Chicken Cordon Bleu (\$16)(GR)  6:00 pm Hand & Foot (GR)	11:00 am Home Instead Presentation (GR)  1:00 pm Knitting & Crochet Circle (LIB) 1:30 pm Karaoke (LNG)  2:30 pm A Family Affair (MOV)  3:00 pm Shuffle Board (LNG) 6:00 pm Revenge (GR) Medical Transports	9:00 am Grocery Shopping 2:00 pm Quarter Bingo (GR) 4:00 pm Happy Hour w/Lewis & Clark (GR) BYOB 7:00 pm In the Land of Saints & Sinners (MOV) HAPPY BIRTHDAY JAMES GLATTHORN	8:30 am Girl Scout Cookie Sales (GR) 10:30 am Cornhole (FS) 1:00 pm Scrabble (LNG) 2:00 pm The Wedding Trip (MOV) 3:00 pm Billiards (BIL) 4:00 pm Mah Jong (LNG) 6:00 pm Rummikub (GR) HAPPY BIRTHDAY MARGARET LUDLUM & ALAN LEVIN
2:00 pm Dive (MOV) 4:00 pm Poker (LIB) 6:00 pm Chicken Foot & Left Right Center (10 Dimes) (GR) 7:00 pm The Siege Of Jadotville (MOV)	10:00 am Podiatrist Visit (GR) 11:00 am Water Colors W/ Susan (GR) 4:00 pm Supper Club w/Chef Johnny - Chicken & Biscuit \$16 (GR) 6:00 pm Chicken Foot (GR) 7:00 pm Freuds Last Session (MOV)	11:00 am Troy Music Hall (Toss the Feathers) 2:30 pm Return of The Blue Lagoon (MOV) 3:00 pm Pinochle (LNG) 6:00 pm Mexican Train (GR) Medical Transports HAPPY BIRTHDAY FLORENCE FOSTER	8:30 am Waffle Wednesday (GR) 11:00 am Celtic Jewelry Making (\$7) (GR) 2:00 pm Quarter Bingo (GR) 2:30 pm Bridge (LNG) 4:00 pm Supper Club w/Chef Mickey Baked Haddock (\$16)(GR) 6:00 pm Thwart (GR) HAPPY BIRTHDAY THOMAS WELSH, ROSEMARY CORSI & SHIRLEY WILLIAMSON	12:00 pm Lunch at Cheesecake Factory 13 1:00 pm Knitting & Crochet Circle (LIB) 1:30 pm Karaoke (LNG) 2:30 pm The Bay of Silence (MOV) 3:00 pm Shuffle Board (LNG) 6:00 pm Revenge (GR) Medical Transports	9:00 am Grocery Shopping 2:00 pm Quarter Bingo (GR) 4:00 pm Happy Hour w/Brett Scott (GR) 7:00 pm Quintessentially Irish (MOV)	10:30 am Cornhole (FS) 1:00 pm Scrabble (LNG) 2:00 pm Dare to Wild (MOV) 3:00 pm Billiards (BIL) 4:00 pm Spinner Dominoes (LNG) 6:00 pm Rummikub (GR)
(10 Dimes) (GR) 7:00 pm The O'Briens (MOV)	1:00 pm PRN Fitness with Barb on 17 Aquatic Therapy (GR) 4:00 pm Supper Club w/Chef Johnny - Corned Beef & Cabbage \$16 (GR) 6:00 pm Chicken Foot (GR) 7:00 pm The Irish Comedy Tour (MOV)  St. Patrick's Day	10:00 am Sparetime Bowling 2:30 pm The Irishman (MOV) 3:00 pm Pinochle (LNG) 6:00 pm Mexican Train (GR)  Medical Transports	8:30 am Waffle Wednesday (GR) 19 11:00 am Irish-American Museum 2:00 pm Quarter Bingo (GR) 2:30 pm Bridge (LNG) 4:00 pm Supper Club w/Chef Mickey - Sliced Ham (\$16)(GR) 6:00 pm Hand & Foot (GR) HAPPY BIRTHDAY HOWARD PRESSMAN		9:00 am Grocery Shopping 11:30 am Movie Commitee Meeting (MOV) 2:00 pm Quarter Bingo (GR) 4:00 pm Happy Hour w/Russ Kennedy (GR) BYOB 7:00 pm An Irish Angel (MOV)	10:30 am Cornhole (FS) 1:00 pm Scrabble (LNG) 2:00 pm The Wonder (MOV) 3:00 pm Billiards (BIL) 4:00 pm Mah Jong (LNG) 6:00 pm Rummikub (GR)
2:00 pm A Perfect Pairing (MOV)23 4:00 pm Poker (LIB) 4:00 pm Potluck Dinner (GR) 4:30 pm An Clar Irish Step Dancing Show (GR) 6:00 pm Chicken Foot & Left Right Center (10 Dimes) (TAV) 7:00 pm Patrick's Day (MOV)	1:30 pm Wreath Making w/Gloria (\$11)(FD) 4:00 pm Supper Club w/Chef Johnny - Ham Dinner \$16 (GR) 6:00 pm Chicken Foot (GR) 7:00 pm Irish Wish (MOV) HAPPY BIRTHDAY JEANNE BIGELOW	11:00 am Proctors Organ Concert 25 12:00 pm Pizza Orders Due 2:00 pm Birthday Party (GR) 2:30 pm Sometime Other Than Now (MOV) 3:00 pm Pinochle (LNG) 6:00 pm Mexican Train (GR) Medical Transports	8:30 am Waffle Wednesday (GR) 26 11:00 am Familiar Songs - Sandy S. 2:00 pm Quarter Bingo (GR) 2:30 pm Bridge (LNG) 4:00 pm Supper Club w/Chef Mickey - Open Face Hot Turkey (\$16)(GR) 6:00 pm Thwart (GR)	10:00 am Shopping at Home Goods 1:00 pm Knitting & Crochet Circle (LIB) 1:30 pm Karaoke (LNG) 2:30 pm An Irish Story: This is my Home (MOV) 3:00 pm Shuffle Board (LNG) 6:00 pm Revenge (GR) Medical Transports	9:00 am Grocery Shopping 28 11:30 am Resident Program Meeting (GR) 2:00 pm Quarter Bingo (GR) 4:00 pm Happy Hour w/Tim Barker PIZZA PARTY (\$5) (GR) 7:00 pm Darby O'Gill & The Little People (MOV)	10:30 am Cornhole (FS) 29 1:00 pm Scrabble (LNG) 2:00 pm The Miracle Club (MOV) 3:00 pm Billiards (BIL) 4:00 pm Spinner Dominoes (LNG) 6:00 pm Rummikub (GR)
2:00 pm Queen Bees (MOV) 4:00 pm Poker (LIB) 6:00 pm Farkle & Left Right Center (10 Dimes) (GR) 7:00 pm Persuasion (MOV)	11:30 am Resident Meeting w/Staff (GR) 1:00 pm Book Club Discussion (LIB) 4:00 pm Supper Club - w/Chef Johnny Shrimp Linquine - \$16 (GR) 6:00 pm Chicken Foot (GR) 7:00 pm A walk to Remember (MOV)	* .*M	HELLO	GR - Great Room LNG - Lounge FD - Family Dining Room MOV - Movie Theater FS - Fitness Studio CP - Chapel LIB - Library	BIL - Billiards Room PS - Practitioner's Suite PBC - Pickleball Courts GR - Great Room LNG - Lounge FD - Family Dining Room	Pool Buddy Swim Time! Daily at 3:00 PM

# **Community Activities**



DINNER & SHOW SUNDAY, MARCH 23RD 4:30PM In the Great Room



Modern Line Dance Class with Mary & Frank

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Monday, March 3rd 11:30AM

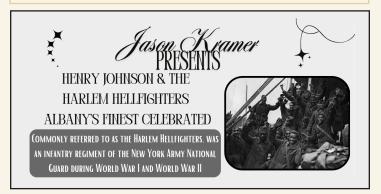
Sign-Up in Lounge

Farrell School of Irish Dance

Tuesday, March 4th 11:00AM



FUN AND ENTERTAINING PERFORMANCE BY A COUPLE OF LOCAL KIDS.







MARCH 27TH AT 10:00AM

# River's Casino

Thursday, March 20th 10AM

Sign-up in the Lounge

# Home Goods

Thursday, March 27th 10AM

Sign-up in the Lounge



# Welcome to Summit at Halfmoon!!!



# BOOK CLUB

"TREPASSES" **LOUISE KENNEDY** 

Books will be available to borrow in the office. Join us to discuss the book on March 31st at 1pm in the Library

Set in Northern Ireland during the Troubles, a shattering novel about a young woman caught between allegiance to community and a dangerous passion. Amid daily reports of violence, Cushla lives a quiet life with her mother in a small town near Belfast, teaching at a parochial school and moonlighting at her family's pub. There she meets Michael Agnew, a Protestant barrister who's made a name for himself defending IRA members. Against her better judgment, Cushla lets herself get drawn in by him and his sophisticated world, and an affair ignites. Then the father of a student is savagely beaten, setting in motion a chain reaction that will threaten everything, and everyone, Cushla most wants to protect.

### ARTS & CRAFTS

WATER COLORS WITH SUSAN MONDAY, **MARCH 10TH** 11AM

MAKING WEDNESDAY, **MARCH 12TH 11AM** 

SIGN-UP IN OFFICE 12 PEOPLE MAX \$7/PER PERSON

CELTIC JEWELRY WREATH MAKING WITH GLORIA MONDAY, **MARCH 24TH** 1:30PM SIGN-UP IN OFFICE **5 PEOPLE MAX** 

\$11/PER PERSON



# Irish-American Heritage Museum

We explore the contributions, history, and culture of Irish people in America, and fosters dialogue and exchange between America and Ireland today. By sharing our tories, we strive to create connections and community between all Americans, as we appreciate and study the universality of the immigrant story in American history.



### HOME INSTEAD PRESENTS

### **AGING IN PLACE** THURSDAY. **MARCH 6TH** 11AM

Ways to maintain independence including safety, mobility, equipment, home safety & resources.

### SANDY SCHUMAN PRESENTS

FAMILIAR SONGS & THEIR **UNFAMILAR STORIES** 

### THURSDAY. MARCH 26TH **11AM**

Some of the best-known songs and the little-known stories about the people who wrote them.



MARCH 3RD AT 11:30AM

FARREL IRISH STEP SMALL PRESENTATION

MARCH 4TH AT 11:00AM

JASON KRAMER PRESENTATION MARCH 5TH AT 11:00AM

HOME INSTEAD PRESENTATION MARCH 6TH AT 11:00AM

GIRL SCOUTS COOKIE SALES MARCH 8TH AT 8:30AM - 10:30AM

WATER COLORS WITH SUSAN MARCH 10TH AT 11:00AM

**CELTIC JEWELRY MAKING** MARCH 12TH AT 11:00AM (\$7)

**PRN PRESENTATION** 

MARCH 17TH AT 1:00PM

AN CLAR IRISH STEP DANCING SHOW

MARCH 23RD AT 4:30PM

WREATH MAKING WITH GLORIA

MARCH 24TH AT 1:30PM (\$11)

SANDY SCHUMAN PRESENTATION

MARCH 26TH AT 11:00AM

# Concierge Services

### **MEAL OPTIONS**

### **CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST**

Daily 8:30-10:15 AM

#### **LUNCH**

Lunch outings available twice each month.

Please see calendar.

### SUPPER CLUB

You have the option of two hot meals each week. They come ready to eat, from local Chefs/eateries.

You can pick up your pre-paid meals at 4pm in the Great Room or consider dining in with others.

# **Friday Grocery Shopping**

Every Friday, the Halfmoon bus goes to 5 local grocery stores: Market 32, Hannaford, Trader Joe's, Aldi, and Walmart. We will leave at 9:00 am. The bus will pick you up at the main entrance and shopping lasts 1 hour. Please Sign-up in the Lounge.







TRADER JOE'S



### Medical Appointments Every Tuesday and Thursday

Every Tuesday and Thursday, we provide transportation to scheduled, routine medical appointments within a 10-mile radius of our community. This service is available between the hours of 9 AM and 2 PM. Contact the office for more details and to reserve your appointment time.



Located in the Practitioner's Suite on the 3rd Floor 315-878-1327



Gift Certificates Available



Nails: Tina 518-698-4693

Nails: Darcy 518-605-7566

Esthetician: Jolene 210-857-5851

Hair: Sue 518-495-6054

Massage: Cathy 518-229-0741

# FROZEN DINNERS





Need dinner? Don't feel like cooking? Chef Johnny's frozen meals are available in the office, for \$14, on a first come/ first serve basis. The below dishes are ready to be simply heated & enjoyed.

- Veggie Lasagna
- Turkey Dinner with Stuffing, Mashed Potatoes and Veggies
- Chicken Parmigiana with Pasta, Sauce and Veggies
- Cheese Manicotti with Sauce and Veggies

### **Resident Informational Meetings**

Resident Meeting with Laura & Staff Monday, March 24th at 11:30 am

> Resident Program Meeting Friday, March 7th at 11:30 am

Theater How-To/Movie Committee Friday, March 21st at 11:30 am

### **On-Site Podiatrist**

Dr. Michael Masias, DPM Monday, February 10th Dr. Masias will be on site.. 518-320-8659