In November 1919, President Wilson proclaimed November 11 as the first commemoration of Armistice Day with the following words: "To us in America, the reflections of Armistice Day will be filled with solemn pride in the heroism of those who died in the country’s service and with gratitude for the victory, both because of the thing from which it has freed us and because of the opportunity it has given America to show her sympathy with peace and justice in the councils of the nations..."

Please plan to attend our annual Veterans Day Program on Sat. Nov 11, 2017 starting at 2:00 pm.

Also, just a quick reminder—Be sure to let us know if questions ever arise about facility procedures or care—that’s what we are here for! :) Have a great month!

Tammy Weston, ENVH Administrator
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Recent donations:
Left: Salmon fillets brought in by VFW St. Mihiel Post #247.
Right: Check donated by NAPA Auto Care Centers and Yeck’s Auto

2017 Charitable Giving Campaign: Penny Wars!
All departments participated.
Winners: Housekeeping and Maintenance Departments

Bowlers to Veterans Link presented a check to ENVH Administrator, Tammy Weston and Activity Supervisor, Sarah Ryan.
Many thanks to all the bowlers who participated and helped to raise the funds.
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* Age 95 +
Thank you for your service to the United States of America
We are honored to serve those who served!

Member Spotlight
We are shining a spotlight on......

Ted Vrana.................................Allegiance

Janet Wells.................................Dedication

Paul Curtis.................................Motivation

Ken Roy........................................Service

Linda John
Staff Care Tech

Linda is a kind, caring individual and it shows in everything she does at ENVH. She takes the time needed with the members and shows them compassion and respect. The families all see this and appreciate her care. Linda is always assisting her co-workers and other staff through her day. Even if you don’t ask her for help, she comes out of nowhere and jumps in!
Family Council Corner:
This is a wonderful group of family members who meet at the Home on the 2nd Thursday each month at 10:00 a.m. They discuss many issues concerning members and their families. They are a good support system for each other.

This month: October 12, 2017
Please plan to join them and to see what it’s all about.
Family Council President: Mrs. Jean Funkhouser

For more information, please contact Social Services by asking for Kari, Lynda or Paul

Ombudsman’s Corner:
Ombudsmen are dedicated to enhancing the lives of long term care residents.

Ombudsmen:
- Advocate for residents’ rights and quality care
- Educate consumers and providers
- Resolve residents’ complaints
- Provide information to the public

ENVH’s Ombudsman:
Beth Nodes

The canteen accepts credit cards – minimum charge of $2.50. Effective July 8th ENVH canteen hours will be 10:00 am to 4:00 pm on Saturdays and Sundays until further notice. Monday through Friday hours will remain the same.
Now is the time to purchase your brick to be installed in the Veteran’s Memorial Garden at the Eastern Nebraska Veterans’ Home.

Bricks may be purchased in honor or memory of a loved one, the name of your organization or business, or you may simply want to thank a veteran!

You may purchase your brick donation using the form below for $100. There are 14 characters on each line and there are 3 lines on each brick.

Name of person donating brick: ________________________________

Email address: ________________________________________________

Phone number: ________________________________________________

Make checks payable to: American Legion Benson Post 112/Memorial Brick Fund

Please provide the exact wording you would like on the brick:

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Bricks may be purchased by mailing a $100 check or money order per engraved brick to:

Benson Post 112, American Legion, P.O. Box 4084, Omaha, NE 68104.

Contact Bruce Husted at 402-981-6820 with any questions.
9th Annual Senior Games held on September 8, 2017: Poker Run, Ring Toss, Target Shoot, Black Jack, Shuffleboard, Wii Bowling, Horse Shoes and Bocci Ball.
9th Annual Senior Games:
Fri., Sept 8, 2017
Sponsored by the Great Plains Chapter of PVA.
Thank you!

Above: Closing ceremony. Medals were presented for the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners.

Congratulations to everyone!
Weekly Services are held in the Chapel
(unless stated otherwise)

Sundays:
9:45 a.m. All Faith Service
10:45 a.m. Catholic Communion

Mondays:
9:30 a.m. Devotional Reading
(held in Service)
10:00 am Devotional Reading
(held in Allegiance)

Thursdays: 10:00 a.m. Bible Study
10:00 a.m. Memorial Services will be held as necessary on the first Thursday of each month.
1:00 p.m. Catholic Mass

Fridays: 10:00 a.m. Rosary Service

J. I. Packer says, "Meditation is the activity of calling to mind, and thinking over, and dwelling on, and applying to oneself, the various things that one knows about the works and ways and purposes and promises of God." The practice of meditation, especially meditation on the Bible, can be a powerful antidote to the stress and pressures of our lives.

To begin our day with meditation on God's Word can set the tone for our day's activities and work and relationships. End the day with further meditation on Scripture can lay the foundation for the rest that we need through the night.