

## **Crosslands Culinary Services Committee Meeting ~ Thursday, May 5, 2022**

Resident Committee Members: Joan Applegate, Emilie Barber, David Camp, Frank Condenzio, Marge Moretzsohn Roger Parish, Connie Schappell, Diana Stevens

Staff Committee Members: Jamie Hocking, Elizabeth Kautz, Colin Moran, Darlene Parrett-Harris, John Platt, Tracy Sedlak, Casey Spizarny

Special Meals in April: Birthday Dinner Celebration, Easter Sunday Dinner, Passover Dinner, Earth Day Dinner, Shakespeare Dinner ~ Crosslands residents appreciated the special menus for the meals and the accompanying decorations.

Meeting Schedule and Venues through December 2022: Meetings will continue on Zoom. Depending on staff vacation schedules, it is possible there will be no meeting in July or August.

Comment Card Reports for April: 38 different residents made comments, 12 more than made comments in March. Comments were overwhelmingly positive. No significant trends were noted. For future comment card reports, the word non-vegetarian will be inserted before entrees to distinguish them from vegetarian entrees.

John Platt's Report: No projects to report. Focus is on staffing. June 1 a Job Fair, targeting high school students and looking for cooks, servers, and CNA's, will be held outside at Kendal. In August, a Job Fair targeting all positions with a particular emphasis on Health Services will be held. Another staffing initiative is building relationships with local high school principals so that KCC will again be known as a major area employer.

John is working on a survey to be distributed late May/early June to Crosslands and Kendal residents. The purpose of the survey is to learn residents' meal plan preferences.

Diana Stevens 5/9/22