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Well, old man winter has been playing a lot of tricks on us lately – from bitter cold to temps in the 50s. Lots of snow and then not so much. I think we are in the transition period for Spring. Doesn't that sound nice! So what have we been doing to keep ourselves entertained you ask? Well, let's take a look!

Armchair Travels

We decided to take a break from "Animal News" and get back to our "Armchair Travels" for a bit. We thought it would be fun to trek across the UP and see what we could find. We started in Sault St. Marie and are working our way west. It has brought back great memories for those who have traveled there. We learned about the Soo Locks, Kitchi-iti-kipi, the Big Springs, Tahquamenon Falls, Pictured Rocks, the sinking of the Edmund Fitzgerald, and how Marquette is rated as one of the top cities where people what to go when they retire.

We also learned a little about Michigan Tech University and the mines around Houghton and Hancock. What an adventure we have had. We are going to continue westward and then south and east until we are back at the Mackinac Bridge. Can't wait to see what lies ahead.

Ladies PJ Party

Oh my gosh, what fun we had at our last Ladies PJ Party!! The staff moved the furniture from the living room to the Activity Center and all the ladies came down in their comfy jammies and settled in to watch the great comedy movie, **"Sister Act"** with Whoopi Goldberg. We enjoyed popcorn and beverages. It was a good comedy and a great group of ladies to watch it with!!











Love is in the Air

In anticipation of Valentine's Day, we got the canvases, paint and brushes out and created some "lovely" pictures. So much talent in this room!





Valentine's Day Party What a fun afternoon - Valentine Bingo, a raffle drawing, personal treat bags and a yummy "pink" snack!





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Management in the Kitchen, Oh My!

Every January the "heads" of Hope Landing ALC host a "Staff Appreciation" dinner for their employees. This time together is to recognize jobs well done, years of service and enjoy some special moments from the year past. The management of Hope Landing treat all their employees and residents like "family" and we have some of the most amazing individuals taking care of those who call Hope Landing "home". This year was a little different in the meal served. Rather than a dinner catered in, they decided to cook it themselves and they did a wonderful job. The food was delicious and the conversation that followed was heartwarming and entertaining. Thank you to Lyle, Joel, FranCee and Cheri for being the BEST bosses anyone could ask for !! YOU ROCK !!



