

# At Home With Hope Landing

Charlotte's Premier Assisted Living Community

## October 2018

Well, the change is taking place. The trees are painting a masterpiece for our pleasure. We live in the most beautiful state and this is just the beginning of a beautiful time of year. Be sure to take time and enjoy it all. And remember, don't get to busy that you lose sight of what is important. Make time for family and friends and be sure to stop by; say "hi", share some memories, and a cup of something warm.



## "The Haven"

On September 20, we hosted a "by invitation only" Grand Opening for "The Haven", the newest addition to the Hope Landing ALC family and on October 5<sup>th</sup> we welcomed our very first resident. What an exciting time! Please feel free to stop by and tour the facility when you are in the neighborhood.



Front entrance at The Haven

The Haven dining area



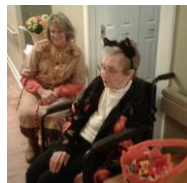
Model of a resident room

Activity Room at The Haven



## Halloween

Halloween is fast approaching! Our residents love to get in the spirit of Halloween by dressing up and passing out lots of candy to the little "ghosts" and "goblins" that roam our halls. Please be sure to invite your grandchildren and great-grandchildren to come "Trick or Treat" on Halloween from 6-8pm.



A fun time for all at Halloween!



## Fall Crafts

Foil Leaf decoration – what an easy and fun craft this was. Maybe we will try other foil art in the future.



## Adopt A Family

We did a poll and the majority of the residents have decided that they would like to continue our tradition of “Giving Hope” Hope Landing’s Adopt a Family for Christmas again this year. Last year was our first year doing the Adopt a Family and it was a huge success. If you are not familiar with our “Giving Hope” project, let me fill you in. For years, we did a “Secret Santa” gift exchange among the residents. We drew names and then the resident, a family member or our Activity Coordinator, would shop for a gift. This put a lot of pressure on the families and the residents to buy a gift for someone they barely knew. So, last year we decided that it is better to give to those in need and we started the “Giving Hope” Hope Landing’s Adopt a Family project and thanks to all the generous donations from our residents, their families, Hope Landing staff and even families of past residents, we were able to adopt 3 families in need and bought gifts for 13 individuals. So, we are continuing with the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual “Giving Hope” project in 2018 and want to invite everyone to join us in making it a Merry Christmas for those in need.

If you and your family would like to participate, please make your check payable to Hope Landing and in the memo line put “Giving Hope” Adopt a Family and mail to us or drop off at the office. Donations will be accepted until November 30. Hope Landing staff will work again with Mid MI Housing Services for recipients and will handle the shopping end of it. Thank you in advance for your generous contributions.

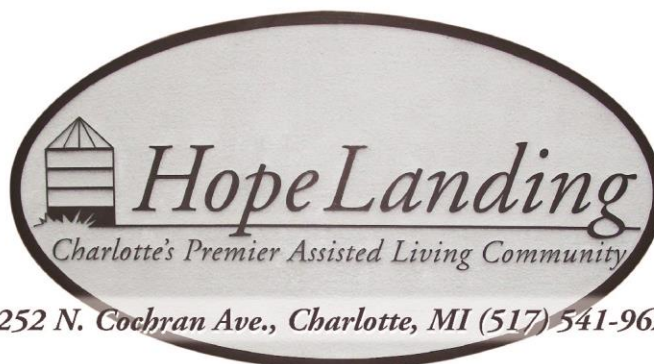
## Game Time

We fired up the Wii machine and did some Bowling. What a great time we had. I think we should try Baseball one of these days. We try to keep our mind and body as active as possible. 😊



## Recent Outings

Love this time of year when we can visit the Country Mill and enjoy some apples, cider and doughnuts.



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