



**Schooner Estates**  
Retirement Community

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A festive  
holiday gathering  
at Schooner

**Seasons Greetings!**  
From our Family  
to Yours...



# THE SCHOONER FLASH

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## PARTIES OF THE SEASON

Celebrate the season and plan to attend our annual Schooner holiday parties! Join your neighbors and friends for an evening of song and good cheer. Each festive event includes live entertainment, delicious light fare, eggnog and exceptional company. See page two, top left, for the holiday party menu.

- ◆ Residential Care will have their party at 4:45 p.m. on Wednesday, December 14th in the Village Green. The Jubilee's will entertain with many of our favorite holiday songs.
- ◆ The Castine Studio apartment folks have their party scheduled for Thursday, December 15th at 4:45 p.m. in the Village Green. Music will be performed by Sandy Nesbit.
- ◆ Apartment residents will celebrate on Tuesday, December 13th at 5:00 in the Tenants Harbor Room. "In Accord", three ladies singing in harmony, will provide the night's entertainment.
- ◆ The New Year's Eve party for apartment residents is scheduled for Saturday, December 31st in the Tenants Harbor Room, starting at 5:00 p.m. The "Present Company Band" will perform.
- ◆ Residential Care and the Castine Studio residents will have their New Year's party in the Village Green on Saturday, December 31st starting at 2:30 p.m. in the Village Green. Music by Lorna Jollymore.

The annual decorating of the Camden Christmas tree will be held on Monday, December 12th at 11:00 a.m. Stop by and enjoy a fun social visit with friends and neighbors.

## Who's New in the Neighborhood

- ◆ Edith Ashton to apartment 312
- ◆ Don & Marge Ham to apartment 424
- ◆ Jeanne Laliberte to C101 Residential Care
- ◆ Anita Levesque to apartment 415
- ◆ Odile Therrien to C103B Residential Care

**Welcome!**

## PARTY MENU

Here is a list of the delicious foods that will be served at our 2011 holiday parties.

- ◆ Mini orange muffins with smoked turkey and quince jelly
- ◆ Dark pumpkin rounds with cream cheese and olive spread
- ◆ Finger rolls filled with ham and tuna salad
- ◆ Steak fiesta & chicken pesto blossoms
- ◆ Roasted assorted sliced sausage's with onions and peppers
- ◆ Mini stuffed grape leaves with cucumber mint sauce
- ◆ Red bliss potato salad
- ◆ Italian marinated vegetables
- ◆ Vegetable crudité with dipping sauce
- ◆ Delicious assortments of cheese & crackers
- ◆ Various desserts including several types of brownies and Royal mini assorted cheese cakes: chocolate cappuccino, silk tuxedo, New York vanilla, chocolate chip, lemon, raspberry and amaretto almond
- ◆ Beverages including the following: eggnog, cider, diet soda and more

## WELCOME GISELLE

Meet Giselle Prevost! Giselle is our new Residential Care Activity Coordinator. She started out at Schooner a few months ago doing companion work. Shortly after, she applied for our Castine/Residential Care activity position, and we are glad she did. Giselle is always coming up with new, fun ideas for each and every activity. You never know what she will think of next!



Giselle lives in Lewiston with her husband of 34 years. She has two married children and is soon to be a new grandmother!

We all welcome Giselle to Schooner and hope she will be with us for many years to come.

## EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH

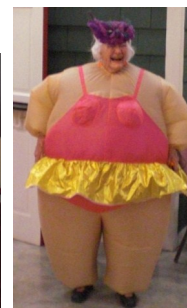
Congratulations goes out to our November Employee of the Month winner, Nancy Greenleaf. Nancy is one of our Schooner transportation drivers. She was chosen for her quick thinking in assisting a resident during an emergency medical situation.



## HALLOWEEN PARADE REVIEW

Everyone had a "roaring" good time at Schooner's annual Halloween "Parade of Ghouls".

Residents and employees alike were all appropriately dressed for the spooky event. Here are a few pictures!



## A FUN WAY TO EXERCISE

Are you looking for a fun and exciting way to exercise? Stop by the Village Green any weekday morning at 10:00 a.m. The lively game of "Sitterball" is played and all are welcome to join in! This is a less strenuous type of exercise which involves being seated the whole time! A large beach ball is used and other items, such as a large parachute, as seen below! Try this beneficial type of exercise and get your heart pumping!

Sitterball on Halloween Day! →

