



## **MEADOW PARK APARTMENTS**

**November 2019**

The Big Rapids Housing Commission office will be closed on  
November 28 & 29 in observance of Thanksgiving.

Rent is due Wednesday, November 1<sup>st</sup>, 2019.

Late fees will be assessed at 8:00 a.m. on Monday, November 11, 2019.

### **Big Rapids Housing Commission Meeting**

The Big Rapids Housing Commission meeting is cancelled for November.

### **Daylight Savings:**

November 3, 2019 – time to fall behind, remember to set your clocks back one hour!

### **Illegal Drug Use**

Please be advised that Meadow Park Apartments prohibits the use of all illegal drugs, including marijuana, regardless if you have a medical marijuana card. If you believe illegal drug activity is occurring, please call Central Dispatch at 231-796-4811 or 9-1-1.

### **Halloween Treats**

Residents will be passing out candy in the lobby at the Highrise on Halloween night - Thursday, October 31, 2019. So please bring the kids by between 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.

### **Thanksgiving Dinner**

All residents are invited to attend a Thanksgiving Dinner on Friday, November 22, 2019 at 12:00 p.m. in the Highrise Dining Room. Big Rapids Housing Commission will be providing KFC. Please bring a dish to pass such as a salad or dessert. We hope you are able to come and enjoy a nice dinner with us. Please call the office to sign up by November 15, 2019 at (231) 796-8689.

**Christmas Dinner** All residents are invited to attend a Christmas Dinner on Friday, December 13, 2019 at 12:00 p.m. in the Highrise Dining Room. We will be providing a ham and sides from Bob Evans. Please bring a dish to pass. We hope you are able to come and enjoy a nice meal with us. Interested residents need to contact the office to sign up by Monday, December 9th.

### **Kid's Christmas Party**

The Kid's Christmas Party has been scheduled for Saturday, December 7, 2019, from 10:00 a.m. to 12 p.m., at Big Rapids Roller Rink. See attached invitation!

### **Christmas Light Tour 2019 with Big Rapids Housing Commission**

The Christmas Light Tour has been scheduled for Monday, December 16, 2019 please RSVP seating is limited – see attached flyer for more details!

### **Parking on City Streets**

Beginning November 15, 2019 parking is not allowed on city streets from 2:00 a.m. – 6:00 a.m. until March 15, 2020. This is to allow for snow removal. You will be ticketed and/or towed if you park on the streets during this time.

### **Snow Removal Reminders**

Please DO NOT pull your car over the curb. This blocks the sidewalks and makes snow removal difficult.

### **Maintenance Reminders to All Residents**

If you are aware of an emergency work order, such as having no heat, or toilet not flushing – call during hours of operation, if possible! Please do NOT wait until the end of the day to report an issue you were aware of earlier in the day!

Also, do not dump grease down your sinks. Pour hot grease in a tin container, and when it has cooled then throw it away in the trash. Grease will clog the lines and a charge will apply if grease is found to be the cause of your clogged sink.

### **Big Rapids Festival of the Lights Christmas Parade**

Join the fun on **Saturday, November 23rd from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.** for the Annual Festival of Lights Christmas Parade! This popular parade features about 30 floats and groups of walkers loaded with Christmas lights, live reindeer, plus Santa & Mrs. Claus' grand entrance! A short program and reading of "The Night Before Christmas" and tree lighting ceremony takes place after the parade in front of the downtown Chemical Bank branch and there will be plenty of Hot Chocolate stations throughout downtown. Santa is available for visits after the ceremony at the Salvation Army.

**Maintenance Treatment for Bed Bugs** The Housing Commission has contracted with Rose Pest Solutions to inspect all apartments for bed bugs, inspect and/or install monitors on all the accessible beds and couches, and spray the door jambs and doorways throughout the apartments. Residents will receive an additional notification. This is the tentative schedule for this month:

<b>Apt #</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Apt #</b>	<b>Date</b>
A1	11/20/19	A6	11/27/19
A2	11/20/19	A7	11/27/19
A2	11/20/19	A8	11/27/19
A3	11/20/19	B9	11/27/19
A4	11/20/19	B10	11/27/19
A5	11/20/19	B11	11/27/19
		B12	11/27/19
		B13	11/27/19

**Also please be sure to clean the motes after preventive treatment is completed.**