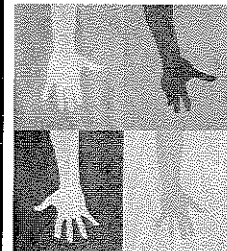


# THE GILLESPIE GAZETTE

VOL XVIV NO 4  
APRIL 2011



**FASHION FINESSE  
FASHION &  
LUNCHEON  
SAT. APRIL 16  
11:30 A.M.**  
\*IT'S A NEW STYLE SHOW &  
WORKSHOP TOO!



**WE WANT TO SAY  
THANK YOU:  
VOLUNTEER  
APPRECIATION  
BREAKFAST  
TUES. APRIL 26 9 A.M.**

## APRIL ACTIVITIES/PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS:

**\*Fridays-April 15 9 a.m.-3 p.m.**  
**Free AARP Tax-Aide Federal & State  
Tax Preparation at Gillespie Center**  
by appointment or walk-in

**\*Tuesdays at 9:30 a.m.: Photography Group**  
Jon Wright from J & K Creative will be giving the group creative ideas and helpful tips. It is fun and educational. Everyone is welcome!

**\*Thurs. April 7 from 9-11 a.m.**  
**HUD/HRA**  
Call 651-602-1625 for an appointment

**\*Interested in Defensive Driving Classes**  
Call 1-888-234-1294 to Register. Classes at St. John's this month.

**\*Tues.-April 12 at 11:30 a.m.**  
**Nordic Walking**  
Led by Certified Instructor Brigid O'Rourke  
Sign up at the Front Desk.

**\*Wed. April 13 at 10:45 a.m.**  
**Program: "Arthritis & Managing Activities"**  
Presented by MN Arthritis Foundation

**\*Thurs.-April 14 from 1-4 p.m.:**  
**SCS Health Insurance Counseling by appt.**  
Call Mindy at the Center for an appointment

**\*Thurs. April 14: 9-10 a.m.**  
**Grand Buddies Book Club**  
(Seniors & Children's Book Club & Activities)  
Group is led by ECFE Teacher.  
This month's theme is: Gardening \*Free Program Sign up!

**\*Thurs.-April 14 at 7:50 a.m.**  
**Trip to Turtle Lake Casino**  
Cost: \$5 Sign up at the Front Desk.

**\*Sat. April 16 at 11:30 a.m.**  
**Fashion Finesse Fashion Show & Luncheon**  
Fashions and accessories by Christopher & Banks  
Come experience this special show!  
\*Style Show \*Workshop  
Learn how to optimize your wardrobe with accessories, etc. Luncheon: Variety of Salads  
Cost: \$15 Buy your tickets at the Front Desk.

**\*Wed. April 20 from Noon-2 p.m.**  
**Classic Country Jam \* Live Music\***  
**Musicians Play & Jam! \*It's fun! \*It's Free!**  
Sign up for lunch ahead of time only \$5.

**\*Thurs.-April 21 at 8:45 a.m.**  
**Trip to Science Museum of Minnesota:**  
**King Tut Exhibit & Omni Movie "Mummys"**  
Cost: TBD Sign up at the Front Desk.

**\*Tues.-April 26 at 9 a.m.**  
**Volunteer Appreciation Breakfast**  
Sign up by Fri.-April 22 at the Front Desk.

**\*Wii Games & Wii Fit (Bowling & More)**  
Look for posted times at The Center.

**\*Plan Ahead for May:**  
**\*Sun. May 15 :Gillespie English Tea to Celebrate  
Prince William & Kate's Wedding**  
**\*Wed. May 18: Gillespie Plant Sale begins**  
**\*Wed. May 18: Program: "Memory Use it &  
Improve it."**  
**\*Thurs. May 19: Trip to Treasure Island Casino.**  
Sign up at the Front Desk.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR APRIL - 2011

Fri

Thu

Wed

Tue

Mon

<p>4. 8:30 Over 50 &amp; Fit 9:45 Snapdragons 1:00 Cribbage</p>	<p>5. 9:00 Gillespie Art Group noon- Lunch 9:30 Photography Group 1:00 Advisory Council &amp; Membership Meeting</p>	<p>6. 8:30 Over 50 &amp; Fit 9:45 Snapdragons 10-12 Hidden Treasures Open 11:30 Blood Pressure 12:40 Movie - 1:00 Wednesday Bridge 1:00 Scrabble 1:30 Gillespie Singers @ Chateau</p>	<p>7. 9:00 Line Dancing 9 to 11 HUD/HRA 10-3 Hidden Treasures open 10:00 Quilting Group 1:00 Craft Group 3:00 Gillespie Singers Practice</p>	<p>8. 8:30 Over 50 &amp; Fit 9-3:00 AARP Tax Assistance 9:45 Snapdragons 1:00 500 Card Players</p>
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# PROGRAMS/INFO FOR YOU

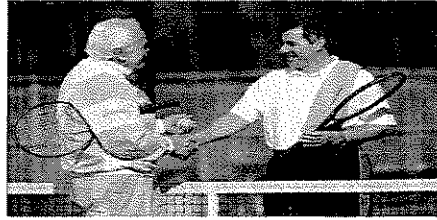


## NORDIC WALKING IS BACK!

**TUES. APRIL 12  
11:30 A.M.**

Led by Certified Instructor  
Brigid O'Rourke

\*There will be a small fee for each class.



**PROGRAM:  
WED. APRIL 13  
10:45 A.M.**

## "ARTHRITIS & MANAGING ACTIVITIES"

PRESENTED BY THE  
MN ARTHRITIS FOUNDATION



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FASHION SHOW & LUNCHEON  
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Cost: \$15**

\*Style show \*Workshop  
\*Learn how to optimize your  
wardrobe with accessories!

\*Fashions & Accessories by  
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BREAKFAST  
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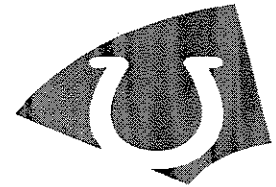
\*SIGN UP BY FRIDAY, APRIL 22  
\*COME & ENJOY A HOT  
DELICIOUS BREAKFAST!



**STOP IN & SHOP ...  
\*HIDDEN TREASURES STORE\***

**OPEN WED. 10 A.M.-NOON  
THURS. 10 A.M.-3 P.M.**

\*THERE IS SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE!



**LUCKY SWEEPSTAKES  
WINNERS FOR 2010-11  
\*WEEK:**

Feb. 28-Tom Gyllen  
Mar. 7-AI Kramer  
Mar. 14-Roger Anderson  
Mar. 21-Eugene Longstrom

\*Over the year's time there are 52 draw-  
ings for \$100 and four quarterly drawings  
for \$250. \*300 tickets sold every year.



## GILLESPIE BOOK CLUB

\*Anyone is welcome to meet with us  
even if you haven't read the books.

**APRIL BOOK:**

Major Pettigrew's Last Stand  
by Helen Simonson

**MAY BOOK:**

The Art of Racing in the Rain  
by Garth Stein

\*FOR INFO CALL  
LOIS AT 952-495-8067

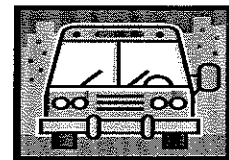


## RENT THE CENTER...

**THE GILLESPIE CENTER IS  
A GREAT PLACE FOR:**

\*A WEDDING  
\*A PARTY  
\*REUNION  
\*MEETING

\*Call Wendie Rental/Event Coord.  
at The Center at 952-472-7563



## TRIPS THIS MONTH:

\*TRIP TO TURTLE LAKE CASINO  
THURS. APRIL 14 AT 7:50 A.M.  
COST: \$5 SIGN UP NOW!

\*TRIP TO SCIENCE MUSEUM OF  
MINNESOTA: KING TUT EXHIBIT &  
OMNI MOVIE "MUMMYS"  
THURS. APRIL 21 AT 8:45 A.M.  
SIGN UP NOW!

# THE GILLESPIE CENTER SUPPORT FUND

## APRIL 2011

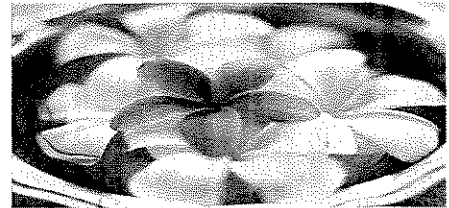
The staff and boards of The Gillespie Center are deeply grateful to the following people who donated to The Center in the last month. These donations help tremendously with our challenge of ongoing expenses to The Center operations. Thank you!

### WAYS TO HELP THE GILLESPIE CENTER

- \*Make a gift in memory of a friend, family member or a loved one.
- \*Request that memorials be given to The Gillespie Center.
- \*Celebrate a birthday, anniversary or special achievement by making a contribution to The Gillespie Center to honor someone special.
- \*Include The Gillespie Center in your estate plan.

### DONATIONS

Suzie Erickson Mary Carrigan Helen Hanus  
Doris Rudd Barb Andersen Marty Gilbertson  
Helen Ohnesorge F.E. Krueger W.O. Krueger  
Toddie Henning Wednesday Bridge Group John & Judy Lenhart



### MEMORIALS

**Memory of Alma Quist** from Margaret Thorne Jim & Mary Scruton Bruce & Cheryl Kullberg Cheryl & Terrance Mahoney  
Ruth Messick Keith & Janice Clark Arlene Logelin

**Memory of Hilda Schroeder** from Mary DeVinney

**Memory of Adrian Meuwissen** from Dick & Helen Halvarson Fred & Connie Hanley Carl & Joanna Widmer  
Arlene Gilmore

**Memory of Rita Coleman** from Fred & Connie Hanley

**Memory of Greg Price** from Fred & Connie Hanley

**Memory of Dick Hardina** from Carl & Joanna Widmer

**Memory of his Wife Verna Haase** from her Husband Cclair Hasse

**Memory of Harriet Miller** from Arlene Gilmore

**Memory of Wanda Hilgers** from Arlene Gilmore

**Memory of Boots Rockvam** from Arlene Gilmore

**Memory of Sue Schmidt** from Arlene Logelin

### HONOR & GIFT

**Honor of The Gillespie Singers** from Presbyterian Homes-Chateau



# INFORMATION FOR YOU

## DO YOU ENJOY THE OUTDOORS? DO YOU ENJOY GARDENING?

WE ARE LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS.

Do you believe in evolution?  
Either way, you could be the missing link!!!

It is happening with the landscaping around our Center. Gert Frevert was the endless volunteer for years and now she is retiring from that position. We need a cadre of volunteers to fill her garden boots.

1. Volunteer to water & weed for **one** week this summer-this would entail only 2 days of approximately 1 hour per day.
2. Training provided.
3. Leave your name and phone number at the Front Desk.

Our priority will be the front gardens and if we get enough interest, we will tackle the back garden as well.  
Looking forward to talking with you, Flossie Finnicum



### PLAN AHEAD FOR MAY:

\*GRAND BUDDIES  
BOOK CLUB  
THURS. MAY 12 9A.M.

\*GILLESPIE ENGLISH TEA  
TO CELEBRATE  
PRINCE WILLIAM &  
KATE'S WEDDING  
SUN. MAY 15

\*GILLESPIE PLANT SALE  
STARTS WED. MAY 18

\*PROGRAM: "MEMORY USE  
& IMPROVE IT"

\*WED. MAY 18 10:45 A.M.  
\*TRIP-TREASURE ISLAND MAY 19

### MI FAVORITE KOOKIE RECIPE: Submitted by Mary Opheim

500 pounds of flour  
84 heggs beet well in a boll  
separate the wides from the jolks and beat weller than befor. Mix 20 quarts of milk strain thru a W.P.A. sock so it wont work then add 40 teaspoons of talcum. I mean baking poder, put in a small pan and bake for 5 minutz, then take out of ofen and seprate into kookies and bake again for 40 minutz at 350 fahrenheit. when done sprinkle with nutz-mag.

Miss Better Crookum

APRIL FOOLS!



### GILLESPIE SINGERS

\*FRI. APRIL 1 AT 2:30 PM  
AT CARE CENTER,  
PRES. HOMES

\*WED. APRIL 6 AT 1:30 PM  
AT CHATEAU

\*THURS. APRIL 7 AT 3 PM  
PRACTICE

\*THUR. APRIL 28 AT 1 PM  
AT BOARD WALK

### APRIL BIRTHDAY CELEBRANTS

4/01 Joyce Matheson  
4/01 Sandi Manson  
4/02 Marjorie Smith  
4/02 Daniel Hessburg  
4/03 Ckclair Hasse  
4/04 Orvella Hanson  
4/04 Janan Minge  
4/06 Joe Gibson  
4/06 Betty Ann Howells  
4/07 Arlene Gilmore  
4/07 Patty Guttormson  
4/07 Herman Gutzke  
4/08 Nadine Juliar  
4/10 Gert Frevert  
4/30 Mary Dalbec

4/11 Susan Anderson  
4/12 James Schmidt  
4/12 Arlene Donahue  
4/12 Vija Reicheberger  
4/13 Joyce Waataja  
4/14 Nancy Ketcher  
4/14 Lou Ann Fasching  
4/14 Luanne Geib  
4/15 Betz Goman  
4/17 Jan Cory  
4/18 Phyllis Pilgram  
4/18 Jim Regan  
4/18 Margaret Lien  
4/19 Delores M. Lind

4/19 Ron Gramenz  
4/20 Mildred Morrison  
4/20 Bill Cunningham  
4/20 John Morrison  
4/22 Margaret Green  
          Johnson  
4/22 Mary Scruton  
4/23 Linda Blakstvedt  
4/26 Arlene Logelin  
4/26 Rita Badzinski  
4/27 John Plahn  
4/27 Virginia Snodgrass  
4/28 Carol Sue Dongoske  
4/28 James Thompson



LOOK FOR THE  
STEP TO IT  
CHALLENGE  
IN MAY!  
MORE INFO SOON!

# RECEPTIONIST APRIL 2011

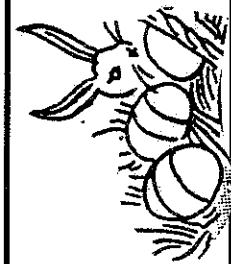
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<p>11. HOSTS: RECEPT: A.M. Marty Gilbertson P.M. Jo Anne Porter</p>	<p>12. HOSTS: RECEPT: A.M. Rose Radke P.M. Jan Melenich</p>	<p>13. HOSTS: Orvilla Hanson RECEPT: A.M. Arlene Donahue P.M. Marion Poteete</p>	<p>14 HOSTS: Mary Dalbec RECEPT: A.M. Donna Smith P.M. Betty Iverson</p>	<p>15. HOSTS: Susie Erickson Ginny LaFavor RECEPT: A.M. Helen Hanus P.M. Betty Davis</p>
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				<p>APRIL SHOWERS BRING MAY FLOWERS</p>



**"SOUPER"  
APRIL  
MENUS**



**WEDNESDAY**

**THURSDAY**

**FRIDAY**

**APRIL 1**

**Steak Tar-Tare with Caviar** (April Fools!)  
**Salmon Wild Rice Soup**  
**Green Salad**  
**Rolls**  
**Dessert**  
**Beverage**

**APRIL 6**

**Potato Soup**  
**Ham Sandwich**  
**Dessert**  
**Beverage**

**APRIL 7**

**Chicken and Rice Soup**  
**Green Salad**  
**Rolls**  
**Dessert**  
**Beverage**

**APRIL 8**

**Twins Baseball Opener!**  
**Hot Dogs**  
**Homemade French Fries**  
**Pickles**  
**Root Beer Floats Beverage**

**APRIL 13**

**Beef Noodle Soup**  
**Egg Salad Sandwich**  
**Dessert**  
**Beverage**

**APRIL 14**

**White Bean & Chicken Chili**  
**Grilled Cheese Sandwich**  
**Dessert**  
**Beverage**

**APRIL 15**

**Mushroom Barley Soup**  
**Tuna Sandwich**  
**Dessert**  
**Beverage**

**APRIL 20**

**Split Pea Soup**  
**Ham Sandwich**  
**Dessert**  
**Beverage**

**APRIL 21**

**Chicken Noodle Soup**  
**Fruit**  
**Rolls**  
**Dessert**  
**Beverage**

**APRIL 22**

**French Onion Soup**  
**Cheese Croutons**  
**Dessert**  
**Beverage**

**APRIL 27**

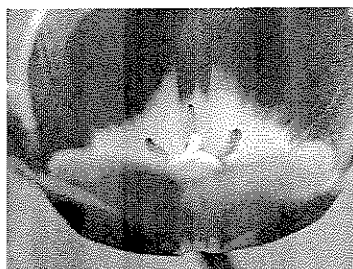
**Bean & Bacon Soup**  
**Turkey Sandwich**  
**Dessert**  
**Beverage**

**APRIL 28**

**Reuben Soup**  
**w/Rye Bread Croutons**  
**Dessert**  
**Beverage**

**APRIL 29**

**Tortilla Soup**  
**Quesadillas**  
**Dessert**  
**Beverage**



**\*Join us for a homemade lunch on  
Wednesdays, Thursdays, Fridays at noon.**

**Cost: \$5**

**\*Call the Center to sign up 2 days prior to  
the day.**

**\*For more information call 952-472-6501.**



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**WELCOME  
SPRING!**

**ENJOY  
APRIL  
AT  
THE CENTER!**