WEATHER WARNINGS

August is sometimes referred to as the Dog Days of Summer, and the weather can stay hot. Please remember to stay hydrated and cool during the warmer periods.

Also, keep an eye on the weather for storm alerts, including tornadoes. If you have not signed up for Wisc Alerts, it is recommended that you do so in the event of severe weather.

Don’t forget that the Community Center is a designated cooling station for when the weather gets too hot. Watch your e-mail and the Eagle Heights Facebook page for when the Community Center will be open for extended hours due to weather.

For more information on Wisc Alerts, and to sign up, visit: https://alerts.wisc.edu/.

FREE PRODUCE AVAILABLE FOR STUDENTS

The UW Campus Food Shed collects produce from research farms and the F.H. King Student Farm and makes this produce available, for no cost, to all UW students.

If you’re looking to supplement your meals this summer with fresh produce, visit one of the food shed locations during normal business hours. Locations include the Student Activity Center, Moore Hall, 15 Science Hall, and the Allen Centennial Garden.

Availability depends on what is collected. Find more information on the Food Shed’s Facebook page at: https://www.facebook.com/campusfoodshed.

LIBRARY, MORE THAN JUST BOOKS

The public libraries of Madison offer much more than just getting a good book.

There are classes for knitting, story times, movie nights, etc. Something for all ages and there is no cost to join most of the events.

You can see all of the options and get more information on your local public library at: https://www.madisonpubliclibrary.org/events.
MEET YOUR COMMUNITY OFFICER: TERRY EVANS

A new lease year brings new residents and I wanted to take this opportunity to introduce myself to the new residents, or re-introduce myself to returning residents. My name is Terry Evans and I am a police officer with the UW-Madison Police Department. I have served as the Community Officer for the University Apartments, University Houses, and Harvey Street Apartments area for over two years.

I have been in law enforcement for 18 years, the last 16 of which I have spent at UWPD. I have worked patrol on all three shifts prior to becoming a Community Officer. I am also an instructor for UWPD in Emergency Vehicle Operations, Vehicle Contacts, Crowd Control, Active Shooter, and other various topics.

For those not familiar with UWPD, we are a full-service police department and are open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year. We take pride in our partnership with the campus and area communities to provide leadership in solving community problems, preventing crime, and providing a safe environment to fulfill the mission of the university. We strive for excellence in fulfilling the department’s mission and vision statements, values and goals.

If you ever need to speak with me or a UWPD officer, day or night, please call our dispatch center at 608-264-2677. If it is an emergency call 911. I can also be reached by email at terryevans@wisc.edu or on twitter @UnivAptsUWPD.

In August I will be hosting a meet and greet event in the Community Center but I encourage you to contact and meet with me anytime.

Terrace After Dark Movies

Coco closes out the movies at Terrace After Dark on Sept. 3 at 9 p.m.

There is no charge for the movies and events at Terrace After Dark. All of the movies begin at 9 p.m., rain or shine.

Other August movies are:

• Aug. 5: High School Musical 2
• Aug. 6: Hairspray
• Aug. 13: Dirty Dancing (the original from 1987)
• Aug. 20: Moulin Rouge!
• Aug. 27 and 28: Juno


Taste of Madison in Early September

Food, festivities, music; the Taste of Madison has something for everyone.

This year’s annual event will be Sept. 1 and 2 at Madison’s Capitol Square.

There is no admission charge to enter to enjoy the music. There will be more than 80 restaurants and 26 beverage stands available at this year’s event.

On Sept. 1, the event will run from 2 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. and on Sept. 2, it will go from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m.

For more information, visit: http://www.tasteofmadison.com.

Back to School Sales Coming Up

Don’t forget to keep an eye out at your favorite retail store for back-to-school specials. Most of the stores in Madison will have specials and sales for school supplies, clothes and other items.
KEVIN WEBER, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF TRADES AND GROUNDS

Hello, my name is Kevin Weber and I am really looking forward to this new role as Assistant Director of Trades and Grounds.

I currently live in Mazomanie, which is about 35 minutes west of Madison. I previously worked as a carpenter for 10 years where I had the opportunity to be a part of some very unique remodeling and new-home construction projects.

In my free time I love spending time with my wife, Kaia, and our Blue Heeler puppy, Indiana. We try to take advantage of every free weekend and travel to our family cabin in La Farge.

I look forward to working alongside everyone and learning as much as I can in the coming months! I would be happy to help with whatever I can, so please feel free to reach out with any questions or concerns: kevin.weber@housing.wisc.edu.

THOMAS RAMIREZ, CAREER STAFF CUSTODIAN

We are excited to announce that Thomas Ramirez has accepted a role as a career staff custodian.

Thomas has been a Facility Maintenance Specialist at AFO in a project role the past year. He did an excellent job in that role and has become a valuable part of the AFO team.

We are excited to be able to retain him and have him move into a career staff custodial role. He will be working at the Community Center each day and will provide support to Eagle’s Wing and the office staff. Please congratulate Thomas when you see him!

MARC SCATENI, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF APARTMENT FACILITIES; MAINTENANCE

Hello! My name is Marc Scateni and I am the new Assistant Director of Apartment Facilities; Maintenance.

I am very excited to have started in this new role. I have been with University Housing for 20 years, mostly with the University Apartments team.

I really enjoy our community and its beautiful setting. If I can be of service, please reach out through email at marc.scateni@housing.wisc.edu or you can find me at the Apartment Facilities Office.
The world is seeing a drastic decline in the number of pollinators, especially bees, which could cause a threat to the world’s food supply—one third of what we eat is directly related to pollination. Honey bees are perhaps the most well-known pollinator, but Wisconsin also has 18 species of bumble bees, plus wasps, moths, butterflies and even beetles that help pollinate our gardens and agricultural crops.

What is causing the declines? Pollinators are affected by the same environmental challenges that all wildlife face, including habitat loss, non-native species, diseases, pollution (including pesticides) and climate change.

Never before have pollinator refuges, like the Lakeshore Nature Preserve, been more important. The Preserve provides a variety of nesting sites for pollinators as well as an abundance and diversity of food sources, both pollen and nectar, and a constant cycle of blooming flowers to sustain pollinators from their emergence in the spring until fall.

Join in a search for one type of pollinator, butterflies, and other “Pretty Things with Wings” at the Aug. 11 field trip in the Lakeshore Nature Preserve from 10 a.m. to noon.


The endangered Rusty-Patched bumble bee calls the Preserve home.

IN YOUR BACKYARD: THE PRESERVE AS A POLLINATOR REFUGE

STAY GROUNDED WITH THE GROUNDS DEPARTMENT

With more new faces joining the Eagle Heights community daily, it is time for some additional reminders on important topics.

PARKING
- Make sure you read your parking policy: https://media.housing.wisc.edu/documents/university-apartments/UA-Parking-Policy.pdf
- Maps are available at the Community Center for paid parking and visitor stalls. Also, please make sure someone can have access to your car in case it is necessary to move your car for tree removal or parking lot maintenance.

GARBAGE
- Please put all garbage in the appropriate dumpster. The only items that can be placed on the ground (in front of the dumpsters) are appliances, furniture, metal items and bicycles.

MOVING OUT
- Please put your garbage in or around the dumpsters.
- Do not leave property in common areas (you can take it to the Community Center to donate it).
- Also, please do not drive any vehicle on the lawns, as you will damage the grass.

PROJECTS
- We will be removing Ash trees that are dying from Ash Borer. These trees can become unsafe if not removed. We will be replacing them with other trees or shrubs this fall or next spring.
- There will also be some grading, seeding and concrete work being done, as well. Please keep children away from these areas (they will be marked) when they are being worked on.

SCHOOL REGISTRATION

Online registration for the Madison Metropolitan School District begins Aug. 1.

The schools for residents of the Eagle Heights community are Shorewood Elementary, Hamilton Middle School and Madison West High School.

Parents can get a copy of their lease at the Community Center front desk.

For more information, please visit: www.mmsd.org/enroll.

SAVE THE DATE: ICE CREAM SOCIAL

Sept. 5, 2018
5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
at the Community Center

More details to come in the September newsletter.
If you were a fan of Saturday Night Live during the Dana Carvey years, there is no way you can ever cook broccoli without singing that song. In the evenings, when I am checking on my gardens, my boyfriend stands on the deck singing “she’s choppin’ broccoleh-heh”. When I cut some stalks and bring them in the kitchen, I am singing it. We are hearing and singing that song a lot lately. Apparently rabbits don’t love broccoli because of all the 20 different things I’ve planted this year, broccoli is the one thing that is coming out of the garden intact.

At first, there were a few handfuls of green beans. I was so proud, it all seemed so hopeful. The potatoes showed promise, but in my eagerness I pulled them too early and from six plants we got 10 tiny, tiny baby potatoes. Carrots? Forget about it. Every single one of them gnawed right down to the ground. The acorn squash looked promising too, for a while, with lots of yellow blossoms, their tiny little baby squash singing “just wait till autumn when you stuff me with cheese and nuts and apples.” Forget about them too. Those darling little puff-tailed monsters got every one of my babies.

ROASTED BROCCOLI
1 ½ large heads of broccoli
2T olive oil
Salt/pepper
1 tsp sugar

Preheat oven to 450, put large baking sheet/shallow pan in oven to preheat. Cut broccoli into to small florets and spears. Toss in large bowl with olive oil, salt, pepper and sugar. Take hot pan out of oven, spread broccoli on pan. Bake for 10 minutes, turn pieces with tongs. Bake 5-8 minutes more, until broccoli pieces are slightly browned.

Q. Can you tell my upstairs neighbor not to shower after quiet hours?

In Eagle Heights, noise concerns many people – whether it is from children running, or neighbors returning from their labs at 2:00 a.m. In general, residents can expect that any normal living noise is considered acceptable by the lease. Babies cry, toddlers run, people come home at all hours and need to cook and use water.

A good rule of thumb is if the noise is coming from a person, it is usually quiet enough for the lease. If it involves noise from amplification (music, television) or things that do not have to be done at a particular time (vacuum cleaners, garbage disposals), it is reasonable to politely request that your neighbors try to keep the noise level down.

Q. If normal living noise is allowed but bothers neighbors, why don’t we put all families with children in downstairs apartments?

The most important reason is that “steering” is illegal. Steering is defined as an attempt to get people in protected categories (race, ethnicity, family composition, gender, public assistance, or disabilities) in a particular area. The practice was once widespread and legal, as a means of enforcing segregated neighborhoods and reinforcing oppression.

The other reason we can’t do it is that it wouldn’t be practical. Family composition changes, the priority and waiting lists are handled as efficiently as possible, and there are just as many complaints about adults making noise as there are about kids making noise.

Interested in learning more about the Fair Housing Act? 
SPECIAL EVENTS

Pontoon Boat Trip
Friday, August 24, 4:15 p.m.-8:30 p.m.
Check-in begins at 4 p.m.

Cruise the lakes with neighbors and friends! Have you ever looked at the beautiful lakes in Madison and wanted to get out on the water? The MSCR Pontoon Boat Program was created just for you! Enjoy a relaxing cruise on the lake and see the city of Madison like you have never seen it before. Trained volunteers drive the boats. Our trip begins at Tenney Boat Pier (1615 Sherman Avenue) and will take us around Lake Monona. The fee is $15 per person. Children must be a minimum of 18 months and weigh more than 15 pounds. Registration is required.

Cooking Class
Friday, August 17, 6:00 p.m.-7:30 p.m.

Residents will be teaching other residents how to cook a dish in our Community Center kitchen. If you would be interested in teaching a small group of fellow residents how to cook a dish, register at the link below. The ingredients will be provided. If you are not interested in teaching, but would like to attend a class to learn how to cook a dish, keep an eye out for sign-ups in the next few weeks. Still a few spots available to register to learn cooking! This class will be a vegetarian Italian dish. Registration is required.

Wisconsin Dells Outlet Shopping Trip
Saturday, September 1, 9:00 a.m.-7:00 p.m.

Come join us on a bus trip to the outlet mall in Wisconsin Dells. The Outlets at the Dells is home to more than 50 stores to do your back-to-school shopping. The Outlets at the Dells is very close to several restaurants and entertainment options, including Knuckleheads and Buffalo Phil’s Pizza. The bus will leave at the Community Center and your fee will include the bus rate. Please visit https://www.outletsatthededells.com if you have any questions about the Outlets. Registration is required.

Arts and Crafts

Weekly arts and crafts program in the Community Center at 6 p.m. every Tuesday. This program is designed towards children to help them unleash their creative side. If you have any ideas for Arts and Crafts programs please email uaevents@housing.wisc.edu.

CANCELLATIONS & CLOSURES

Zumba is cancelled on Aug. 4. It resumes its typical class schedule on Aug. 11.

WEEKLY EVENTS

As always, we have many events happening in the Community Center. See below for a listing of weekly events.

Mondays:
Zumba, 5:30-6:30 p.m.; Large Gym
Badminton, 6:30-7:45 p.m.; Small Gym
Table Tennis, 6-7:45 p.m.; Room 139

Tuesdays:
Bulgarian Folk Dance, 6:15-7:30 p.m.; Small Gym

Wednesdays:
Basketball, 6-7:45 p.m.; Large Gym
Insanity Workout, 6:30-7:30 p.m.; Small Gym

Thursdays:
Volleyball, 6-7:45 p.m.; Large Gym
Bulgarian Dance, 6:15-7:45 p.m.; Small Gym

Fridays:
Yoga, 5:45-6:45 p.m.; Small Gym

Saturdays:
Zumba, 9:30-11 a.m.; Large Gym
Insanity Workout, 9:30-10:30 a.m.; Small Gym
EVENTS THIS MONTH

Monday   7:45 a.m. to 5:45 p.m.
Tuesday   7:45 a.m. to 5:45 p.m.
Wednesday 7:45 a.m. to 7:45 p.m.
Thursday  7:45 a.m. to 5:45 p.m.
Friday    7:45 a.m. to 5:45 p.m.
Saturday  9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

COMMUNITY CENTER OFFICE HOURS:

REQUEST REPAIRS ONLINE

If something in your apartment doesn’t work, let us know right away. Repairs will be made even if you are not at home.

Night, weekend, and holiday repairs are only made in urgent situations. If you put in a repair request as soon as you notice a problem, it may keep the problem from getting worse at a time no mechanic is available.

When you need a non-emergency repair, use the Repair website. Only request one repair on each form. The Repairs webpage also has some instructions on small repairs you can make yourself.

www.housing.wisc.edu/apartments-maintenance-request

TO CONTACT RESIDENT MANAGERS

A Resident Manager is on-call from 5:30 p.m. to 8 a.m. on weekdays, and 24 hours a day on holidays and weekends. No Resident Manager is on Duty at other times, when the University Apartments Office (in the Community Center) is open.

Due to problems with cell reception (sometimes the Resident Manager on Duty is in a basement) the most efficient and effective way to contact the Resident Manager on Duty is sending a text. Texts or calls should be placed to 608 - 444 - 9308.

EAGLE’S WING CHILD CARE

EaglesWing@housing.wisc.edu

Do you have questions about child care in the Community Center? We welcome any and all questions, comments and suggestions. Based on the topic, your email will be forwarded to the right person to answer your question. To put your child’s name on a waiting list for Eagle’s Wing and/or other campus child care, you can do so at: www.housing.wisc.edu/EaglesWing

CONTACT INFORMATION:

RENT A COMMUNITY CENTER ROOM

https://housing.ems.wisc.edu

Do you have an upcoming event? The Community Center has space for you! The cost is more affordable than many other locations, and it is easy to find out what space is available, and how much it would cost. If you have a UW NetID, you will sign in with that. If you do not have one, there is no problem! Sign in as a guest!

CONTACT THE LEASING OFFICE

Leasing@housing.wisc.edu

Do you have a question for Peggy? Do you need to talk to Leasing for any reason? Email first! She will be able to answer your questions, or make an appointment for you. That way, you won’t be disappointed if she is already busy with other residents when you stop by.

Your lease, roommate policies, transfer and termination information, and more can be found on the University Apartments section of the Housing website.

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