In the Lake Flower Apartments, every apartment has pull cords and smoke detectors that, when activated, sound an alarm that can be heard throughout the building. The pull cords are there for your use in the event of an emergency. Yes, on occasion, the pull cord is activated inadvertently - a cat may pull the cord; a blanket or towel may hit the switch. But, more often than not, a human tenant flips the switch or pulls the cord. The smoke detectors activate the alarm when, you guessed it, they detect smoke.

The alarm sounds the same, whether it’s the pull cord or the smoke detector.

When an alarm is activated during regular business hours, staff respond.

If you are a person in need of assistance during non-business hours, you may or may not have options. If you’re able, it is probably better for you to call a friend/family member or 911 to request assistance. If, for whatever reason, you’re unable to do that, pulling the cord may be your only option. If you pull the cord, you do so because you want someone to respond. At a minimum, that person can call 911.

When an alarm is activated during non-business hours, I hope all who hear it think of the Golden Rule.

I guess most all of you have heard of the Golden Rule. While there are numerous versions, the sentiment is the same: treat others as you would like them to treat you.

In recent weeks, the alarm sounded early one weekday morning, before 7:30 and staff’s arrival. The individual who pulled the cord needed assistance. I do not know at what time the person pulled the cord; but, the alarm was sounding when I walked in the door at 7:15. No one had responded.

No one went to this person’s aid. Again, calling 911 is all that would be needed. If it had been you, what would you want others to do?

I ask you; I beg you: when someone needs help, think about the shoe being on the other foot. Ask yourself, what if you needed help? When you have that answer, do the same for the one needing help now.
HHA BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

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HHA OFFICE HOURS

9:00am–11:30am
And 1:00pm–3:30pm

After hours

Emergency call number
518-923-1082

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Now is the time for the snow to begin to fall.

Outdoor activities will change from swimming in the lake to skating on the lake.

Variables in the weather will make travel dicey at times.

Everyone should invest in a good set of snow tires with the mountain symbol to get around the slippery passes.

My wife got a new set delivered by UPS right to our door!

Bolting them on the car will be good exercise for her.

Ever say something stupid in a newsletter.

Right now may be that time.
November 11, Veterans Day, a very important day to remember. Without our military and our Veterans, we would not be the land of the free. Please take a moment to remember and honor someone who has served in the military. I would like to honor my father and my brother, who served in the Navy, and my two sisters, who served in the Air Force. Thank you for your service to this great nation. If you get a chance, stop by the high-rise to see our annual tribute to current and past family and friends who serve or who have served in the military. Irene Snyder does a wonderful job with the display.

Well, October was a great month for beautiful weather and awesome fall colors on our trees. I hope you enjoyed the changing leaves. Here’s hoping November’s weather will be great, too. Inspect your doors and windows to see if weather stripping is needed. If so, contact the work order system at 518-891-3050 extension 103.

Lake Flower residents, you will be receiving your scheduled appointments for your annual re-certifications. Start getting your information together!

Yes, it is that time of the year…Christmas will be here in less than two months. Please plan accordingly to make sure your December rent is paid on time.

Happy Thanksgiving to you and your family. BE SAFE.
**WORK ORDERS**

Please remember to call the office at 518-891-3050 option 3
For a work order.
This is the only way to schedule your maintenance needs.

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**IRENE’S THOUGHTS**

Save The Date!! The Annual Harvest dinner will be held on December 14, 2017 for all Lake Flower Apartments’ residents.

At the Lake Flower Apartments, we enjoy honoring Veterans by posting their pictures in the first floor lobby. If you are a Veteran, or, family or close friends are Veterans, please bring a picture to Irene. She will make a copy of your original and add the picture to our display.
Get the Newsletter Via E-Mail!
We encourage those with access to e-mail to sign up for e-mail delivery of the monthly newsletter. To sign up, send a quick e-mail to tburdt@harrietstownha.org. The newsletter is also available on the website: www.harrietstownha.org

EHRLICH PEST CONTROL INSPECTIONS
Notices of inspections will be distributed.

PLEASE BE ADVISED, IT WILL ALSO BE NOTED IF YOU ARE MAINTAINING YOUR APARTMENT IN A CLEAN, SAFE AND SANITARY CONDITION IN ACCORDANCE WITH YOUR LEASE.

ARE YOU A VICTIM OF UNWANTED TELEMARKETING CALLS?
CALL THE NATIONAL DO NOT CALL REGISTRY
1-888-382-1222

REMEMBER, YOU MUST CALL FROM YOUR PHONE IN ORDER TO BE PLACED ON THE DO NOT CALL REGISTRY LIST
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**Colors:**
- **RED:** ALGONQUIN COMMUNITY ROOM
- **PURPLE:** L.F. COMMUNITY ROOM
- **GREEN:** L.F. BOARD ROOM
The Harrietstown Housing Authority has apartments for rent in the Lake Flower High-rise and Algonquin Apartment Complex.

Additionally, we have a Housing Choice Voucher program that may assist you with your monthly rent in the community.

For additional information and to obtain an application please contact us at 518-891-3050 or stop by the office at 14 Kiwassa Road, Saranac Lake.

You may also go online at www.harrietstownha.org.

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Have you had your Cancer Screenings this year?

Free Cancer Screenings Available:

- Clinical Breast Exam
- Pap Test
- Mammogram
- Colorectal (FIT) Test or Colonoscopy (depending on risk status)

Eligibility:

Women who are 40–64 years old without health insurance.
Men who are 50-64 years old without health insurance.

If positive results are found, coverage for cancer treatment is available to individuals who qualify.

It’s easy to enroll. Just give us a call.

518-891-4471 ext. 3016

Franklin and Essex Counties Cancer Services Program

Your partner for cancer screening, support and information
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<td>2) What is harder to catch the faster you run?</td>
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<td>4) Why did the quarterback throw his alarm clock out of the window?</td>
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<td>5) A woman and a man are sick of their families, so they get a cabin in the woods and go to elope. After a month, the woman decides she doesn’t want to elope. What does she leave her man in the cabin to tell him?</td>
<td>5) What do you get when you cross a turkey with a banjo?</td>
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<td>6) Once a zulu met a zulu in zulu land. Said the zulu to the zulu, how many z’s in that?</td>
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<td>7) What loses its head in the morning, but gets it back at night?</td>
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***Answers Can Be Found On The Back Cover***

www.4riddles.com

www.jokes4us.com
Where should you look?
- Mattress (piping, sides, underside)
- Box spring (remove ticking)
- Bed frame
- Linens
- Furniture – seams, pleats, piping, joints
- Corners and drawers of desks, dressers, etc.
- Door, window, and baseboard trim
- Items on the floor

What should you look for?
- All life stages: eggs, nymphs, adults
- Skin casts
- Blood spots

How do you avoid them?
Carefully inspect all used furniture, linens, and clothing before bringing them into your home.
- Wash and dry clothes on hottest setting items can stand. Transport clothes in plastic bags. Do not put clean clothes in bags used to transport dirty clothes. Throw those away!
- Vacuum frequently.
- Remove clutter.

If possible, use a high powered flashlight when looking around your unit. If you find a bed bug, notify staff immediately. Staff and you will work together to prepare for any needed treatment. Don’t delay. It’s much easier to treat one or two than it is twenty or thirty. Again, successful eradication requires resident involvement and cooperation.

The sooner we know, the lower the cost to you.
What’s For Dinner?

Happy Thanksgiving
Answers to: Riddles
1) A nose.
2) Your breath.
3) You don’t bury survivors.
4) He used a time out.
5) A cantaloupe.
6) 0-There are no z’s in “that”.
7) A pillow.

Answers to: Thanksgiving Jokes
1) Plymouth Rock
2) Pilgrims
3) It had 24 carrots.
4) He got the stuffing knocked out of him!
5) A turkey that can pluck itself!
6) Their AGE!
7) Because their belt buckles are on their hats!
8) If your papa could see you now, he’d turn over in his gravy!
9) They suspected it of fowl play.
10) Hubble, Hubble, Hubble!
11) Wing! Wing!
12) Google, google, google!