

**MARCH 2018**  
**PrimeTimers' Gazette**

**GREETINGS**  
**FROM YOUR PRESIDENT**



**Hello Fellow Club Members,**

Thirty-six PrimeTimers had an enjoyable evening and dinner at Spang's for our annual Valentine's Dinner.

Several PrimeTimers attended the musical "Cinderella" presented by Lakeland Union High School. It was one of their best yet. They had a full pit orchestra and a very talented cast. In fact we enjoyed dinner afterwards with the cast.

On February 13<sup>th</sup> we had a meeting to discuss the request from the Howard Young Foundation. They asked if the St Germain PrimeTimers would run the food concession at the annual Dragon Boat Festival on August 18<sup>th</sup>, 2018. This is a fundraiser for both the PrimeTimers and the Howard Young Foundation. Everyone voted yes to this opportunity. We will keep 80% of the food profits with 20% going to the Howard Young Foundation. We expect that our volunteers will have shorter work shifts. This should be fun activity.

Our February meeting had two presentations. Amie Rein from the Vilas Commission On Aging talked about a new program "Stand Up & Move More". It is part of a research study being conducted by the University of Wisconsin. It's not a fitness program, but rather a health education program. Not only that, it won't cost you anything. However you will receive \$50 for completing the program. The flyer is on the bulletin board in our meeting room and also on the website. Amie also left a Vilas Commission On Aging survey form. Please take one, answer the five questions and mail it in or get it to me at the April meeting. The Commission On Aging needs your input for determining the programs that are wanted and needed for seniors. Both of these forms will be on our website on the 'helpful info' page.

Our other speaker was Tom Christensen, Town of Saint Germain Chairman. Tom gave us an overview on the Town Board's accomplishments and activities. He also updated us on the Community Center & Red Brick Schoolhouse project and plans.

Our April speaker will be will be Ken Jackson, a lifelong resident of St Germain. He'll tell us about "Vintage St Germain". Hope to see you there.

The Lakeland Retirement Foundation, who operates the Lakeland Senior Center, is planning a five-day trip to Mackinac Island September 10<sup>th</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup>. The flyer for this is also on the bulletin board and will be on our website's 'helpful info' page. For more information & reservations call Janell at 715-356-9118.

Don't forget that there is a General Spring Election held in the Town of St. Germain on Tuesday, April 3, 2018. Any qualified elector who has not yet registered to vote may do so by contacting Thomas E. Martens, Town Clerk, P.O. Box 7, St. Germain, WI 54558 or by calling at 715-892-5748.

Happy St Patrick's Day,

Milt Klingsporn

President



**From Your Membership Chair, Margie Klingsporn:**

As of March 7<sup>th</sup> 234 members have paid their dues for our 2017-2018 year. Congratulations and welcome to these new members who have joined our club since December 1<sup>st</sup>:

- Roy & Anne Seidl,
- Terry Mack,
- Verna Jeanotte.

We are so glad you have joined us. Please extend a warm welcome to them when you see them at one of our events.

Any membership questions you may have can be sent to me, Margie Klingsporn, at [mklings@frontier.com](mailto:mklings@frontier.com) or 715-49-2028.



**Reminder:** The April newsletter will include the Membership Form for the 2018-2019 PrimeTimer membership year. Please wait until you receive the form in the newsletter to submit your yearly dues as this completed form is used for office purposes. (Note: Anyone joining after March 30<sup>th</sup> will be automatically signed up for the upcoming year.)

Any membership questions you may have can be sent to me, Margie Klingsporn, at [mklings@frontier.com](mailto:mklings@frontier.com) or 715-479-2028.



**Come and enjoy these activities with your fellow PrimeTimers:  
Upcoming Performances:**

- ❖ *Mutts Gone Nuts* at Campanile - Saturday, April 21<sup>st</sup>, at 1:00pm.
- ❖ *A Midsummer Night's Dream* at Nicolet - Friday, May 4<sup>th</sup>, at 5:30pm.

(See the activity sheet for details.)

**Day Trip to Yawkey Woodson Art Museum:**

- ❖ **The date has changed!!!** Please note we will be going on **Thursday, May 24<sup>th</sup>**. We will have only one bus going for our trip to the Yawkey Woodson Museum in Wausau. (Please see the activity sheet for details.)

Tom Kortendick's **Dart Ball** report from Feb 21, 2018

Kind of a quiet day on the board, but don't tell Ginny Sparkowski that, as she had **4 hits** to propel her team to victory in the first game!

Rick Rasmussen's group managed to regroup and win the 2nd game. That nasty old score keeper (Tom) stuck old George and took home the cash.

Next Dart Ball session is March 21<sup>st</sup> at 1 pm, room 6 at the Community Center. It's fun from beginning to end

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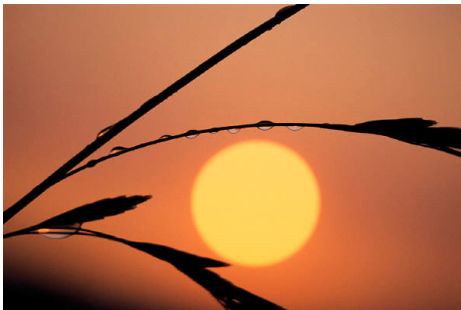
Use as a reminder of what you sign up for or want to participate in

Mar 7	Wed	PT Mtg 1:30 pm speaker Tom Christensen St. Germain Town Chair
Mar 12	Mon	Lac Du Flambeau trip leave 11am \$5 lunch /\$2 Dave 715-479-1401
Mar 21	Wed	Dartball 1:00 p.m. Come join the fun Tom 715-542-2739
Mar 26	Mon	Lac Du Flambeau trip leave 11am \$5 lunch /\$2 Fred 715-479-6310
Mar 28	Wed	Wausau Shopping 8 am No same day cancel /bus \$4 Pat 715-479-3947
April 4	Wed	PT Mtg 1:30 pm speaker Ken Jackson Author/Historian "Stories from Vintage St. Germain"
April 9	Mon	Lac Du Flambeau trip leave 11am \$5 lunch /\$2 Dave 715-479-1401
April 18	Wed	Dartball 1:00 p.m. Come join the fun Tom 715-542-2739
April 21	Sat	Mutts Gone Nuts Campanile leave 1:00pm \$28/\$2 no dinner Joan 239-910-3986
April 23	Mon	Lac Du Flambeau trip leave 11am \$5 lunch /\$2 Fred 715-479-6310
April 25	Wed	Wausau Shopping 8 am No same day cancel /bus \$4 Pat 715-479-3947
May 2	Wed	Alive To Life – in Rhineland – details to follow
May 4	Fri	A Midsummer Night's Dream Nicolet leave 5:30pm \$7/\$2 Margie 715-479-2028
May 9	Wed	PT Mtg 1:30 pm speaker Patty Bonack, local author and organ transplant donor
May 24	Thurs	Yawkey Woodson Museum Wausau leave 8:30am cost?/\$12 bus Margie 715-479-2028
May 30	Wed	Wausau Shopping 8 am No same day cancel /bus \$4 Pat 715-479-3947
July 20	Fri	Setup for Car Show no sign up please come and help
July 21	Sat	Annual Car Show Craft Show Kids Carnival Brat Fry
Aug 19	Sat	3 <sup>rd</sup> Annual Dragon Boat Festival PrimeTimers operating food concession

**All Trip Departures from St Germain Community Center unless specified**

<b>Repeating Events</b>	
Mondays	12:00 noon Bridge Dorothy 715-542-3527 or Carol 715-356-3880
Tuesdays	1:30 – 3 pm Line Dancing Pat 715-479-3947
Wednesdays	12:00 noon COA Meals at St.G Community Center - Nancy 715-617-2795
Wednesdays	6:00 pm cards and games Milt 715-479-2028
Thursdays	12:45 pm (Oct to May) Bowling Jim 715-542-2010
Thursdays	12:00 noon COA Meals at St.G Community Center - Nancy 715-617-2795
Fridays	12:00 noon COA Meals at St.G Community Center - Nancy 715-617-2795

See Web Site – [stgermainprimetimers.org](http://stgermainprimetimers.org) for additional information on activities  
 Sunshine Cards – contact Karen Engels 715-479-5322 or email [karengrillengels@gmail.com](mailto:karengrillengels@gmail.com)



*In February, Sympathy cards were sent to the families of:*

*Janet Nellessen & Kathy Gruhn.*

**Karen Engels is our sunshine lady. If you know of someone who had death in the family, is ill or could just use some cheering up, please contact Karen Engels at 715-479-5322 or email her at [karengrillengels@gmail.com](mailto:karengrillengels@gmail.com)**

**And on a lighter note.....**

- Aging seems to be the only way available to live a longer life
- When I die I want my last words to be "I left a million dollars under the....."
- I really think tossing and turning at night should be considered exercise!

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PrimeTimers

**Our Officers and some of our current volunteers**

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