



The Round Barn Reader

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Isn't it time to come home to The Moorings?

Here come the leaves. Are you ready to get out your rake? And after that... your shovel? Who can forget last winter's blizzards? Had enough?

Retirement shouldn't be about shoveling, mowing and repairing. Or about rattling around in a house that's become too big. And it *certainly* shouldn't be about watching property values continue to decline, with no end in sight.

For many of us, the decision to move out of our houses is understandably difficult. But things have changed. Upkeep has become strenuous and costly, and it interferes with how we want to live our lives today.

"Most upsetting is that property values continue to drop," says marketing director Mary Kay Bochenek. "That's something people can't afford to fool around with. When folks look at things from a different perspective, they see that it's not about leaving the house – it's about creating a new home where futures are brighter, livelier and more secure. It's about enjoying the good life now."

To eliminate prospective residents' concerns about selling and moving, Mary Kay and her staff put together a team to help do it all, from getting the house on the market to planning, packing, and afterwards, putting everything in its place. They're helping with every detail, which can save thousands of dollars in services. "We've even created a Home Sales Contingency Plan and low interim-financing rates and interim rental in the event our expert relocation team can't sell your house in 90 days. We do everything we can to make moving to The Moorings easier than you ever imagined," she says. Phone her at 888-556-9207 to hear the details.

Join us to hear nationally recognized speaker **Randalynn Kaye** on *Is this the right decision for me?* on Thursday, September 22 – see reverse.



Enjoying a beautiful fall day at The Moorings

Dave Benni joins The Moorings as Executive Director



A "people person" who enjoys nothing more than friendly, impromptu conversations with residents in our sun-filled lobby, Dave Benni reports he's enjoying his new post as Vice President and Executive Director of The Moorings. "I've found our residents to be delightful, and am so happy with the high quality of our skilled, long-tenured staff members. Each of them has proven to be deeply committed to providing excellent services and care, in keeping with the high standards of the Presbyterian Homes communities."

Previously, Dave was Executive Director of King Home, a Presbyterian Homes community in Evanston. He spent his early years working in food service management – guaranteeing that residents of The Moorings will continue to enjoy the finest in healthful, delicious dining experiences, delivered by a creative, responsive culinary team.

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Available for rental: Select one-bedroom apartments!

Select one-bedroom apartments are available for rental for a **limited time**. This option includes all the services and amenities of living at The Moorings: dining, activities, entertainment, utilities, and access to health care services on site.

Apartments are offered on a first-come, first-served basis. Phone us at 888-556-9207 to find out more.



A new resident enjoying life at The Moorings.

They “surfed” their way to a free trip!

Congratulations to **Amanda and Charles Elliott**, who won a round-trip airfare and hotel getaway when they visited our new website, www.RetireNothing.org. The site provides video campus tours, photo galleries, calendars of activities and outings, videos of residents talking about The Moorings, interactive floor plans, and a connection to our www.SeniorCareAnswerTeam.org.

“The new website is packed with useful information, but people tell us that they’re having the most fun placing their furniture in the online models,” says marketing director Mary Kay Bochenek.



Charles and Amanda Elliott accept their round-trip airfare and hotel prize from Presbyterian Homes VP Bob Werdan (at left).

Please join us!

Is This the Right Decision for Me?
on Thursday, September 22
at 2:00 p.m.

Join us to hear nationally recognized speaker Randalynn Kaye, author of *Your Formula for Success: A Practical Guide for Making Your Senior Housing Decisions*. You’ll hear practical information that’s well worth your time and receive a copy of *Your Formula for Success*. Light refreshments will be served. Please phone 888-556-9207 to RSVP.