

February 2012

What's Happening?

A Monthly AMLI Community Update

AMLI at Museum Gardens 1155 N. Museum Blvd; Vernon Hills, IL 60061 847.367.6767

Thank You – Food Drive

We had an amazing turn out for the food drive that we held in January, and we can't say thank you enough! All of the food was donated to the Libertyville Township Food Pantry. With the wonderful turn out, we will definitely be holding more food drives in the future! If you didn't get a chance to donate during our food drive, you can always donate directly to the food bank.

Resident Referral

Love living here? Spread the word! Did you know we pay you to tell your friends and family about us? If you refer someone to live here and they move in, we pay you **\$250!** It is important that they mention your name on the first visit. We have referral cards in the office, so pick some up to give to your friends and co-workers!

Don't Hold That Door!

While it is polite to hold the door to your building open for the person behind you, we ask that you not do so. There are a lot of residents that live in your building and chances are you don't know all of them. Please don't assume someone is your neighbor and hold the door open for them. Have you noticed a business card under your door or a flyer that wasn't sent from us? There is a chance that someone may have held the door open for them. If you feel awkward about not holding the door open, just simply say, "I'm sorry I haven't met you before and I don't feel comfortable holding the door open for you".

Epilepsy Foundation Clothing Drive

Last year we worked with the Epilepsy Foundation to host a clothing and housewares drive and although the weather wasn't great, it was still a success! We are hoping to have a wonderful turn out this year as well! On **February 18th from 10 – 1 pm**, the Epilepsy Foundation will be here collecting clothing, shoes, coats, and housewares items. So start your spring cleaning early to prepare for this clothing drive! It always feels great to have a cleaned out closet! The Epilepsy Foundation will be providing receipts so you can write off your donations. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact Janet Anderson at 630.465.6512.

Valentines For Veterans

Help the Chicago AMLI communities show appreciation for those who have served in the military this Valentine's Day. Last year we collected over 400 Valentine Cards for patients at the Edward Hines, Jr. VA Hospital. We need your help to brighten the hearts of our heroes again by bringing in your Valentines to the leasing office by **Sunday, February 5th**. This year we hope to collect over 500 Valentine Cards. Cards may be handmade or store bought (please omit envelopes). Volunteers from AMLI will be hand delivering your Valentines on Sunday, February 11th.