





#### **October is Resident Appreciation Month!**

### **Our President's Message**



Over the past several years, Hunt Military Communities has been focused on forming relationships with aroups and organizations which help us to better serve our military families. Blue Star Families, wear blue: run to remember, Operation Homefront, and Stop Soldier Suicide are a few of the organizations which have

enriched our understanding of and services for our military families. I'm pleased to say that we have recently formed a multi-year partnership with The Military Family Advisory Network (MFAN). Through this partnership, MFAN will share the experiences and insight of those residents who live in our communities. In addition to focusing on housing issues, the partnership will also seek to address some of the other challenges faced by military families – specifically food insecurity and intimate partner violence. Hunt has prioritized and has worked diligently to provide the best possible housing for America's Service Members and their families and to improve the overall resident experience. This partnership is a further testament to Hunt's desire to work collaboratively with stakeholders to find real solutions. We know this relationship between Hunt and MFAN will bring much-needed resources to all military family communities. In October, you will see our staff's time and energy poured into the issue of food insecurity as well as gathering as many responses to the Resident Satisfaction Survey as possible so that we can continue to provide the needed services and resources to our military families.

Best.

John Ehle

**Hunt Military Communities** 









## **Resident Appreciation Month**

Some people are sad to wave goodbye to summer, but not us! Fall is one of our favorite seasons! Why? Because of you! This season is extra special because we host a resident appreciation month! Be on the lookout for fun games on our Facebook page, pet costume contest, goody bags, virtual paint night, yoga on the lawn, and much more!



# **Helping Hands - Event Of The Year!**

We know the pandemic has brought unexpected difficulties to families, such as having trouble getting enough healthy food. The staff at Hunt Military Communities wants to help. Your health and wellbeing matters to us, so we have decided to host a food drive with all of the goods going to Virginia Peninsula Foodbank. If you would like to participate, be on the lookout for donation bags being delivered October 15th. Simply add any non-perishable goods you would like to donate into the bag provided and we'll be back to pick them up on October 20th If you are in need of food, please reach out to the local Virginia Peninsula Foodbank.

### **Hunt App Announcement!**

Don't miss out! We are switching from RENTCafé to the Hunt Resident App. Switching is easy and there is a contest going on! All residents who register for the App from now through October 21st will automatically be entered. All you have to do is download the Hunt Resident App and log in using your RENTCafé username and password to be automatically entered. A winner will be selected and announced on October 21st for \$100 gift card



## It is Getting Cold Outside

Crisp weather and cool air is on the way! That means leaves will begin to fall and autumn will be showing its colorful side. If you are new to Virginia there are lots of lovely state parks and scenic drives to enjoy the great outdoors and practicing social distancing. We know our families do not always get the opportunity to stay in one area long. One of the best ways to take advantage of where you are stationed is to do some local exploring. However, if you're looking for a day drive consider a drive to Charlottesville, VA. They ranked in the top 15 Most Beautiful Places to view fall foliage. You can cruise down the iconic Skyline Drive, stroll along vineyards, and dive into civil war historic spots while being surrounded by autumn beauty here in Virginia.

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**After Hours Emergency Maintenance** 757-766-0136

OCTOBER						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3
						CONTEST
				F	FALL DECORATING CONTEST	
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
COLORING CONTEST						
FALL DECORATING CONTEST						
11	Columbus Day	Paint Night 4pm - 7pm	Paint Night 4pm - 7pm	15 Frank's Monster Munchies 4pm - 7pm Helping Hands Food Drive Bag Drop Off	16	17
				PET COSTUME CONTEST		
18	19	20 Helping Hands Food Drive Bag Pick Up	Snack Packs on the Go! 3pm - 4pm	22	23	24 Yoga on the Lawn 2pm
	PET COSTUME CONTEST			HALLOWEEN COSTUME CONTEST		
25	26	27	28	29	30	31 Halloween
HALLOWEEN COSTUME CONTEST						

# **Calendar Events**

- · October 1-8 Fall Decorating Contest
- October 2-7 Coloring Contest
- · October 12 Columbus Day
- October 13-20 Pet Costume Contest
- October 13 Paint Night from 4:00pm to 7:00pm
- October 14 Paint Night from 4:00pm to 7:00pm
- October 15 Frank's Monster Munchies from 4:00pm to 7:00pm

- October 15 Helping Hands Food Drive Bag Drop Off
- October 20 Helping Hands Food Drive Bag Pick Up
- October 21 Snack Packs on the Go! from 3:00pm to 4:00pm
- October 22-29 Halloween Costume Contest
- October 24 Yoga on the Lawn October 24th at 2pm
- · October 31 Halloween









