

# Comments from The Cove

MARCH 2024



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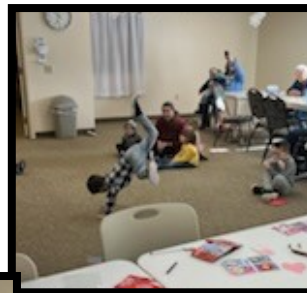
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## Visiting with Cedarville Headstart







# Winter Homemade Soup and Bread Luncheon



Residents and their family and friends had a great time socializing at our Winter Luncheon. Eight delicious soups made their way to the Tasting Table. An array of homemade breads were placed out for sampling. A wonderful way to enjoy a winter wonderland from indoors. **Thank you to everyone who pitched in to make this event successful!**



## Shout out to Cedarville Family Dollar!!!

A whopping 324 valentines balloons were purchased by the public and the hand delivered by Family Dollar Employees. Thank you for brighten up our dining room and filling our day with some extra Valentines fun!



What's Valentine's Day without a little chocolate?!?!



## *In Loving Memory*

Kenneth Arthur Parr, age 82, of Barbeau, Michigan, died on January 13, 2024, at Cedar Cove Assisted Living in Cedarville, Michigan. He was born on December 7, 1941, in Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan, to Frederick Earl and Vera Annie (Underhill) Parr.

Ken was a great friend to many and was known for spending hours in his garage, tinkering away. Besides working on projects, he enjoyed playing cards, hunting, fishing and sharing a drink or two with good company.

Ken was an active member in the Northern Michigan Antique Flywheelers and E.U.P. Antique Associations. He enjoyed displaying his engines and antique farm equipment.

Ken "KP" as he was affectionately called, loved to share his knowledge, and lend a helping hand to whomever needed it. He is known for the great love he held for his family and really enjoyed the antics of his grandchildren and great-grandchildren. They always brought a huge smile to his face whenever he was around them.

Ken is survived by his wife, Sharon Parr; son, Roger (Jillian) Parr; daughter, Lannie (John) Castagne; grandchildren, Nicole (Derek) Alligood, Kyle (April) Champ, Tyler (Jestina) Castagne, Ethan (Katie) Castagne; great-grandchildren, Tristan Champ, Charleigh Alligood, Clint Castagne, Wade Castagne, and Evelyn Castagne; sister, Verna (Herbert) Brown.

Ken is preceded in death by his parents, Frederick, and Vera Parr; brother, Ray Parr; son, Richard Parr; grandson, Dylan Parr.

Per Ken's wishes, no services will be held at this time.



## *In Loving Memory*

Judith "Judy" Eva Eleanor (Lyytikainen) Hill, age 85, of Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan, passed away, surrounded by loved ones, at the Cedar Cove Assisted Living in Cedarville, Michigan, on January 8, 2024. She was born on June 5, 1938, in Allouez Township, (Keweenaw County) Michigan, to Tauno and Helen (Koivu) Lyytikainen.

Judy graduated from Pershing High School in Detroit, Michigan. She met Michael "Mike" Hill, and they married on October 31, 1959, in Detroit. They raised their three boys in Sault St. Marie. After retiring from War Memorial Hospital in Sault Ste. Marie, Mike and Judy moved to Mike's childhood home in Kearsarge, Michigan, where they enjoyed their summers going to various community gatherings throughout the Copper country and dancing on Saturday nights at the local polka. They would also spend much of their

summer hosting family and friends at the entire family's favorite vacation spot, the family camp at Lac La Belle. They would snowbird south every year, spending time glamping throughout the campgrounds of the Southwest and eventually enjoying a condo at Gulf Shores, Alabama.

Judy loved gardening, dancing, music and creating artwork such as looming, knitting, needlepoint, and beading. She was good at anything she did with her hands.

We all feel that now she is reunited with Mike, the love of her life, and they are catching up on their dancing.

Full of love and generosity, Judy and Mike spent their lives loving their sons, daughters-in-law, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren.

Judy is survived by her sons, Dennis (Julie) Hill, Timothy (Jodi) Hill, and Martin Hill; grandchildren, Eric (Shalyn) Hill and Courtney (DJ) Welton, Jacob (Phatchari), J'aime (Kevin), Jared, Jeannee' and Justin Hill, Jaeden Hill; great-grandchildren, Basil, Zaya, Tynzley, and Crozby Hill, Helen and Darlene Hill; brother, Roy (Diane) Lyytikainen; sister-in-law, Claire (Paul) Sullivan. Along with many nieces and nephews.

Judy was preceded in death by her parents, Tauno and Helen; husband, Mike; brother, Irving Lyytikainen; sisters, Sandra Lanto and Arlene Mikolowski.

Memorial contributions can be made out to the Cedar Cove Assisted Living, 266 S. Mary L St, Cedarville, Michigan 49719, or the McLaren Northern Michigan Hospice, 360 Connable Ave, Petoskey, Michigan 49770.

There will be a Celebration of Life in the Spring of 2024. Final Resting Place will be at the Lakeview Cemetery in Calumet, Michigan.





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# Sun, Sand and Sea



This year's Snowsfest theme was spot on as there was no snow in sight! In lieu of snow sculptures, many establishments participated in a window decorating contest. Cedar Cove managed to slide into first place! We also hosted the gathering place for the Dog Walk event! Thank you for sharing your furry friends with us!

