



OCTOBER 2011

MONTH AT A GLANCE

birthstone: Opal
zodiac: Libra (9/23-10/22)
Scorpio (10/23-11/22)

Breast Cancer Awareness
Dental Hygiene Awareness
Hispanic Heritage Awareness



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IMPORTANT DATES + Celebrations

10/10 Columbus Day
10/15 Sweetest Day
10/31 Halloween

village happenings

- 11** FILM | "Fast Five"
7pm | Theater Room Wilson Park Tower
- 25** GET FIT | Personal Training
7pm | Fitness Studio Wilson Park Tower
- 26** AT HOME | Pet Expo
6-8pm | Laurel Curve Lobby
- 27** GET FIT | Yoga
7pm | Event Center Wilson Park Tower
- 29** FILM | Halloween Horror Feature Film
8 pm | Theater Room Wilson Park Tower

NOTE: Event Center or Fitness Studio will be closed during any event held in that room.

I want to know...?

How old are the Swinfords?

The townhomes were constructed in 1886 with the apartments built the next decade and completed in 1897. These are the two oldest operating rental properties in Hennepin County. The Swinford Apartments and Townhomes are excellent examples of cohesive, multi-family residential housing sharing common materials, design purpose, and site. The Swinford Townhomes, completed in 1886 by the firm of Hodgson and Sons, were executed in the French Second Empire style using red brick, stone, and terracotta. The Swinford Apartments were built in 1897 by Anthony Kelly, a dynamic nineteenth-century entrepreneur who pioneered the wholesale grocery business in Minneapolis. The apartments were designed by Harry Wild Jones and emphasize his preference for eclecticism of style. The building is a four-story, red brick and stone building with a corner bay. The complex, named after Kelly's birthplace in Ireland, is located in the once elegant inner-city neighborhood surrounding Hawthorne Park.

Both the apartments and townhomes are listed on the National Registry of Historic Places.

building + management + maintenance

PARKING RAMP WORK

As we continue to work in the parking ramps and ramp entrances we ask that you observe all posted signs as they relate to the work.

PARKING RAMP SWEEPING & STRIPING

We will need your cooperation with having all vehicles removed from your parking area by 7:00PM on the specific date listed for your building.

For your convenience, Laurel Village has arranged for alternative parking to be available at the Minneapolis Community & Technical College Ramp. You may move your vehicle as early as 6:00PM on Friday. The Laurel Avenue entrance will be open for admittance at no charge.

HENNEPIN CROSSING October 7th-9th

Vehicles must be removed by 7:00PM on Friday and may be returned after 6:00PM on Sunday

Vehicles not removed from the MCTC ramp by 7:00AM are subject to tow.

DROP BOXES

The Management Office maintains a drop box for the residents' convenience for leaving messages and paying your rent. The drop box is checked for deposits daily. Any notice or check that is not received by our office or found in the drop box at the time the box is checked is credited or posted as received the next business day. If you need a receipt, or to give a notice, it is recommended that you bring it in to the Management Office.

SIGN UP FOR eVILLAGE

Haven't gone paperless? Do it today. Email your name, building name, apartment number, and best email address to evillage@laurelvillage.com to receive your memos in your inbox.

eVillage is your online destination for all things Laurel Village. Here you can post an ad in the online marketplace, our version of Craig's List, or simply read through the latest memos and upcoming events. eVillage also archives all property memos and newsletters.

And don't forget, you can visit laurelvillage.com to enter work orders or access PayLease, your link to pay your rent online.

Minnesota Apples

Fall is here and the apples are ready!

Minnesota's apple-picking season starts in late summer, in mid to late August, and lasts until October. Many farms grow the famous and delicious Honey Crisp apple, usually available mid-September, and other apple varieties, like the University of Minnesota's Zestar and SweetTango apples.

Call ahead to verify opening hours and directions and to ensure that the farm has apples before you travel. Apple supply varies significantly depending on the weather, the season, and how busy the apple orchard has been.

Afton Apple Orchard, Hastings
www.aftonapple.com

Several varieties of apples to pick, as well as a corn maze, petting zoo, and baked goods for sale. Look out for their Apple Festival with lots of family entertainment and fireworks held on weekends in October.

Apple Jack Orchards, Delano
www.applejackorchards.com

A cheerful, family-run orchard with lots of varieties of apples including the latest University of Minnesota apple, Sweet Tango. There are lots of things to do for children including a play area, petting zoo, and wagon rides all week. Entertainment and live music are added on weekends.

Emma Krumbree's Orchard and Farm, Belle Plaine
www.emmakrumbrees.com

Fall attractions at this popular farm include pick-your-own apples, petting zoo, maze, restaurant, and an annual scarecrow festival. Take a tractor ride out to the apple orchards to pick your own apples. There is an admission charge for some attractions at the farm.

the **HOT** list

things to do this month

NEWS+ HAPPENINGS



TARGET CENTER



Guthrie Theater

Much Ado About Nothing
Now-November 5
Reasons to be Pretty
Now-October 2
The Burial at Thebes
Now-November 6

Orpheum Theatre

Australian Pink Floyd Show
October 20
Northrup Dance: Scottish Ballet
October 22
Widespread Panic | October 25
Warren Miller's Like There's No
Tomorrow | October 28-29

Pantages Theater

Trailer Park Boys | October 4
Stephen Malkmus & The Jicks
October 8
Fran Lebowitz | October 14
Jo Koy | October 15

State Theatre

Bryan Adams | October 6
Jim Gaffigan | October 7-8
The Art of Flight | October 11
La Cage Aux Folles | October 18-23
Joe Bonamassa | October 25

Target Center

Barney Live! | October 1
Roger Daltry | October 5
So You Think You Can Dance
October 13
Lingerie Football | October 14
Keith Urban | October 15
Shrine Circus | October 20-23

Xcel Energy Center

Disney's Phineas & Ferb Live!
October 23

Shout House

Dueling Pianos
www.theshouhouse.com

Wild

Columbus | October 8
Edmonton | October 13
Detroit | October 15
Pittsburgh | October 18
Anaheim | October 27
Detroit | October 29

Vikings

Arizona | October 9
Green Bay | October 23

THE BURIAL AT THEBES

Irish Nobel laureate Seamus Heaney delivers an exquisite adaptation of Sophocles' *Antigone*, reviving the Greek tale of love and self-sacrifice for today's theatergoer. As with the original, *The Burial at Thebes* focuses on the never resolved conflict between a person's individual rights and the demands of the state. The timeless struggle for honor is called into question in the face of challenging authority: to whom does loyalty belong - to one's family and cultural practices or to the law decreed by the state?

up close

from the kitchen

CARAMEL & CHOCOLATE APPLES *from Giada De Laurentiis*

INGREDIENTS

Vegetable oil cooking spray
6 small apples, washed and dried, stems removed
2 (9.5-ounce) bags soft caramel candies, unwrapped (Kraft Classic Caramels)
1/4 cup pulp-free orange juice
1 (4-ounce) bar 53 percent cocoa dark chocolate, chopped into 1/2-inch pieces
Assorted small candies, chopped nuts and sprinkles
Special equipment: 6 craft or thick wooden sticks

DIRECTIONS

Line a baking sheet with parchment paper and spray it with vegetable oil cooking spray. Insert the craft sticks halfway into the stem-ends of the apples. In a medium, heavy saucepan, over low heat, combine the caramel candies and orange juice. Cook, stirring occasionally, until the candies have melted and the mixture is smooth, about 10 minutes. Set aside to cool for 2 minutes. Dip the apples in the caramel until coated and put them on the parchment paper until firm, about 2 hours. Put the chocolate in a medium bowl and set it over a pan of barely simmering water. Stir until the chocolate is smooth and melted. Using a fork, drizzle the melted chocolate over the caramel. Put the apples back on the parchment paper for 10 minutes. Sprinkle with small candies, chopped nuts or sprinkles and allow the chocolate to harden, at room temperature, for about 3 to 4 hours.

CAVALIA

A Magical Encounter Between Human and Horse

*The Shops At West End
Now through October 9th*

Cavalia is a fresh mix of equestrian and performing arts, multimedia and special effects. Conceived by Normand Latourelle and often labeled an equestrian ballet, Cavalia is a spectacular and moving tribute to the relationship between men and horses throughout history, a dream of freedom, cooperation and harmony. In a fairy tale setting filled with poetry and emotion, the show innovatively integrates acrobatics, dance, aerial stunts, live music and equestrian arts. Under the largest Big Top on earth, a 50-meter stage permits the horses to express themselves in all their splendor, nobility and strength, often completely free.

Enjoyed by close to 3 million people in the U.S., Europe, and Canada, Cavalia is a grand-scale spectacle, involving 45 magnificent horses from all over the world and 37 performers including riders, aerialists, acrobats and dancers as well as musicians and a vocalist. A show literally unlike any other, Cavalia celebrates the relationship between humans and horses, reinventing the equestrian arts.

Visit cavali.net

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Hours of Service | Monday through Friday 7:00 am to 6:00 pm

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