

FERRIS HILLS AT WEST LAKE



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FERRIS HILLS & CLARK MEADOWS
Independent and Enriched Senior Living
One Ferris Hills, Canandaigua, NY 14424

Ferris Hills Revving Up for Sept. 13 Car Show



Classic cars, muscle cars, hot rods – you name it and you’ll find it at Ferris Hills at West Lake’s annual Car Show on Thursday, Sept. 13.

Held in the courtyard area between Ferris Hills and its adjacent enriched living community of Clark Meadows, the event will run from 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., with live entertainment and food available for purchase.



Each year, staff members go “all out” in terms of costumes, and this year is no exception, with a Pink Ladies theme from *Grease*.

“This is one of our big events each year and we love it because it brings staff, residents and the public together,” said Claire Watson, resident services manager.

“The car owners really appreciate the enthusiasm of the attendees and their shared passion for cars,” she added. “Everyone loves sharing stories of the cars they once had, and the live music really adds to the already great atmosphere.”



If you would like to register a car for the show, call

(585) 393-0410.

Either way, we hope to see you there!

Meet Michele Chiaverini



Michele Chiverini

After her previous employer – a small union electrical contractor – was swallowed up by the competition in 2002, Michele Chiaverini came upon a “help wanted”

ad placed by the then-new independent living community of Ferris Hills at West Lake. It was for an administrative assistant, and Michele landed an interview but was unsure what to expect.

“I remember pulling up to the entrance of Ferris Hills and was awestruck by the beauty of the facility. Well, as they say,

the rest is history. I have been with Ferris Hills going on 16 years!” says the Penn Yan resident, who recently took on the additional duties of “move-in specialist,” helping new residents acclimate to their surroundings.

A native of Dundee in Yates County, Michele has an identical twin sister and, as it turns out, her husband has an identical twin brother. Michele, an animal lover in the process of becoming a certified wildlife rehabilitator, says working at Ferris Hills’ front desk is “a treat.”

“I am in constant contact with our residents - scheduling their appointments, answering their questions and taking care of their needs,” she says, adding, “The residents have so much to offer with their life experiences and

background and they all become part of your family.”

That family keeps Michele busy by taking full advantage of Ferris Hills’ many activities and outings while enjoying what she calls “five-star” dining.

“Ferris Hills is such a great place to live,” she says, “and the best part is that you can do as much...or as little...as you want to do.”

No matter what they want to do, Michele is there and ready to lend a hand, according to Executive Director Aimee Ward.

“It’s not easy to anticipate the needs of residents, families and coworkers, but Michele does it and does it efficiently and with a smile,” she said. “It’s what makes her a valued member of our team.”

Recent Events at Ferris Hills



JOIN US FOR SPECIAL EVENTS AT FERRIS HILLS

Peg Rayburn Drive, Canandaigua

Thursday, September 13th Car Show

We welcome you to bring your classic car or to come as a spectator. Either way, you do not want to miss our annual car show! With a cookout, music and the Pink Ladies, a fun day will be had by all, beginning at **11:30 a.m.**

Tuesday, September 18th Music with B' Sharp

Enjoy a glass of wine as you listen to the live music performed by B' Sharp beginning at **3 p.m.** Nancy and Bill will get your toes tapping with their vocal and saxophone talents as they take you on an upbeat trip down memory lane.

Friday, September 21st Pancake Breakfast

Bring your appetite and join us in our dining room at our fundraiser to support UR Medicine Thompson Health's care for individuals with Alzheimer's disease and dementia. The breakfast runs from **8 to 10 a.m.** and tickets – available at the door – are \$10 per person.



Tuesday, September 25th Oktoberfest Party



Did someone say “Polka?” This is one of the best socials to attend at Ferris Hills! The German buffet, beer and wine, music, costumes and dancing are just a few reasons why we love this event, and you will too. Begins at **4 p.m.**

Monday, October 1st Culinary Fusion

The Partnership for Ontario County proudly presents “Culinary Fusion,” a unique fundraising event featuring grazing stations, infused drinks, entertainment and impressive silent and live auctions. The evening begins at **5:30 p.m.** and the cost is \$50 per person, payable at the door.



Friday, October 5th Bridge Tournament and Luncheon

Our community bridge day is back. Players may choose to play in either a duplicate game or a social game. Join us for a buffet lunch and fun afternoon beginning at **11:30 a.m.**

Saturday, October 6th Fiddlers of the Genesee

Back by popular demand with a variety of instrumental old-timey fiddle tunes, Fiddlers of the Genesee will share their repertoire of reels, jigs, hornpipes, rags, breakdowns and waltzes. There are even a few western swing and bluegrass instrumentals which will begin at **1:30 p.m.**

Wednesday, October 31st Halloween Party

Looking for a spook-tacular way to start your Halloween evening? Join us at **4 p.m.** for perfected potions and devilish delights. Costumes are encouraged but not required. Either way, you'll be glad you joined this “spirited” event.



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