



Golden Rule Apartments

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NEWSLETTER

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Security Update

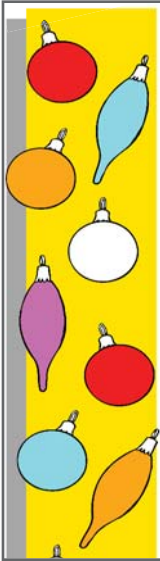
We are pleased to introduce Smith Information Security Systems who will be providing security for Golden Rule Apartments. Effective December 1, 2011, SIS will replace Stamps & Associates. We ask that you welcome the new security staff.

Security will continue to enforce the house rules at Golden Rule Apartments, which includes 100% identification check for all residents and guests. In addition, security staff will regularly patrol both the interior and exterior of the property, as well as the front and rear parking lots.

Management Corner

In observance of the Christmas Holiday, the office will be closed on Monday, December 26, 2011.

2012 Resident ID cards will be issued in mid-December. Notification on the pickup date will be sent at a later time.



IN THE COMMUNITY

Spectacle of Lights. Celebrate the holiday season with a drive or a stroll through one of the Washington, DC area's spectacle of lights at a local park or along the water in Washington, DC, Maryland or Virginia. These Christmas light displays are a beautiful way to share the magic and joy of a winter wonderland. For more information, call the Parks And Recreation Center at (202) 208-3818.

at the National Zoo. Don't miss the "iceless" Zoo Lights Skating Rink, or catch a ride around Great Cats Circle on a new trackless train at the National Zoo. For more information contact the Zoo at (202) 633-4888.

Family Fun Night at Golden Rule

December 22, 2011

Come out and join us as we host a night of games, food and prizes! More information to follow.



Rent Payments

Rent is due between the 1st and 5th of every month. After the 5th, late fees will begin to accrue.

Staffing Update



Ms. Moore, our Assistant Property Manager, will soon be out on maternity leave. In her absence, we are pleased to welcome **Mrs. Aretha Sherriod**

who will provide interim support. Mrs. Sherriod has over 12 years of experience in property management and is looking forward to meeting our residents.

Parking Permits

Beginning December 20, new parking permits will be issued.

Any vehicle with an expired registration will be subject to ticketing and towing at the vehicle owner's expense.



In order to obtain a new permit you will need to provide an updated driver's license, current registration, and proof of insurance to management. All documents must reflect the leaseholder's address at Golden Rule Apartments.

recipe of the month

Cranberry Relish

This is a great cranberry relish for all turkey dishes and turkey sandwiches, and a tasty alternative to a more traditional cranberry sauce. The relish consists of raw cranberries, apples, and an orange, all put through a grinder with sugar added to macerate. The resulting relish is truly delicious.

Preparation time: 15 minutes

INGREDIENTS

2 cups washed raw cranberries

2 skinned and cored tart apples

1 large, whole (peel ON) seedless orange, cut into sections

1 to 2 cups granulated sugar (depending on how sweet you would like your relish to be)

PREPARATION

Combine cranberries and orange in a food processor, and pulse 5 times or until chopped. Combine cranberry mixture, sugar, walnuts, and Grand Marnier in a bowl, and let stand at least 30 minutes before serving. Cover and store in refrigerator for up to 2 weeks.



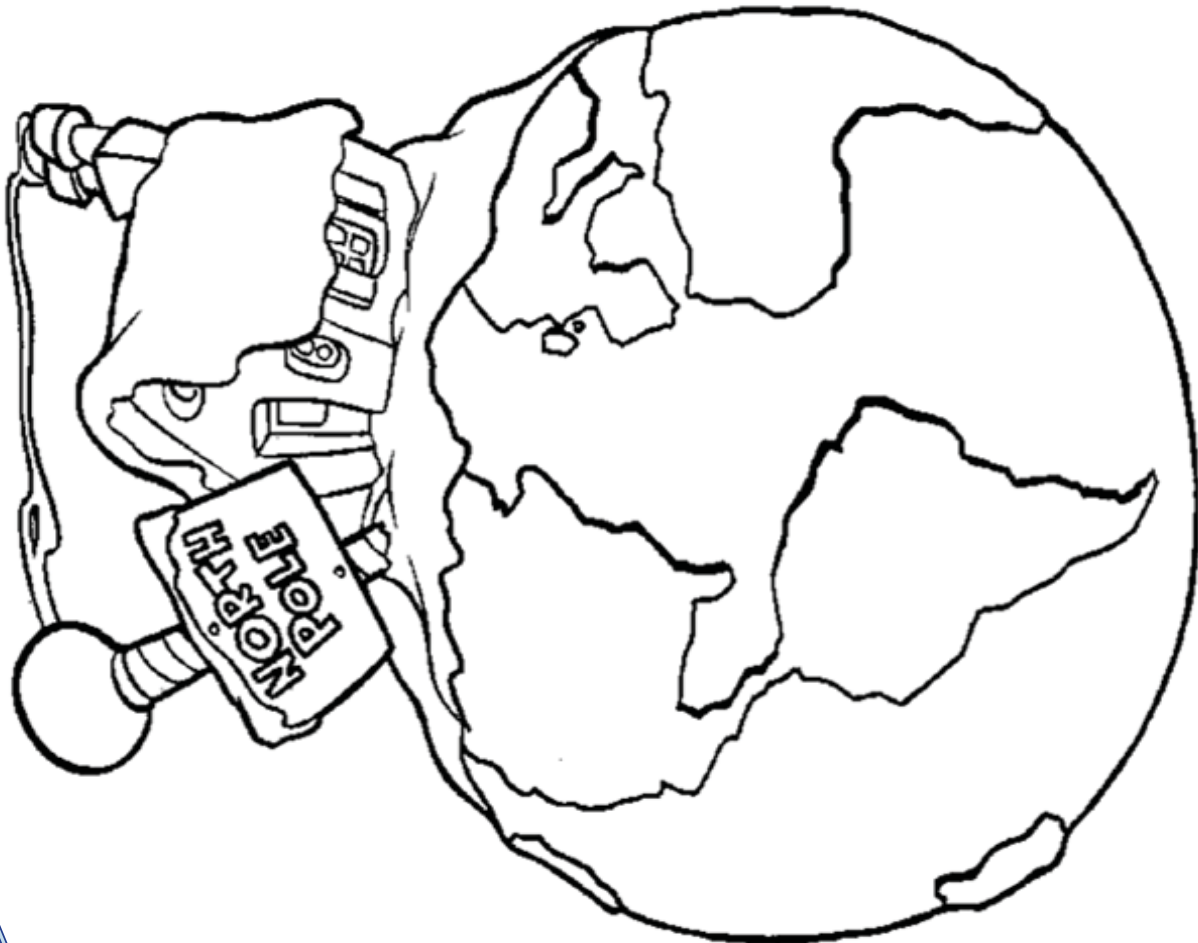
Wishing You a Safe and Happy Holiday!

Just a reminder, the holiday season is a time when robbery happens more often. As a resident, you may feel secure when you're on the property, but we ask that you take these steps to ensure your safety:

- ▶ When entering and exiting the pedestrian gates, please ensure that you are aware of your surroundings at all times.
- ▶ If you notice any suspicious behavior, please report it to security or a staff member as soon as possible.
- ▶ Do not hold or open the door for anyone that you do not know.
- ▶ Do not give away anyone's apartment number.
- ▶ Please ensure that children are being watched at all times.
- ▶ When entering and exiting your vehicle be sure to lock the door.
- ▶ Keep your apartment doors locked at all times, even if you are walking down the hall or expecting company.

The first five children to complete the puzzle and bring it to the management office will receive a prize.

Kids' Corner



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