

## **MOVIE NIGHT GUIDELINES**

We are grateful to the volunteers who have offered to sponsor our weekly movie nights. Because of the special needs of our residents, we have established the following guidelines that must be followed. We appreciate your cooperation and your help!

- **Day:** Friday nights
- **Time:** 7:00-9:00 (We show the movies in different rooms, assuming both TV's and DVD's are working. If not, they will be shown one after the other).
- **Place:** At MFH
- **Confirmation:** Please touch base with MFH staff by the prior Tuesday to determine number and ages of residents. Also, please get the movie "cleared for appropriateness" by the staff by Thursday afternoon.
- **Supplies:** Movie night sponsors are asked to supply the following:
  - Movies: Please choose a G/PG movie for the younger children and a PG-13 movie for the older age group. If possible, we would like the volunteer to consider bringing two movies of each level and allowing the residents to choose which one they would like to see. The teens seem to like action or comedy movies best. The movies can be brought from your personal collection, rented, checked out from the library or another source. Some volunteers have purchased the movie and subsequently donated it.
  - Food for the younger children: We would like the volunteer to provide pretzels or goldfish and juice. (Popcorn is considered a choking hazard and some residents may have a nut allergy.)
  - Food for the older children: We would like the volunteer to provide popcorn and decaf sodas such as root beer, decaf colas, or 7-up. (Please, no red/orange sodas because they may stain).

### **IMPORTANT REMINDERS:**

- **All volunteers in your group that wish to enter the facility must have completed their training requirements.**
- **Please bring an appropriate number of volunteers relative to the number of children in residence. We don't want to overwhelm them with adults.**
- **No photos may be taken, no exceptions.**
- **No cell phones are allowed in the residents' area.**

***WE THANK YOU FOR YOUR INTEREST AND SUPPORT!***