

Friends of Oakdale:

Please accept our apologies for not everyone receiving our Fall Newsletter. There was an issue with the sealant on the envelopes and the front cover with the name and address were torn off and the envelope sent back to us. We were unable to distinguish who the torn newsletter was to. Welcome to spring! Who would have thought we would have such an eventful winter? The weather was so crazy.

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As I close, I want to express our gratitude for all the support you, as owners, have given us over time. Every dollar given adds up and all of us at Oakdale Memorial Gardens appreciate your support. Please feel free to call or stop by with any questions, concerns, or suggestions. Your friend,

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Oakdale Memorial Gardens Volunteers

Volunteer - Joan Finkenhoefer\*

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Oakdale Memorial Gardens is a Not-for-profit cemetery and donations are welcomed and appreciated.

\* Denotes voluntary position — no compensation.

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| Scheduled Events & Holiday Reminders/Office Holiday Closinqs: Spring Clean Up: March 15 —April 1Mother's Day: Sunday, May 12Memorial Day Hours: Sat. May 25, Sun. May 26 & Mon. May 27,Office open 10:00 am - 2:00 pmFather's Day: Sunday, June 16Independence Day: Thursday July 4Bix's Concert: Saturday, August 3 - 10:00 amLabor Day: Monday September 2Fall Clean Up: October 15 - November 1Thanksgiving Weekend: Thursday November 28 & Friday November 29 Christmas: Wednesday December 25 |

# PETLAND "LOVE OF ANIMALS"

We offer burial or cremation options for your beloved pet. Burial prices vary by location, casket selection and marker selection. Cremation pricing varies due to the size of pet and whether you wish to have the remains returned to you.

Visit our website for more information, call or stop in and visit the three acres dedicated to our PETLAND "LOVE OF ANIMALS"

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| WE ARE LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERSWe are looking for volunteers interested in genealogy to help us obtain markers for the unmarked Veteran's graves within our historic cemetery. We currently know of84 veterans who do not have a marker, there are most likely many more that we have not identified yet. The VA will give us free markers for veterans who have served prior to April 6th of 1917. A non-relation can fill out this form, however we need help collecting the required information and completing the forms. Please let us know if this is something you would be interested in helping us do.Please contact us if you have questions or feel free to go to: https://www.va.gov/burials-memorials/ and see how the process to order from VA works. |

* PLEASE HAVE ALL DECORATIONS YOU

# ' WANT OFF THE GRAVE BY APRIL Ist, OR THEY WILL BE DISPOSED OF

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#  The Flower Shop

FLOWER ORDER FORM

Total tax

Qty. Item Deceased Name Remitted

included

  \_\_\_\_ Silk Spring Multi- \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ $25.00 

 \_\_\_ Color Bouquet \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ $25.00 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Silk Red, White & Blue Carnation $25.00 with Flag Bouquet

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Feel free to call at (563)324-5121, email to oakdaleomg@aol.com/ or stop in. We would love to hear from you!

We appreciate all of you very much for your continued support, friendship, and love of this Historical Cemetery.