

# The Villages OF FARRAGUT

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## **Wishing You a Blessed Thanksgiving!**

May love and laughter light your days,  
And warm your heart and home.  
May good and faithful friends be yours  
Wherever you may roam.  
May peace and plenty bless your world  
With joy that long endures.  
May all life's passing seasons  
Bring the best to you and yours!



## **November 2024**



## **November Highlights**

- 11/06 - Table Talk/Resident Council
- 11/11 - Veterans Day - Tribute to Veterans Lunch
- 11/14 - Richard Cook, Guest Speaker
- 11/18 - Podiatry Services by Housecall
- 11/20 - Resident Birthday Dinner Celebration
- 11/28 - Thanksgiving Dinner (Noontime) Buffet





ALL YOU NEED IS A CHIP AND A CHAIR . . . AND GOOD FRIENDS!

## Richard Cook - "Ignored Heroes of WWII" - Nov. 14 - 3:00 p.m.



RICHARD COOK OF OAK RIDGE, AUTHOR OF "IGNORED HEROES OF WWII: THE MANHATTAN PROJECT WORKERS OF OAK RIDGE, TENNESSEE"

Richard Cook has written an oral history of Oak Ridge titled *Ignored Heroes of World War II*. Cook has lived in Oak Ridge since 2000, and his wife was born and raised there. He has written over 160 columns which have appeared in *The Oak Ridger*, *The Oak Ridge Observer*, *The Knoxville News-Sentinel* and *The Tennessean* website. His book has been profiled on WBIR, WATE and PBS. He was interviewed on PBS in Japan in August of 2020 for the 75th anniversary of the bombing of Hiroshima. In 2016 Cook was an advocate for Manhattan Project workers from Oak Ridge to be included on Honor Air flights from Knoxville to Washington, D.C. Cook nominated Oak Ridge photographer Ed Westcott for the Presidential Medal of Freedom in 2018. Many of Westcott's photos are displayed in our community. A book signing will follow.