



A View from the Prairie

**Prairie View Care Center News
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Wellness Update

Diana, Dorthy, and Kelly are returning from a power walk as part of the new-and-improved wellness program for staff at PVCC. A happy, healthy staff helps to foster a happy, healthy working and living environment.



Gordon Duncan

Gordon Duncan is being honored as our Resident-in-the-Spotlight at Prairie View Care Center. Gordon grew up on a farm near Woonsocket. His favorite memories are from his time on the farm...baling straw, doing chores, and especially feeding the ducks.

For a favorite meal, Gordon likes turkey, mashed potatoes, and pumpkin pie. His favorite color is red, and he loves collecting miniature farm machinery. Stop in and visit Gordon for his birthday this month and see his farm machinery. Congratulations, Gordon!



December Celebrations

- 6th...Tonya Peterson
- 9th...Robert & Carole Nogle, 35 years
- 7th...Gordon Duncan, 82
- 9th...Ruth Grabin, 91
- 9th Linda Geidel
- 10th...Glen Digerness, 79
- 16th Kathleen Sibson
- 18th Holly Feistner
- 19th...Nicole Hensler
- 30th...Chris Ogle

Alzheimers Meeting December 4th, 2:30p.m.



Craft Fair December 1st, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.

The Giving Tree

A special thank you to those who have generously donated memorials to Prairie View Care Center. Your gifts allow us to continue to improve the center and the quality of care given to our residents. Thanks to all who purchased tickets for the "Take a Chance" Raffle. We met our goal and now have new chart backs for all of our residents. Congratulations to Velma Schabot, our grand prize winner of the raffle.

Gift Ideas for PVCC & Residents

Videos for residents (Daniel O'Donnell music), Flower box, Dressers, High-Low bed

Lasting Impressions

For Special Gifts and Flowers

Call Janet at
605-796-4525
(no delivery charge)

Need a gift for your loved one?

Call

Shirley's Massage

605-796-4365

Holiday Notes and Reminders

- ✓ Due to allergies, please do not bring poinsettias to PVCC.
- ✓ If you purchase new clothing items for loved ones for the holidays, please be aware of washing/care instructions and label them with his/her name.

Recognizing our Finest



Pat Budde was selected November Employee of the month by her peers. Pat has been previously employed at PVCC and has returned to us this past year. The thing that Pat enjoys most about her job is knowing that what she does makes a difference in the residents' day.

Pat likes to bake/cook at work and on her time off. The residents appreciate her love of baking. She also spends time gardening and window shopping. Pat has 3 sons; one living in Sioux Falls and 2 in the Woonsocket area.

Prairie View Care Center is proud to have Pat as a member of our team!

Prairie View Care Center is privileged to be a part of Christmas at the Capitol this year. A tree was decorated by Helen Petersen, Dorothy Foos, and Todd Petersen. If you're able to make it to Pierre, be sure to stop and see our tree shimmering in angels and poinsettias.



Administrator: Amanda Earl
Director of Nursing: Dorothy Deinert, RN
Bookkeeper/Secretary: Pauline Kaus
Activities Coordinator: Dorothy Foos
Social Services: Vicki Linke
Dietary Supervisor: Todd Petersen
Maintenance Supervisor: Randy Schabot
Housekeeping/Laundry Supervisor: Joyce Zell

Welcome

Carol Christiansen
Donald Fredrichs

**Good Bye & Best Wishes
At Nursing School**
Olena Larson



Our sympathies go out to the families of Delores Fredrichs and Loretta Authier. The loss of a loved one is never easy.

You're in our thoughts and prayers.