




A View from the Prairie

Prairie View Care Center News
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Resident Artist

Helen Olinger received an honorable mention for her painting, "Grandma's Flowers" at the South Dakota Health Care Association Dakota Master Works Creative Arts Show and Competition for artists over 60.



Milo Godfrey



Do you like to watch Woonsocket baseball? If so, you have something in common with Milo Godfrey, the PVCC resident of the month. Prior to retirement, Milo had been the post master for 30+ years. He took a lot of pride in his work. Some of his favorite memories include learning the tricks of the trade from family and friends, and marrying his wife, Beverly. Together they have 3 grown sons. Milo's words of wisdom include, "Be kind to everyone and have no enemies. Please stop in and say hello to Milo. We're glad to have Milo with us at PVCC.

Thanks for Trick-or-Treating with Us!

We had a wonderful time on Halloween with all of our trick-or-treaters. Your costumes looked great. We hope that you enjoyed the treats.



Pictured right: Teresa Hastreiter with staff member, Nicole and her little tiger.

December Celebrations

- 6th...Tonya Peterson
- 9th...Robert & Carole Nogle, 34 years
- 7th...Gordon Duncan, 81
- 9th...Ruth Grabin, 90
- 9th Linda Geidel
- 10th...Glen Digerness, 78
- 16th, Kathleen Sibson
- 19th...Nicole Hensler
- 22nd...Ray Linke, 89
- 28th...Herbert & Mary Tollefson, 64 years
- 30th...Chris Ogle

Alzheimers Meeting

December 5th, 2:30p.m. and 7:00 p.m.



Family Christmas Coffee

December 3rd, 3:00 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. Below are some pictures of our dining room redecorating in progress.



Wish List

Videos for residents
Push cart for the kitchen
Flower box
Dressers
Wire laundry basket/cart
High-Low bed



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 instruction and label them with his/her name.

Recognizing our Finest



Joann Schladweiler was selected November Employee of the month by her peers. Joann is a native of Farmer, SD. She has 3 brothers and 5 sisters. After graduating from high school, Joann attended the LPN program at Mitchell VoTech. She was employed at St. Joseph Hospital and Wilge Memorial Nursing Home. For the past 18 years, she has worked as a night charge nurse at PVCC. In her spare time, Joann enjoys quilting, cross-stitch, and shopping. The Center is proud to have Joann as a member of the nursing team!

Season's Greetings

Administrator: Chad Stroschein/Amanda Earl
Director of Nursing: Dorothy Deinert, RN
Bookkeeper/Secretary: Sherri Hanson
Activities Coordinator: Dorothy Foos
Social Services: Vicki Linke
Dietary Supervisor: Heidi Dorsey
Maintenance Supervisor: Randy Schabot
Housekeeping/Laundry Supervisor: Joyce Zell

Our Mission

Prairie View Care Center is a family of compassionate, professional caregivers, who enhance the quality of life for all who enter our doors.

Our Vision

To meet the needs of those entrusted to our care

Our Values

Honesty: Dealing with difficult situations requires open communication
Dedication: Our ongoing, determined effort to provide quality care and constant effort to improve
Compassion: A heart-felt desire to give the best possible care
Prudence: Our obligation to offer excellent care through the best use of our resources