



A View from the Prairie

Prairie View Care Center News
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Christmas Happenings at PVCC

Our Family Christmas

Cliff Isaak entertained us compliments of the Grabin Family.



Staff-Resident Christmas Gift Exchange & Santa Visit

Each staff member at PVCC drew a residents name and purchased gifts for them at the staff Christmas Party.



Staff Appreciation Dinner



January Celebrations

3rd—Elaine Rodhe, 81

6th—Joyce Klaudt

19th—Bob Rogers

19th—Dianna Senska

24th—Shoan Stunes

26th—Clarence Larson, 86

Alzheimer's Meeting

January 8th, 2:30 p.m.

Legislative Update

Russell Olson, Dave Gassman, and Dan Sutton visited PVCC and answered questions on Dec. 20th. They were very informative, but did say that they have several issues before them, and it is our responsibility to make them aware of issues that need to be addressed for our residents and staff. Please feel free to contact them. Just give us a call at PVCC for their contact information.



The Giving Tree

A huge thank you from the staff at Prairie View Care Center for all of the goodies and treats provided during this holiday time. We really appreciate having you share in all of our holiday activities. It means a lot to all of us, staff and residents alike.

Wish List... Music Videos/DVD's for residents, flower box, dressers, and a High-Low bed

Ruth Grabin

December's resident in the spotlight is Ruth Grabin. Ruth's biggest accomplishment was raising 6 children together with her husband. She also shared their love of the land which they farmed and joined forces in the carpentry and painting business. Ruth sees herself as an outdoor person and mentions blue as her favorite color because it reminds her of the sky and wide-open space. She enjoyed those wide-open spaces from Texas to Alaska with her husband in their motor home.



Recognizing our Finest



Mary Schabot is our Employee of the Month. She has been employed at PVCC for 18 years. Her husband, Randy also works at the center making it a family affair. Mary has 3 children and 8 grandchildren that help to occupy her 'spare time' along with fishing, and decorating in western (herself and her house).

Mary lists the highlight of her PVCC experience as the 'the residents'. Those of us working with Mary appreciate her team effort in providing care for our residents. Congratulations, Mary!



Dorothy Foos is our Employee of the Year. She has been employed at PVCC many years. As she accepted this honor, Dorothy expressed appreciation to her co-workers for making PVCC a wonderful place to be!



Welcome

Doris Swisher
Claire Callan



Good Bye

Carol Christensen



Administrator: Amanda Earl
Office Manager: Pauline Kaus
Director of Nursing: Dorothy Deinert, RN
Activities Coordinator: Dorothy Foos
Social Services: Vicki Linke
Dietary Supervisor: Todd Peterson
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