



# A View from the Prairie

Prairie View Care Center News  
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## Creating a Fine Dining Experience!

We recently welcomed Todd Peterson as head of the Dietary Department. He comes to us with more than 30 years of cooking experience and has been accused by the residents of tasting the food and not needing recipes because his meals taste so wonderful!

Todd was born and raised in this area. He loves being outdoors and is an avid gardener. Todd also enjoys antiquing and refinishing furniture in his spare time.

Welcome, Todd.

Live  Love,  Laugh

### June Tilson

Prairie View Care Center is honored to have June Tilson as our Resident-In-The-Spotlight. June has been a member of our family since June 2004. She came to us from Montana. June's family consists of five girls and one boy. Her children are spread across the United States, two of them live in California, three in South Dakota, and one in Colorado. Her favorite memory from the past is when she worked at rodeos. Her duty was to ride out on her horse and rescue the riders off of bucking horses. She had a ball! Some of June's other favorites include the color blue and fried chicken with french fries. June keeps busy with her cross-word puzzles, playing cards, dominoes, and Yahtzee. Yahtzee is her favorite because she beats Dorothy Foos every time! ☺

Congratulations, June!



### July Celebrations

- 6<sup>th</sup> ...Jerald & Ruth Thompson, 28 years
- 8<sup>th</sup> ...Ila Hylland, 96
- 21<sup>st</sup> ...Eric Warkenthein
- 25<sup>th</sup> ...Elaine Jungemann
- 27<sup>th</sup> ...Gretchen Burnison

### Alzheimer's Meeting

Tuesday, July 10, 2:30 p.m.

### Lasting Impressions

For Special Gifts and Flowers  
Call Janet at  
605-796-4525  
(no delivery charge)

Need a gift for your loved one?  
**Shirley's Massage**  
605-796-4365

# The Giving Tree

The Giving Tree continued to grow with a donation in memory of Elsie Larson for a bedside stand. We were also able to purchase 4 additional bedside stands with proceeds from our fundraising efforts. The PVCC Staff has been working with Annie Podhradsky to cater local events. Please keep us in mind for your catering/serving needs. Thank you so much for your continued support to make Prairie View Care Center the best that it can be!

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

## Recognizing our Finest

**Kathleen Sibson** is our Employee of the Month. She has been with us for 3 years. When asked about working at PVCC, Kathleen says..."Ever since the first time I walked through the front door, I knew that I belonged here. I feel as if the residents and staff are one big family. There is a lot of love within these walls, and I am proud to be a part of it."

Kathleen has 2 children and is a brand new grandma. Destiny was born June 19<sup>th</sup>. Her hobbies include collecting carnival glass and visiting with friends.



This month we want to recognize our entire team for the outstanding care they strive to offer our residents. Everyone went above and beyond to make our recent visit from state surveyors a success! Way to go, PVCC Staff!!



*Watch for us in the 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade...*



*Our sympathies go out to the families of Melvin Wolf and Owen McDowall. The loss of a loved one is never easy. You're in our thoughts and prayers.*

We are honored to Welcome our New Residents  
Ila Hylland  
James "Mitch" Padmore  
We say good-bye to Merwyn Moore

### **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

Administrator: Amanda Earl  
Director of Nursing: Dorothy Deinert, RN  
Bookkeeper/Secretary: Sherri Hanson  
Activities Coordinator: Dorothy Foss  
Social Services: Vicki Linke  
Dietary Supervisor: Todd Peterson  
Maintenance Supervisor: Randy Schabot  
Housekeeping/Laundry Supervisor: Joyce Zell

