

Keystone Nursing Care Center

Monthly Newsletter

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From the desk of the Administrator

Resident's Rights:

Money and Property:

Each resident has the right to manage personal finances, or if he or she so chooses, to designate another party to manage them for him or her. We ask that all residents bring limited funds into the care center as we have many other residents, visitors, and staff. Funds are not usually needed in the care center as the care center pays for most outings and the beauticians will take payment via a billing method. Funds can also be deposited into a resident trust account, which we strongly encourage.

We also have the option to have payments made through an ACH system, rather than having to mail/write out checks. Please contact Teresa Selken if you are interested in this option.

If you have any questions regarding this resident's right, please contact Tracy Hanson, Administrator at the Care Center. 319-442-3234.

The Keystone elementary students will be coming up for a parade of costumes Wednesday October 31st at 1:00pm. If you would like to bring in candy for your loved ones to share, please do so. You can leave it with the nurses station marked with their names. The care center will also provide candy to be handed out by the residents. We also invite any resident families to join us for this fun time as well. Bags will be provided for the kids!



October Coat Drive:

We will be having a coat drive throughout the month of October for children in the community in need. Coats, hats, gloves, snow boots, etc.

Please drop off new or gently used items in the box provided at the care center. If you have any questions call Cindy, Social Worker at the care center.



Chili / Salsa Cook off!!!

We are having our annual Chili / Salsa Cookoff on Saturday October 13th at 11am. Please come join us at Keystone Turner Hall to taste test and vote. Free will donation with all funds going to the Alzheimer's Association. Prizes are offered for 1st & 2nd place in both categories. If you would like to put your culinary skills to the test and would like to be entered in for the judging, please call Cindy or Tracy at the Keystone Care Center to sign up. 319-442-3234. Sandwiches & chips provided. Desserts will be supplied by our KeyLadies. Hope to see you there!!!



Nurse Aid Training Class

We are now offering on-site certified nurses aid training classes with clinicals. Below is our inaugural class. If you are interested in participating please contact Lindsay Niebes DON to sign up. This is sponsored by the Care Center so there is no cost to those that complete the course.



Tori Kruse, Brook Formanek, Brittan Oeltjen, Tequia Askew

Reminder:

We can now do ACH for payment of your monthly bill! Contact Teresa Selken for information or see her in the business office. There are no extra fees for this service and minimal paperwork!



Reminder of Cold Weather:

If you are bringing in warmer clothes for your loved ones, please be sure to mark them with their names or have our Laundry staff assist you with this. Also let the nurses station know so that they may update the inventory list. This will help us to be sure everyone gets the correct clothing items. Thank you!



NEW MEDICARE CARDS:

Please note that everyone should have received a new Medicare card with a new number on it. These are the Red, White & Blue cards. Please be sure to bring in a copy for the office. We will need these new numbers to make sure we get services covered as needed. Any questions contact Cindy Behrens BSW.



PROGRESS!! Things are starting to take shape with our new addition!



Activity Announcements

Wine & Paint Day! Our residents enjoyed painting sunflowers last month & did a wonderful job!!!



Tailgate Season is here!! We enjoyed a afternoon of games and treats!!





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UPCOMING EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

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- Pastry Day is every Wednesday morning from 7am-9am. All are welcome to join us for fresh pastry, coffee and conversation!
- Check back next month for upcoming events!

If you know anyone that would like to receive our newsletter please call 319-442-3234 with name and address. You can also find it on line at www.keystonecarecenter.com

Keystone Nursing Care Center does not discriminate against any person on the basis of race, color, national origin, disability, or age in admission, treatment, or participation in its programs, services and activities, or in employment. For further information about this policy contact: Tracy Hanson, Administrator, Section 504 Coordinator, PH. 319-442-3234, TTY/State Relay PH. 800-735-2943.