

The Holton News

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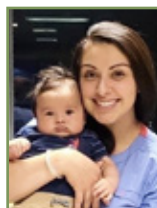
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Dear Holton Manor residents and families

I am incredibly happy to report that little by little we are returning to some normalcy at Holton Manor. The CDC (Centers for Disease Control) has given permission for our residents to eat together again at the same table if they are vaccinated. We were also able to allow visitation without appointments, which has been wonderful for both families and residents. Please do keep in mind that when you come for a visit, you still must stop at the front desk to screen for symptoms of COVID. This is a rule that has not changed regardless of vaccination status. Our activity director has also been working diligently on finding COVID safe outings for

residents. That has been awesome!

Moving on from COVID, I would like to update all of you on some recent staffing changes that we have here at Holton Manor. Natalie Chavez, Registered Nurse that worked on our rehab unit, has recently started a new Staff Development role. We are excited to see the fun ideas she will bring to this role and how she will make education fun for our staff! This provided us an opportunity to hire Megan Brunner as our new Rehab Registered Nurse. She is a perfect fit for our rehab unit! Our short-term residents on rehab will be receiving care from a very caring and energetic nurse. Lastly, we are welcoming an Administrator in Training (AIT) to Holton Manor. Her name is



Kaiya Shrader. She will be learning all the ins and outs of a skilled nursing facility and the administrator role. She is a Healthcare

Administration student at UW-Eau Claire. We hope to give her everything she needs to go out and take on the world of long-term care as an administrator!

As always, please do not hesitate to call or email me with any questions or concerns you may have. I also encourage you to follow us on Facebook. It is a wonderful way to keep up on the happenings at Holton.

Regards,

Jess Kuhart, BSN, RN, LNHA



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WISH RISING STAR SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS



Bob Siebel, President of Carriage Healthcare, recently presented WISH Rising Star Scholarship awards to Brittany Smith and Jessica Hawthorne, both LPNs at Holton Manor.

The scholarship is open to WISH employees and Wisconsin and Illinois high school students. Priority is given to those interested in pursuing an education in health care, enhancing health care skills or furthering a career in health care. Spring 2021 Scholarships awards totaled \$34,000. Visit bit.ly/wish-scholarship to learn more.

Pictured left to right: Jessica Kuhart, Administrator, Jessica Hawthorne, Brittany Smith and Bob Siebel.



Activity Highlights

1. June kicked off our weekly Sip & Paint series, Wednesdays at 1:00pm
2. Residents Tie-Dyed Masks
3. Tuesday Drumming at 10:00am
4. 6/29- Waffle Bar to celebrate National Waffle Day!



Happy Birthday

Best wishes to our staff and residents celebrating birthdays this month.

Residents

7/3	Robert L. & Esther L.
7/10	Leroy F.
7/16	Ronald N.
7/20	James D.
7/28	Paul B.

Staff Anniversaries

Makenna Balch	7/22/2020
Emily Davidson	7/1/2015
Brianna Ellingsberg	7/17/2017
Alexis McRae	7/22/2020
Maggie Sabel	7/17/2017
Vickie Schenning	7/3/2013
Josh Serba	7/22/2015
Hailey Vogl	7/22/2020

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Success Story

Hello, my name is **Patrick**. I am 87 years old and have lived in Elkhorn my whole life. I recently was diagnosed with Covid and was in need of a rehab center. Much to my surprise, I have never known how great of a facility we have! For my short-term rehabilitation, I was admitted to Holton Manor. I was very fortunate to receive wonderful care when I couldn't be at home taking care of myself.

The Covid-19 virus made me incredibly weak, and I required oxygen. I attempted to return home; however, even with my home being handicap accessible, I continued to struggle with self-cares and mobility and eventually fell. I returned to the hospital because I knew I couldn't be at home and was transferred to Holton Manor. I never thought that I would ever need a place like Holton.

At first, I wasn't able to stand without 2 people to assist. I couldn't walk or take care of myself. After a week with Holton Manor's staff and therapy team, I was up on my feet again, and ready to return home. Before I got the virus, I was working part-time and able to get around without a cane or walker. When I left Holton Manor, they recommended that I use a walker for a period of time until I got strong enough to walk safely without it. This didn't take long because I decided to return to Holton Manor for outpatient therapy. The staff was so great, the care was outstanding and the motivation gave me the strength I needed. The food was excellent, and everyone was so helpful and caring. All of the staff at Holton put their heart into their work and will go above and beyond to reach goals.

During therapy, I was able to go outside and get some fresh air which made me feel free and more like myself. I never felt "stuck" at Holton. I was motivated to return home and get back to work. The therapy team challenged me in ways I never thought possible. After returning home, I began outpatient therapy to continue gaining my strength. I am happy to say I am back to work, walking without a walker or cane, and living life like normal again thanks to the help of everyone at Holton Manor and CORE Rehab.



Job Postings

- Full Time **Occupational Therapist**
- Dietary - PT 2nd shift Cook
- Dietary Aides 3pm-7pm and 5:30am-2pm weekday and weekend hours
- **Nursing** - Full Time and Part Time 1st and 2nd shift
- PRN all shifts
- Casual Weekends

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