

Petersburg Medical Center

Activities Report September 2024

Workforce Wellness

The activities coordinator has been back to work full-time since June after taking FMLA and this has improved staffing issues. Having a team member gone for an extended period brought to light challenges with staffing coverage, however, Long-Term Care activities were not affected.

Community Engagement

Long-Term Care activities department is heavily involved in the community. We are grateful for all that the community of Petersburg does to help enhance residents 'quality of life.

KFSK High Country: Over the Summer the Long-Term Care residents have been enjoying visits up to KFSK to help host the LTC Radio Show. A handful of different residents have helped with hosting over the summer and every resident contributed to the playlists shared.

Clausen Memorial Museum: In July Long-Term Care activities collaborated with Clausen Memorial Museum to host an art show for one of our Long-Term Care residents. The staff at the Museum were wonderful to work with and we are hoping to do another show to present all the art that happens in LTC in the spring.

Petersburg Pilot: The Petersburg Pilot has been a great help in advertising LTC events for the community and has been excited to share all the things happening in our LTC community.

Kinderskog: Moving into the fall, Long-Term Care will be collaborating with the Kinderskog "Strings N' Things" Pod for monthly crafting time.

Petersburg School District: LTC Activities department has reached out to the PCSD National Honor Society coordinator to offer opportunities for students to get involved in LTC.

Patient Centered Care

Long-Term Care activities continue to work with our residents and their families to provide activities that best serve each individual resident and their life-long interests. Highlights listed below.

Art Show: Long-Term Care Activities worked with the Clausen Memorial Museum to put on an art show displaying several pieces of art created by one of our residents.

Recognition: Long-Term Care Activities worked with the Petersburg Friends of the Library along with resident family members to put together a recognition ceremony for one of our LTC residents who has dedicated years of service to the community of Petersburg.

Swimming: Over the summer, LTC activities and the rehab department worked together to get one of our residents to the pool. Parks and Recreation dedicated two hours weekly to LTC to ensure we had pool usage. Unfortunately, with the start of school and activities resuming, Parks and Rec has limited pool time available. As of right now Long-Term Care is not able to get this resident to the pool due to limited availability. Parks and Recreation has helped us arrange a time to use the fitness court to get this resident out to exercise and have a change in scenery.

Facility

No concerns regarding equipment.

Financial Wellness

No concerns regarding financial wellness.

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