

SAUK COUNTY HEALTH CARE CENTER'S COMMUNICATOR

**JUNE
2012**

Monthly Calendar



June 22	PAYDAY
June 25	Medicare
July 2	Medicare
July 3	Resident 4th of July Parade
July 4	Holiday
July 6	PAYDAY
July 9	Medicare
July 11	All Staff
	Casual 4 A Cause
July 12	Board of Trustees
July 16	Medicare

July 17	Disney Day
July 18	Nurses Meeting
	National Collections Day
July 12	Quality Assurance
July 20	PAYDAY
July 23	Medicare
July 30	Medicare



Upcoming Events

A big Thank You goes out to everyone who helped with the Butterfest Parade and the Pie Social. I really appreciate everyone's time they took out of their day to be a part of both events. I also know it was time spent away from your families. The good news is we won first place in the Butterfest Parade and all the pie sold. Yeah!



Disney Day - July 17. Please dress in Disney apparel and jeans to celebrate Disneyland opening on this date in 1955. We are looking to set up a display of Disney related items (dolls, mugs, glasses, costumes, etc.), so if you have any items, please bring them by July 17.

July 18 is National Collections Day. The Activity Department will be setting up a display in the afternoon of items people collect. If anyone has a collection you could share with us, please bring it in by July 18. It can be anything; toys, Precious Moments, coins, stamps, dolls, books, spoons, shot glasses, signs, cars, tractors, etc. The display will be set up in the Community Room in the afternoon. We will keep all collections separate.



The Activity Department will be having a **Fourth of July Parade on Tuesday, July 3** at 11:00 a.m. If anyone would be available to help wheel residents around the facility come to the Community Room by 11:00. You can also wear Red, White and Blue, plus jeans on July 3 and July 4. We will be going from neighborhood to neighborhood and it will take about 15-20 minutes to go through the facility.

LaVerne's In-Service Corner

The next Mandatory **All Staff Meeting** has been scheduled for Wednesday, July 11 at 7:00 a.m., 1:30 and 2:30 p.m.

It's that time of year again for TB testing for all staff. It has been scheduled for Tuesday, June 26 and Wednesday, June 27 from 6:30—8:30 a.m. and again from 1:00—3:00p.m. both days. If you can't make these times see Vickie Stone.

In-services— The June 13 All Staff Meeting (Are You Smarter Than a Surveyor?) is available on DVD. New in-services are: *Heat Stress in the Elderly* and *What You Need to Know About TB*.

Don't forget that you get in-service credit for All Staff Meetings, Nurses' meetings, and CNA meetings. Thank you. LaVerne



SUNSHINE CLUB NEWS

The Sunshine Club is donating the prize for the Fish Award, so please continue to nominate people for this award by putting their name on the bulletin board in the service hall. As always, the **Sunshine Club** will continue to send birthday cards to all staff, gifts for staff who experience illness, deaths, births etc. and for periodically providing treats for staff on special occasions. We also provide a copy of the *Baraboo News Republic* for staff use in the break room. Our next **Casual 4 A Cause** will be on **July 11, 2012**. You may purchase a Casual 4 A Cause Sticker at the front desk if you wish to wear jeans.

Juli's Jottings

COMMITMENT THAT GOES ABOVE...CARE THAT GOES BEYOND!

To our wonderful CNA's (Have a Wonderful CNA week!)

Thank you does not seem nearly enough in showing our gratitude and appreciation for all you do. We only hope you know how much you are respected, valued and appreciated. Your smile, your touch and your kindness make such a difference in our residents' lives.

THANK YOU FOR ALL YOU DO. Love, The Nursing Staff!

We once again are in our survey window. Some gentle reminders:

- No bare hand contact with food
- Hairnets must be worn at all times when food is out in the kitchenettes
- Wash hands frequently - Foam In/Foam Out
- No personal drinks on the neighborhood—this is an infection control issue. You can take a drink and dispose of the cup, but can not leave drinks on the neighborhood
- Lifts, BP cuffs, Stethoscopes must be cleaned with approved wipes after each use
- No personal conversations at meal time— must include resident at meals

EMPLOYEE ANNIVERSARIES

JUNE

JULY

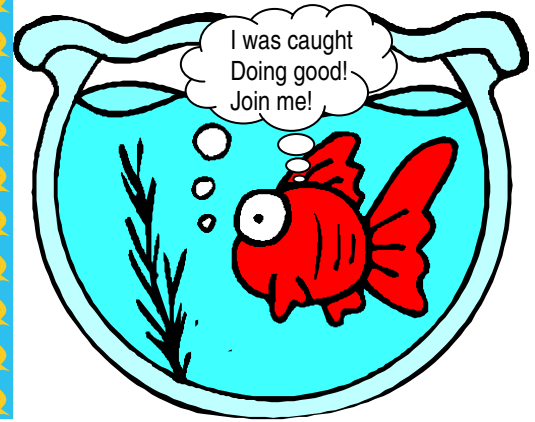
Corey Brunner	2 years	Christa Garstka	1 year
Jodie Mittlesteadt	2 years	Corinn Fauver	3 years
Shannon Hovland	2 years	Donna Hahn	4 years
Abbey Schramer	2 years	Penny Bautch	6 years
Sandra Mora	3 years	Brenda Hansen	7 years
Lisa Burris	8 years	Kelli Driese	9 years
Vonda Hainstock	8 years	Sonja Johansen	9 years
Bridget Reilly	14 years	Diane Hall	12 years
Anna Post	16 years	Diane Gade	13 years
Theresa Dietz	17 years	Deb Check	16 years
Julie Little	21 years	Vickie Stone	21 years
Sharon Vanderhoof	21 years	John Peterson	22 years
Betty Bendorf	25 years	Viv Ida	23 years
Patty Dix	38 years	Mary Jo Huber	30 years

ATTENTION ALL STAFF!

The "Fish Philosophy" Bulletin Board is to be used to recognize coworkers for being "caught doing good". Write their name, date and what they are being recognized for on a fish and hang it on one of the hooks. You must sign the fish. Each month one lucky person will receive a gift.

The winner of this months "Caught Doing Good" award is Julie Clements from the Dietary Department who helped with the Sweet-heart Luncheon. Great Job and Congratulations!!

The prize for the lucky "Fish" winner is donated by the Sunshine Club.

**Welcome Our New Employees**

Hi, my name is Rebecca Driver. I will be working PM's as a CNA. I have a daughter, I like outside activities, and hunting is my favorite hobby.



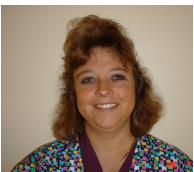
Hi, my name is Jenyl Nerenz. I was hired by SCHCC as a CNA. I am currently going to school to be an RN. I live in Baraboo with my husband and three cats.



Hi, I am Brigette Hainstock. I will be working as a CNA on PM shift. I have a son who just turned 4 named James. I also love volleyball, camping and anything outdoors.



My name is Amelia Tsanakas. I'm a CNA. I am married and have one little boy. I love to shop and also like to be outside gardening.



My name is Holly Helms. I have lived in Reedsburg for 9 years. I have 2 children, Adam, 19 and Austin, 16. I worked for Ho-Chunk Casino for over 5 years. I am looking forward to working for Sauk County and being back in the area.

Welcome

Stay Safe This 4th of July

