SAUK COUNTY HEALTH CARE CENTER'S MUNICAT January 2015 As we start 2015 we are excit-

ed to announce our newest service that is now housed out of the Health Care Center. Welcome to the Sauk County Home Care Staff. As we are expanding our continuum of care, the Home Care Staff has joined us and are now located in the old inservice room. If you see any of the staff, please welcome them to the HCC family. Kim

Jan 16 PAYDAY Jan 19 Medicare Jan 20 Department Head Jan 21 Nurse's Meeting Jan 26 Medicare Jan 30 PAYDAY Feb 02 Medicare Feb 04 Home Care Staff Meeting Feb 09 Medicare Feb 10 Dept Head

- Feb 11 All Staff Casual 4 A Cause
- Feb 12 Board of Trustees
- Feb 13 Payday
- Feb 16 Medicare
 - President's Day
- Feb 17 Board of Supervisors
- Feb 18 Nurse's Meeting
- Feb 19 CNA Meeting
- Feb 23 Medicare
- Feb 24 Dept Head

From The DON Thank you to all staff for helping keep the influenza bug out of our building. Your dedication with cleaning and handwashing is top notch and it is because of all of you that flu has not entered our building. Be proud because I am of each and everyone of you. Please continue to keep in mind hand washing, staying home if you are sick, asking visitors to refrain from visiting if they are sick as we are not out of peak flu season yet.

Reminder to staff that the Dietary Department has implemented new changes to the menu cycles per request of the residents. Please help support them and our residents through this change. Watch the menus closely and be a part of helping our residents adjust to this change.

The Home Health Care Staff have relocated to our building. You have probably noticed that our old Inservice Room is now their office. The staff consist of: Julie Mortensen, Home Health Director, Nancy Rich, Accounting Assistant, RN's: Betsy Maston, Margaret Neary and Dawn Thompson, Home Health Aides: Linda Jenkins and Sharon Wick. Please welcome them all!

Please watch the bulletin boards and postings in the facility for where meetings and inservices will be held.

January Anniversaries

🚰 Amber Horkan	2 years	Judy Schultz	14 years	☆ ☆
🏅 Betsy Maston	6 years	Nikki Schyvinck	1 year	ਮ ਨੂ
🛱 Katie Mueller	2 years	Stella Walker	8 years	\$
😤 Sue Oscar	20 years	Brenda Wollin	6 years	☆
😤 Allen Schoonover	6 years	Michelle Ziegler	3 years	
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This issue of the Communicator is shorter than usual. I am trying to have the Communicator distributed on the payday closest to the first of each month. So, look for the next issue on January 30th. If you have any ideas for the Communicator, let me know. Would a monthly calendar be useful? What type of information do you want included? I am open to new ideas. Thanks! Dennis

SUNSHINE CLUB NEWS

Our next **Casual 4 A Cause** will be on **February 11.** You may purchase a Casual 4 A Cause sticker at the front desk if you wish to wear jeans.

As always, the **Sunshine Club** will continue to send birthday cards to all staff, gifts for staff who experience illness, deaths, births etc. and will periodically provide treats for staff on special occasions. We also provide a copy of the *Reedsburg Independent* for staff use in the break room. Thank you, staff, for continually supporting the Sunshine Club by participating in our Casual 4 A Cause and purchasing a sticker at the front desk.

From John and the AT Department: Christmas was once again made very special for our residents thanks to the generosity, donations & assistance from all of you. Thanks also for supporting the Activity Department over the year. It is truly very much appreciated.

Welcome our New Employees



My name is Brian. I live in Baraboo. I have one daughter who is my world. I am a song writer and musician. I am friendly and welcome everyone to say hello.



My name is Jessica, I was hired for dining assistant. I have lived in Reedsburg my whole life, but recently moved to Elroy. I am married to my high school crush. We have four crazy kids at home.



My name is Christina Drews, I will be working as a dining assistant. I was born and raised in Reedsburg and still live here. I have one son who is 21. I have a dog and four cats. I love animals. Don't forget to participate in the United Fund Radio-Auction. It runs from Monday, January 26th through Friday, January 30th. Our very own Kim Gochanour and Board of Trustees member Joe Fish will be auctioneering on Friday evening. Tune in, call in some bids, and keep them busy. It is a great way to support our community..

The Massage Therapist will be here at the Health Care Center on Thursday, January 29, 2015 8:30 am to 3:30 pm. Please call Mary Jane Camu at extension 3270 to schedule your appointment. The appointments fill up

ATTENTION ALL STAFF!

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

The winner for **December** is Leon Lombard. He was nominated by a volunteer.