



# LEE LIFELINE

A PUBLICATION FOR PATIENTS, RESIDENTS, AND FAMILIES

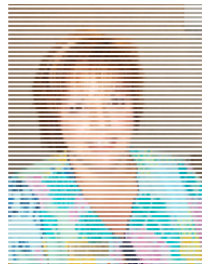


Let us always  
meet each  
other with a  
smile, for a  
smile is the  
beginning of  
love

-Mother Teresa



## Administrators Desk



I would like to take this opportunity to thank the entire staff of Lee Health and Rehabilitation for your support and encouragement during our search for a new Administrator.

We are currently working on our satisfaction surveys for residents, families and staff.

We are excited to have 9 new Service Excellence Advisors(SEA) for this year and our Service Excellence Initiative is going strong. The graduation ceremony for the new SEA's was held on June 24<sup>th</sup> in Roanoke. Sue Reynolds, Human Resource Generalist and I were able to attend the ceremony. We are very proud of our SEA's and are excited to see what they can accomplish.

Our medical director, Dr. A. Almatari will be relocating in August. His last day of service for us at the center will be August 7. He has served our center with great care and compassion, and will be missed. We wish him much success and happiness in the future.

To our families, thank you for allowing us to provide peace of mind to you, while caring for your loved one. Please feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns.

Enjoy the rest of the summer!

Tammie Yeary, RN  
Interim Administrator



The mission group of Mangham Baptist Church from Mangham, Louisiana came to visit residents on Friday July 10. They spent the day painting ladies nails, doing crafts projects and active games. Several of the team were able to spend 1:1 quality time with some of our residents who do not attend group programs. They returned to visit again on Monday July 13, visited with residents and passed out fresh cut flowers. We thank the mission team for their time and caring spirit spent with our residents.



Immanuel Baptist Church from Carlisle, Arkansas, had a mission team helping with projects through the Powell River Association. They took time from their schedule to come and visit with our residents on Thursday, July 16. It was such a beautiful day, they were able to take numerous residents outside for some sunshine and a ride around our grounds. They held a short song service and brought a message of hope and healing for all. The residents were thankful for their special outing and program.



Troutville Baptist Church from Troutville, Virginia provided Vacation Bible School for our residents July 20 -23. They have included us in their mission team agenda for the past 5 years. Bible stories, music, games crafts, and refreshments are part of the fun they create for residents each summer. The group looks forward to their visit, remembering residents from year to year. Our residents are truly blessed to have so many groups eager to come and spend time to make the day brighter!



## This Month's Birthdays

### Residents

Evelyn Clark	4	Lois Warehime	14
Vida Baird	7	Jewell Capps	16
Mae Eldridge	7	Joe Skidmore	19
Pauline Cavin	8	Jack Lee	19
Nina Howard	9	Evelyn Snavely	23
Bill Belcher	10	Jay Harless	24
Dorothy Jones	11		
Virginia Cox	12		

### Staff

Joyce Mullins	5	Donna Morris	21
Carmen Wuerdeman	11	Teresa Blevins	22
Lillie May	12	Ariel Webb	30
Sharon Gillenwater	12		
Brandy Halcomb	12		
Doris Hatley	14		
Casey Ledford	14		
Jack Benfield	15		



## Stars of the Month



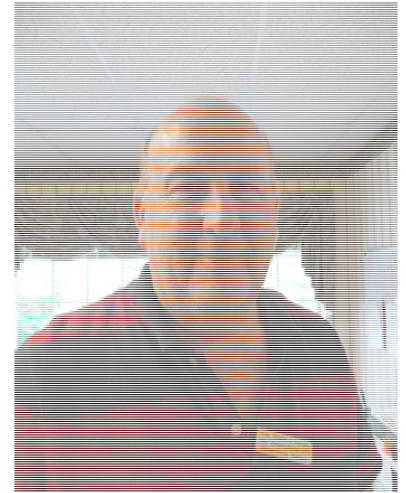
Amy Kendrick, COTA

Amy is a 2006 graduate of Southwest Virginia Community College. She has been with Cornerstone Therapy Services at Lee Health and Rehabilitation since August 2013. She lives in Clintwood and busy's herself with her husband and 2 little boys. Amy was awarded a Shining Star for taking extra efforts in assisting residents and staff.



Courtney Sanders, COTA

Courtney is a 2014 graduate of Southwest Virginia Community College. She has been with Cornerstone Therapy Services at Lee Health and Rehabilitation since February 2015. Courtney lives in Jonesville, and enjoys weightlifting. She was awarded a Shining Star for her extra efforts in assisting residents and staff.



Jay Greenstone, OT

Jay graduated from Towson University as an OT in 1999. He has been with Cornerstone Therapy Services at Lee Health and Rehabilitation for 12 years. Jay is married and spends his evenings on his sheep farm in Jonesville. Jay was awarded a Shining Star for his extra efforts in assisting residents and staff.

## Upcoming Events

### Health Talks

August 11 - Home Health Care and Equipment

Ben Enlow, Acct. Executive with MSA

11:30 -12:30 Conference Room, Light lunch provided

August 25 – Adult Immunizations

Lauren Allen, RN, Public Health Nurse, Lee County Health Dept.

11:30-12:30 Conference Room, Light lunch provided



The Activities Dept. was able to take a few residents to Kingsport on Tuesday July 14, to watch the Kingsport Mets take on the Greeneville Astros. The weather was a bit hot, but a stadium hot dog, drink and sno-cone seemed to keep every ones spirit cool. The Mets won 6-4. Before returning to Pennington Gap, residents and staff were treated to supper at Long John Silvers in Kingsport. The Activities Dept. would like to thank The Fenwick Foundation for providing the funds for the outing.



Congratulations to Laura Sage, for being selected as our Employee of the Month for July. Laura serves as our Schedule Coordinator and Materials Management Director. She has been with us for 2 ½ years. Laura puts in long hours, unloading trucks, stocking supplies and coordinating the schedules for the nursing department. She is quick with a smile and warm greeting for all staff, visitors and volunteers.

### Laundry Workers Week July 13-17



Teresa Blevins has been our primary laundry worker for the past 9 years. Her dedication and attention to details keeps our laundry services running smoothly. We appreciate your time and expertise in keeping our linens and residents clothing in tip-top shape!



## GET IN THE GAME



Make plans to join us throughout the month of August as we celebrate fun and fellowship playing games! We will have racquetball, horseshoes, bowling, and corn hole throughout the month. You won't want to miss GIANT scrabble on the dining room floor and we will have the age old game of Candy Land to be played in our courtyard. Check the calendar in the main hallway for specific dates and times. Staff and families are encouraged to join in with our residents for a healthy dose of laughter and competition.



# Lee Health & Rehab Center

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## Administration

Interim Administrator, Tammie Yeary, RN  
Human Resources Generalist, Sue Reynolds

## Business Office

Business Office Manager, Sherri Gilly

## Facilities

Environmental Services Director, Doris Hatley  
Maintenance Director, Jonathan Mullins

## Nursing

Director of Nursing, Tammie Yeary, RN  
Assistant Director of Nursing, Ashley Jones, RN,BSN  
Nursing Supervisors, Hannah Farmer, RN  
Deborah Witt, RN  
Donna Cluesman, RN  
Angel Baker, RN  
Rita Sutton, RN

Wound Care Nurse, Kristi Hornsby, LPN,WCC

## Admissions

Admission/Marketing Coordinator, Karen Mullins

## Dining Services

Dietary Services Director, Tammy Howard, CDM

## Medical Services

Medical Director, A. Almatari, MD

## Social Services

Social Services Director, Vanessa Hammonds, B.Sc.  
Social Service Assistant, Tori Clark

## Recreation, Activities & Volunteers

Activities Director, Laurie Hawkins, ADC  
Activities Assistant, Chanda Mullins

## Cornerstone Therapy Services, Inc.

Steve Garrett, LPTA  
Tonya Clark, MSR:PT



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