



# LEE LIFELINE

A PUBLICATION FOR PATIENTS, RESIDENTS, AND FAMILIES

Spring adds  
new life  
and  
new beauty  
to all that is  
  
-Unknown



## Administrators Desk



I've been here just over a month, and it has been an amazing start. Everyone has made me feel welcome, and I am so impressed with everything about Lee Health and Rehab. Not a day goes by that I don't hear a compliment from someone. It could be a patient, resident, visitor or community member. Here are a few examples of what I have been told in the last week:

"I just wanted to stop in and tell you what a wonderful place you have here. I've been coming for many years and everyone is so friendly and you give great care"  
-Regular visitor

"I love it here. The staff are all exceptional: every single one of them"  
-Patient

"It takes a special person to do what you all do, and I am grateful that you are here in Lee County"  
-Community professional

I tell you with all sincerity, that the Lee team is one of the very finest that I've worked with. It is such a pleasure to come to work each day, with employees who care and are truly engaged in the life of the center and to residents who are well cared for, happy and loved.

I hope that you can find time to stop in and say hello. I would love to get to know you better, and welcome the chance to get your feedback.

Have a happy spring! - Honor

Lee Health and Rehab.  
and  
Mountain Empire  
Community College  
are excited to announce  
the  
2<sup>nd</sup> annual  
CNA Certification Course  
in Lee County.  
Classes begin May 5 and  
will meet every Monday  
and Thursday, from 5-  
9pm and on Saturday  
from 9am – 5pm,  
through July 16.  
Please contact  
Kim Dorton or Arietta  
Harvey at 276-523-7456  
for registration and  
financial aid information.

Welcome to the World  
Kyler Zane Grizzle  
Feb. 26, 2016  
Son of Tailor Gilliam, Business  
Office Assistant



## This Month's Birthdays

### Residents Birthdays

Mildred Childress	4
Mary Cress	9
Bernice Haynes	13
Georgia Hammonds	15
Frances Long	17
Paul Davis	21
Phyllis Hendricks	21
Peggy Sturgill	30

### Staff Birthdays

Vickie Black	3
Rita Sutton	18
Carrie Anderkin	19
Whitney Stidham	20
Rhonda Middleton	23
Karen Mullins	24
Kellie Eads	26
Wanda Woodard	29



## Stars of the Month



### Introducing our new TEAM LEE members

Kimberly Stapleton – Environmental Services

Lisa Johnson – CNA

Alicia Shirks - CNA

Taylor Taylor – Business Office Assistant

Paco Mosko – Environmental Services

Sheena Lawson – Dietary

Hannah Maness - Dietary

Candace Thompson - CNA

Renee Carter – LPN

Moleetha Petrey – CNA

Donna Pennington - LPN

## Upcoming Events

### Health Talks

April 15 – Healthcare Decision Day

Dr. Scott Litton

Damie Carter, Attorney at Law

Louis Mavredes, LTC Ombudsman

Debbie Collier, Dir. Of Guardianship with MEOC

Angela Peters, Public Guardianship Case Manager with  
MEOC

1:00 at the Lee County Community Center in Pennington Gap

## Activity Adventures

There were so many wild and wonderful programs during the month of March, it's hard to know where to begin:

The Pennington Gap Womens Club is currently sponsoring a coloring contest for our residents. They brought books, colored pencils and plenty of encouragement and enthusiasm to get our residents started.



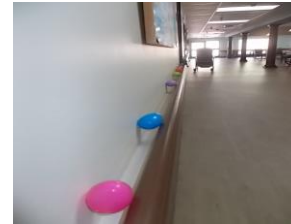
Terry Collins, from Sneedville Tennessee was our special entertainer. He sings a variety of old country, gospel and vintage Rock & Roll tunes, that is sure to get hands clapping and toes tapping. He brings a positive message of love, joy and happiness, that is well received by staff, visitors and residents. The Activity Department would like to acknowledge and thank The Fenwick Foundation for providing the extra funds for this well-loved entertainer.



The residents celebrated St. Patricks Day with an afternoon of Poker and (root)Beer! Although the betting stakes were pretty slim, it was a rip-roaring good time to kick back, eat snacks and enjoy the competition.



The patients and residents were treated to the annual Easter Egg Hunt after lunch on Wed. the 23<sup>rd</sup>. There were SEVERAL HUNDRED plastic eggs hidden in the hallways, lobby, nurses station, activity room and on the Cumberland unit. Some eggs contained a variety of candy, others had prizes such as rings, socks, totes, shampoo, mirrors, jewelry, and books. Every egg was a winner! Our residents enjoyed hunting, but they really got excited with their prizes. Thank You to all who donated candy and prizes.



National Nursing Home Week

May 8 -14

It's a Small World With a Big Heart



All residents, patients, families and staff are encouraged to join in

Friday, May 6

Sunday, May 8

Monday, May 9

Tuesday, May 10

Wednesday, May 11

Thursday, May 12

Friday, May 13

Mothers Day Tea

All Women will receive a special memento

Carnival games at 10am, special treat at 2pm

Employee Recognition at 2pm. Karaoke at 2:30pm

Carnival Lunch at noon. Games, face painting at 2pm

Games for residents and staff 10am & 2pm

Cookout Lunch at noon. Talent Show at 2pm

# Lee Health & Rehab Center

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## Administration

Interim Administrator, Honor Chriscoe, NHA  
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  
  Rita Sutton, RN  
  Keith Cowden, RN  
Nursing Unit Managers     Rikki Smith, RN  
  Kaela Baker, RN  
Wound Care Nurse,         Kellie Eads, LPN

## Admissions

Admission/Marketing Coordinator, Karen Mullins

## Dining Services

Dietary Services Director, Tammy Howard, CDM

## Medical Services

Medical Director, Dr. John S. Litton, Jr.

## Social Services

Social Services Director, Vanessa Hammonds, B.Sc.  
Social Service Assistant, Misty McCowan

## 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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