
Community Connections Newsletter March 2019



Lately, you may have seen some new faces while visiting Community Connections! We are happy to announce that we are fully staffed, and everyone is fitting in beautifully. By being fully staffed, we will be able to complete more activities and outings to ensure everyone is having meaningful days!

Happy March, everyone!
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Persons Served Spotlight



Meet Jaydan: He resides at home with his family and has attended Community Connections part time since 2016. While at Community Connections, Jaydan has worked on communication skills, exercise, fine motor skills, and social skills. Jaydan is a complete joy to be around and always has a beautiful smile on his face! Jaydan has been working hard

on his personalized goals with his staff at Community Connections, and he has been having fun! We are proud of all the hard work you are doing, Jaydan!



Smile...You're at Community Connections!



Agency Highlights—Welcome, Michelle!



I am excited to announce that Michelle Struck has accepted the position of Vice President, Community Services and Residential. Michelle will join our executive leadership team and oversee the Community Living, Nursing, and Housing and CHIO/PAC/RSPO programs. She will be responsible for administering oversight of policies/practices in compliance with overall regulatory bodies.

Michelle is a talented and seasoned leader with over 20 years of experience in direct care services, and program management. She brings a wealth of expertise with particular strengths in areas such as program management and development, compliance and quality assurance, and both strategic planning and budgetary oversight. With an abundance of programming experience, Michelle has a strong understanding of providing mission driven services to improve the quality of life for individuals with disabilities.

She has held multiple positions throughout direct care program areas—specifically employment services, day and vocational services, as well as supported living and residential. Michelle has extensive experience related to quality assurance management for waiver and group home services.

Please join me in welcoming Michelle to the Bona Vista team!

Brianne Boles, President/CEO

Upcoming Events

Month of March- Disability Awareness Month!

March 12th- Disability Awareness Basketball Game: The Bona Vista All-Stars vs. Local Celebrities. 5:30 pm at Memorial Gym in Kokomo. **ADMISSION IS FREE!**

GiveBack Days Scheduled to raise funds for this month:

March 1st- Hot Box Pizza

March 4th- Hacienda

March 11th- Chipotle

March 18th- Texas Roadhouse

March 26th- Wings, Etc.

Coupons will be available at a later date. Help us raise money for Disability Awareness Month!