
Community Connections Newsletter October 2018



It's officially Fall, which means our persons served get to enjoy the leaves on the trees changing colors, pumpkin patches, and Halloween! We had an excellent summer at Community Connections and celebrated with an End of Summer party for our persons served recently! We can't wait to see what Fall brings to us!

Happy October, Everyone!
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Persons Served Spotlight



Meet Jeremy: Jeremy moved to one of Bona Vista's Group Homes in 2008. He attends Community Connections full time and brings laughter to the program!

Jeremy works on fine motor skills, communication skills, perceptual skills and money skills. Jeremy enjoys working on arranging different colors on peg boards, dancing, music, Reba McEntire, and the movie Sister Act. Jeremy's fun nature always brings joy to

Community Connections. Whenever you're having a bad day, Jeremy's laugh will put a smile on your face!



Community Connections Highlights

The month of September was full of fun outings! Community Connections took groups to the Grissom Air Museum, The Veteran's Memorial Park, Garden Gate Greenhouse, Highland Park, and Mississinewa Lake Dam. Our persons served love being outdoors and exploring nature!



Upcoming Events

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October 20th- Athletes for All Abilities: The IUK & Bona Vista Softball Game. 12:00 pm at Kokomo Municipal Stadium. FREE Admission!

October 25th- Kokomo Area Information Resource Fair at UAW 685, 5pm-6:30pm

October 29th- Trunk or Treat at Jill S. Dunn Center, 4:30pm-6:00pm

October 30th- Respite House Halloween Party, 5:00pm-7:00pm. Come learn more about Bona Vista's Respite House and enjoy Halloween festivities! Located at 1226 E Hoffer St., Kokomo.

Family Input

We love having open communication with our persons served families and staff! If you have any ideas of crafts, outings, or anything in particular your family members enjoy, let us know! Feel free to email Lindsey, Assistant Director of Day Services, at any time with ideas at lgordon@bonavista.org.

Community Connections is on Flickr, a social media platform, where we will be posting our pictures weekly. Check us out!

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