



# Countryside Hospice Support & Memory Center

200 East Dakota Avenue, Suite 1, Pierre, South Dakota 57501

Phone: (605) 945-0827

January 2019

*Start where you are, use what you have, Do what you can*



(Luke, Martha Nystrom, Bella, Holly Hoing & Laurie Allison)

Team Shenandoah's Student Council members, Bella Pickner and Luke Olson, presented their Penny War check to Countryside for their program, Pennies for Robert. Robert Disburg was a student at GMMS when he passed away from cancer at the age of 12. Pennies for Robert was started by Robert Disburg's grandparents, Jack and Jo Mitchell, and all money collected with this program goes to travel expenses for cancer patients. Countryside Hospice Support & Memory Center assists over 100 patients a year within 60 miles of Pierre.



## Pennies for Robert

In January 2018 **\$10,140** in travel funds was provided for cancer patients leaving the Pierre community for cancer care and also for patients coming to the new Helmsley Center for care.

Funding comes through the year from motorcyclists riding on a windy fall day, the Snoopy jar at the thrift store, kids collecting pennies, the Corner Station donating many, many gas cards and you.

**\$91,157** in travel funds has been provided since April 2018 – that is so many pennies... thank you.

## **Community Programs**

### **Countryside Breast Cancer Survivors (BCS)**

Thursday February 7 & 21 @noon – Countryside classroom 200. E. Dakota

The BCS group is a wonderful mix of those newly diagnosed and those who have been survivors for 15 plus years. New members are always welcome. While the treatment options and plans have changed greatly over the years, some of the basic questions and discussion remains the same – everyone’s journey a little different and at the same time everyone’s journey very much the same.

### **Avera St. Mary’s Women’s Cancer Support February 8 @ noon - Cafeteria conference room**

This group is open to women of all ages who are dealing with any type of cancer. For more information contact Terry Pfahler at 224-3100 or [teresa.pfahler@avera.org](mailto:teresa.pfahler@avera.org)

**Avera St. Mary’s Men’s Cancer Support Group** -This is a new group for men who have any type of cancer. For more information contact Terry Pfahler 224-3100

### **Free** for cancer patients/families

CURE magazine is free for those on the cancer journey, and serves as an indispensable guide for patients and their families from diagnosis through recovery. [Curetoday.com](http://Curetoday.com) offers a variety of formats for education, research and support including podcasts, videos, articles and more.

### **Dementia Care Partners Support Group**

Thursday, February 21 - 6 pm  
Countryside Office 200 E. Dakota

A confidential group for anyone who cares for a loved one with dementia including the primary caregiver, family members and friends. This group provides support, education and resource information and is open to new participants at any time. For more information call 945-0827.

### **Mabel’s Family Support Group**

Wednesday, February 5 noon -1 pm  
Edgewood Senior Living – 1950 E. Fourth St  
Whether you have been caregiving for years or just starting out, support groups offer an opportunity to learn, share your knowledge, plan for the future and support one another. Brown bag lunch, or call ahead and request an Edgewood lunch for \$7. The facilitator of the group is Katie Nagle. Please RSVP if you would like lunch 494-3400.

### **Meeting of the Minds** (website - [www.alz.org](http://www.alz.org))

*The Alzheimer’s Association and Mayo Clinic invite all those impacted by dementia to explore what happens when we look beyond the disease and start discovering ways to live more fully.*

**WHAT:** Meeting of the Minds Dementia Conference unites people impacted by dementia for a day of education, information and support. An opportunity to learn more about the changes they may experience, what to do next to move forward, and how to live more fully with dementia.

- Select from 30+ sessions, and hear from people with dementia, caregivers and experts.
- Connect to resources and support - up to 70 exhibits.

**WHEN:** Saturday, March 2, 2019

**WHERE:** St. Paul River Centre, 175 West Kellogg Blvd, St. Paul, MN

**Sponsored by:** The Alzheimer's Association Minnesota-North Dakota Chapter and Mayo Clinic  
A limited number of family scholarships are available. Request a scholarship at 952-857-0548  
General registration for patients and caregivers Early-Bird - \$80, Standard - \$100

**Volunteer Hours – 1,297 volunteer hours in December were provided by 115 volunteers including those who help at the thrift store, the newsletter mailings, Board members and support group facilitators. Thank you all!**

## Wandering

In a small community, many families feel safe when their loved ones with dementia take a walk around the block or drive the familiar route to coffee each morning. Hopefully it will all go well, but what happens if there is one blocked driveway or one street under construction? Would that be enough to turn a familiar route into a complicated maze and suddenly returning home is no simple task?

The Pierre Police Department and Hughes County Sheriff's office have a form that could be very helpful in this situation. As a caregiver you fill out the form providing basic identifying information, attach a photo of the person at risk to wander and return it to the Pierre Police Department or mail to 3200 E. Hwy 34, Pierre, SD 57501. If the person fails to return home in a timely manner you simply call the police department, they pull up the information and start the search. A simple proactive step that could save so much time and worry. We have copies of this form available in the Countryside office, 200 Dakota Suite 1.

## Thrift Store

Donation hours: Mon – Sat 8:30 am – 4:30 pm

Shopping hours: Tues – Friday 10am – 5:30pm and Saturday 10 am – 5:00pm (Closed on Mondays)

Thank you for thinking about the Hospice Thrift Store when you are cleaning out closets or downsizing your home. The thrift store is able to take most items that are in good repair except: mattresses, hide a beds, items that use gas or other fuel, larger/older exercise equipment and large/older TVs. If you have a question about your donation call 945-0150 or ask a staff person to look at your donations before you unload them.

Volunteers needed: There are several 2 ½ hour shifts available during the week for cashiers and baggers. Training is provided for cashiers – the register is very simple to use and backup assistance is just a few steps away. The shifts go quickly and it is always fun to see the items being purchased. (This is a good time to start at the cash register – it is a little slower during the winter months and you will be a pro by the time summer rolls around!) For more information call Marie at 945-0150.

## More about the store

- If you are doing a painting, staining or cleaning project don't forget that we have bags of cotton rags for sale and old blankets for pet bedding.
- Need a gift? We have new items, gift bags, cards and thrift store gift certificates.
- Entertaining company from out of town? Bring them to the store!
- Like to read? Our book area is like a mini library. We have new releases, classics, Christian, cookbooks, westerns, romance, poetry, children's books and a variety of magazines – the shelves are full, the prices reasonable.
- Need something to do these chilly winter days? We have puzzles, games and a large variety of craft items including crochet hooks, knitting needles, yarn, fabric by the piece or yard, stamping supplies, embroidery floss, buttons and much more.
- Did you know the thrift store honors vouchers from PARS, local churches, nursing homes and other organizations to provide clothing and household items for families in need?
- Want to splurge without spending a lot of money? Check out our jewelry or selection of leather purses.
- New to town or just retired and have time on your hands? Volunteering at the thrift store is a great way to meet people and give back to the community.

Speakers from Countryside are available for your coffee, church, work or civic groups – call 945-0827 to schedule and learn more about how your donations support patients and families dealing with memory concerns, traveling for cancer care and those served by Avera@Home Hospice.

## Countryside memorials...

Rosemary Burtts

Katherine Burtts

David Wire

Daniel Wire

Donald Wire

Harold Burtts

Robert Burtts

Debbie Burtts

by

Ron & Mary (Burtts) Wire

Carol Fiala

by

Gary, Debbie & David Fiala

Cal & Joan Pottratz

by

Bob & Mary Pottratz

John & Anne Woods

Burton & Anna Warne

Jack Fifield

by

Maynard & Mary Greenfield\*\*

Julie Larson

by

Kay & Terry Moore

Margaret & Harold Rankin

Karla Abernathy

Susie Rankin

Dorothy & Oris Authier

by

Karen Authier

Glen Garrett

Raymond & Mazen Hinsey

by

Betty Garrett\*

Harold Stotts

Dianne Stotts

by

Marty & Butch Davis

Florence & Larry Koupal

Bernie Heermann

by

Duane & Meredith Heermann

Dr. B.O. Lindbloom

by

Bob & Shirlee Miller

Art & Mary Rezac

Dick & Rita Wendt

Kay Powers

Sandy Asbury

Walter Quigley

Rosemary Quigley

Phil Norman

Maxine Norman

by

Charles W. Draper

Red & Mazen Hinsey

Glen E. Garrett

by

Sharon Menzel

Julie Schultz

by

Neil & Kathy Davis\*

Walt Wintrode

by

Janice Wintrode

Elaine Hanson

by

Don & Donna Gallimore\*

Marjorie Gallimore\*

Nanette Dailey

Susan Tracy

by

Pat Beaudette

Dr. B.O. Lindbloom

Our family members

by

Chuck & Bonny Schroyer

Kelly & Gladys Johnson

Harold, Olinda & Richard Werner

by

Dave & Marlene Werner

Gene Ibach

Dr. B.O. Lindbloom

by

Odean & Donna Solberg

Curt Neuharth

Steve Zinter

by

Marty & Carol Nowak

Karlie Westall

by

Jerald "Red" & Bea Westall

Tyler Wilcox

Shane Cronin

Mary Cronin

Pete Petersen

June Curtis

Larry Giddings

Delbert Jones

Wade Jones

Johnny Smith

Ken Huse

Musette Huse

Max Cruse

Jim Steele

Leonda Beastrom

Bud Beastrom

Thelma Beastrom

Lois Thompson

Clark Alleman

Bonnie Korkow

Mike Hawkins

Don Rounds

Jenny Wegner

by

Mack & Karen Wylly

Joe, Catherine & Kevin Cholik

Elsie Haddock

by

Rob & Sheila Haddock

Wilma Carr

Leonda Beastrom

Marlin McKenney

Jerry Joachim

by

Tug & Joan Bush

Alberta Denton

by

Frank Denton

Ruth Karim

Laura Kist

by

Kiran Emler

Mearl & Gertie Hullinger

Harold & Mary Kaiser

Allen Feddersen

Cliff & Vi Shroyer

by

Delvin & Cleo Shroyer

Curt Neuharth

Steve Zinter

by

Jim & Shari Forney

## Memorials & Donations ...

Eugene Ibach

by  
Pam Hoepfer\*  
Bradley Ibach\*  
Family & Friends\*

All of our loved ones that have passed

by  
John & Deann Nystrom\*\*

Lanny Blake

by  
Dale & Donna Gohl  
Lois & Gary Knudson

Frank W. Sherer, Jr.

Jeanne Sherer  
Claudia Marbach  
by  
Vicki Hanson\*\*

Tom & Gert Stone

by  
Cheryl Stone\*\*

Cheryl Satrang

by  
Donna Solberg  
Marcia Hull  
John & Margaret Ellefson

Lanny Blake

Al Blemaster  
by  
Deb Fahey

Steve Zinter

B.O. Lindbloom  
by  
Seb & Carol Axtman

Fayne Kirley Weant

Peggy Ramser  
by  
Dinah Grace Davis

All of my deceased family/friends

by  
Anita Baker

Kenneth & Marlene Stewart

Steve & Mabel Sharkey  
by  
Les & Susan Stewart\*\*

Don Rounds

Steve Zinter  
Dr. B.O. Lindbloom  
Margaret Frazier  
Gail Miller  
Jo & Jack Mitchell

Marge Cordts

Clark Alleman

Bob Hartford

Ken Beck

Bridget Miller

Charlie Walker

Lois Cowen

by  
Norm & Sandee Konechne

Steve & Jean Gomez

by  
JoAnn Fischer & James Pearson

Eldon Russell

by  
Fred & Julie Waxler\*\*

Lyle Lutzka

Karen Thoen  
by  
Kevin & Ruby Thoen

Stanley Roseland

by  
Ken & Twyla Bartholomew

Jean Gomez

by  
Art & Mary Rezac

Leonda Beastrom

Deb Eich

Nancy Hunsley

Jan Larson

Lois Cowen

Jack & Jo Mitchell

Curt Neuharth

Peggy Kirley Ramser

Marlene Stewart

Ben Stoesser

Steve Zinter

by  
Roger & Marla Fuller

Matthew Sears

by  
Jo LaRoche

Jack & Jo Mitchell

by  
Cash & April Brooks\*

*In honor of all our family and friends who  
are fighting cancer,  
have lost their battle with cancer,  
or who have won the battle.*

*Annie Mehlhaff, Jackie Putzier, Linda Sack,  
Lisa Frederick, Mona Pries, Kristi Berheim\**

*In honor of Sister Evelyn Sehn  
by Bonnie Schroyer*



**Memberships:** Barbara Anderson, Deb Fahey, Jim & Shari Forney, Roger & Marla Fuller, Norm & Sandee Konechne, Barbara Lindbloom, Lynn & Jane Metzinger, Roger & Pat Mews, Mark & Peggy Moreno, John & Deann Nystrom, Gary & Grace Schmitgen, Joan Serfling, Joan Sterling, Les & Susan Stewart, Cheryl Stone, Kevin & Ruby Thoen, Dick & Rita Wendt, Red & Bea Westall

**Donations:** Anonymous, Anonymous\*\*, Greg & Cathy Brandner, Eunice Caldwell, Tom & Trudy Feigum, GMMS Team Shenandoah Penny War\*, Violet Hines, Jack & Sue Kuhl, Donald & Netta Lammon, Lynn's Dakotamart, Sharon McCully\*, Lynn & Jane Metzinger\*\*, Pierre Senior Center Bingo Group\*, Jim & Betsy Pollock\*, Bob & Doris (Donner) Porter, Robin Schumacher, SD Dept. of Labor & Regulation-Division of Insurance "Casual Friday", Elaine Wagner, Al Yocom

## Memorials & Donations ...

### Avera@Home Hospice

Helen Palmer  
by  
LeRoy & Carolyn Kropuenske

Bud King  
by  
Sammi Haney

Chip Lindbloom  
Dennis Lindbloom  
by  
Barbara Lindbloom

Stephanie Miller-Davis  
Dr. Hubert Werthmann  
Walter 'K' Briggs  
Justice Steven Zinter  
by  
Harvey & Andrea Sheehan

Robert K. & Edith Clair  
Floyd & Pauline Fackelman  
by  
Linda Clair

Dr. B.O. Lindbloom  
by  
Keith & Audrey Skrondah  
Meg Ryland

Pete Petersen  
Joan Deal  
Bob Marso  
Orgene & Frieda Petersen  
J.D. Weischedel  
Tyler Wilcox  
Dylan Fulton  
Parker Mitchell  
Derek Snyder  
Jenny Wegner  
Steve Zinter  
by  
Patti Marso Petersen

Our parents, sister & brother  
by  
Eldon & Betty Lindquist

Justice Steven Zinter  
Leonda Beastrom  
by  
Jerry & Margaret Pier

All of our loved ones that have passed  
by  
John & Deann Nystrom

Peggy Ramser  
by  
Della & Willis McLaughlin

Helen & John Roddewig  
by  
Jan Johnson & Curt Roddewig

Sherry Keller Knight  
by  
Joyce Collins

George Kimbley  
Charlie Kimbley  
Georgianne Kimbley  
by  
Joanne Wohlwend

Dean Eisnach  
Mary Salmonson  
Peg Logan  
by  
Dennis & Shirley Eisnach

Ann Gertsen  
by  
Paul & Laurie Gertsen



*In memory of our daughter,  
**Julie Ann Schultz**  
by  
James & Lauralea Hinckley*

**Lee Roy Eisenbeisz**  
*Merry "Heavenly" Christmas  
Love & miss you,  
Irene & family*

***In Honor of: Dennis Eisnach & Rosemary Rounds by Shirley Eisnach***  
***In Honor of: Jeff & Wendy Speaect by Rick & Gloria Merriam***

**Donations:** Jim & Cathy Peitz, Dennis & Shirley Eisnach, Rick & Gloria Merriam

***In Loving Memory of ...***

**Marcia Burrows**

*John  
Janet – Deb – Susan -  
Dawn*

**True & Wilma Smith**

*You are missed  
every day.  
Love,  
Cody & Sarah Smith*

**Carol Fiala**

*All our love -  
Mark & Deb Wixon\**

**Linda Obermeier**

*We miss you pretty girl!  
Pete, Tammy, Aimee,  
Joey, Amanda, Sawyer,  
Axton & Jermeiy*

**Johnny Smith**

*You are missed  
so much.  
Love,  
Cody & Sarah Smith*

**Marie Lamm**

*Bob & Beth McInnis  
Susan & Bob Marrington  
Ralph Dirksen  
Joe & Kathy Gittings*

**Orma E. McInnis**

*Bob & Beth McInnis,  
Sam Treib,  
Susan & Bob Marrington,  
Kathy & Joe Gittings  
& Ralph Dirksen*

**John McInnis**

*Joe & Kathy Gittings,  
Susan & Bob Marrington,  
Bob & Beth McInnis,  
Sam Treib,  
& Ralph Dirksen*

**Patrick McInnis**

*Bob & Beth McInnis,  
Sam Treib,  
Susan & Bob  
Marrington,  
Kathy & Joe Gittings  
& Ralph Dirksen*

*In loving memory of our grandpa,*

**Bob Hartford**

*Watch over us in 2019!  
Hannah Westall, Clara & Nick Buchal, Lucy Westall,  
Sophie Hartford, Grace Johnson, Ellie Johnson,  
Colton Hartford, Addie Johnson*

**Paul D. Weeldreyer**

*15 years  
December 23<sup>rd</sup>  
Love you and miss you!  
Pat, Paula & John  
Weeldreyer*

*Our grandparents,  
aunts & uncles  
You are forever  
missed.*

*Love,  
The Kinsella Family*

*Remembering, loving & missing our parents,*

**Cliff & Eunice Small**

*and  
Wilson & Iva Wyly,  
and our grandson, Dylan Fulton  
Mack & Karen Wyly*

**Emil & Peggy Koth**

*We miss you all year,  
but especially at  
Christmas.  
George & Janice Wang\*\**

**Todd Pearson**

*Life goes on  
but never the same.  
You are missed.  
Love, Kay & boys,  
grandkids & families  
Cody & Sarah Smith*

**David (Flipper) Keller**

*on the anniversary of his passing  
into the hands of the Angels on  
December 27<sup>th</sup>, 2010.  
Words cannot describe how much  
you are missed.  
Don & Shirley Sandal\*\**

**Mary Ellen Kleinsasser**

*Life goes on but  
never the same...  
Love,  
The Kinsella Family  
Cody & Sarah Smith*

**Elwin Schmidt**

**Rhys Schmidt**  
*We all miss you so!  
Ruth L. Schmidt*

**“PaPa” Bob Robert J. Cummins**

*on his birthday December 13<sup>th</sup>  
Lots of love,  
Shelley, Ken & Sean Pfannenstiel  
Kristen & Charlie Murphy\**

**John H. Zimmerman**

*on his birthday  
January 24<sup>th</sup>  
by  
Bill & Phyllis Zimmerman*

**Cliff & Mary Ott**

*Merry Christmas  
by  
Lari & Linda Ott\*\**

*Our parents,*

**Robert (Bob) Kinsella & Heather Kinsella**

*You are missed so much.  
Love,  
your kids, grandkids & great grandkids.*

**LeeRoy Eisenbeisz**

*Merry Christmas  
Dad  
Lari & Linda Ott\*\**

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**31<sup>st</sup> Turkey 'n Biscuit Supper** -- Thursday, April 4<sup>th</sup> 4:30 -7pm  
First United Methodist Church – Trinity Hall  
Adults - \$10.00    Children 12 and under - \$5.00    Carry outs available



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*(If the above name and address is not the same as your credit card billing, please provide the information from the card you are using.) Thank you!*

[www.countrysidehospicesupport.com](http://www.countrysidehospicesupport.com)

\* Pennies for Robert / \*\* Memory Center / \*\*\* Avera@Home Hospice

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