



Countryside Hospice Support & Memory Center

415 S. Crow St., Pierre, South Dakota 57501

Phone: (605) 945-0827

July 2024

Welcome Kim!

Please join us as we welcome Kim Leiferman as the new Executive Director of Countryside. Kim has been the Chief Finance Officer for Oahe Child Development Center and will join the Countryside team full time on August 19.



Bringing someone new on board is an exciting process – we have an opportunity to share our history, look carefully at the programs we have in place and dream about the future – new eyes, ideas and energy provides a great opportunity for Countryside to continue to grow and serve the community.

Rally for Robert - Rods and Rides Dice Run

Benefit for *Pennies for Robert* – travel funds for cancer patients

Saturday, Sept 7, 2024 – Registration 10am at Beck Motors Start time – 11am

137- mile loop to Gettysburg and back – open to all bikes & cars

\$20 per dice card (additional cards \$10) 5 stops to roll dice

Cash prizes for top 3 and low roll - \$300, \$200, \$150 & \$50

Raffle – Door prizes – 50/50 drawing – Bug Bullseye and meal @ Cactus Jack’s following the ride



#1 Raffle

- Hand crafted knife by Ben Orsbon
- Motorcycle Quilt – Doug & Jan Parker
- \$500 Scheel’s & Cash Gift Pack – Scheels & Beck Motor Company
- Crown Royal Quilt by Carol Evans

#2 raffle

Mini chopper donated by Sick Breed Motorcycle Club

Tickets \$5 each or 5 for \$20
Volunteers needed to help sell raffle tickets



5K Walk/Run

Long (5K) or short (1 mile) course

Saturday, October 5, 2024

\$30 registration - includes a t-shirt!

Location: Oahe Downstream Guest Lodge (no sticker required)

Join us to walk/run in honor, memory and support of everyone with memory loss and in celebration of all caregivers. Proceeds benefit Countryside Memory Center. The Memory Center provides free screening, resource information and caregiver support for patients and their families.

Community programs – All programs will meet at Countryside - 415 S. Crow Street

Parkinson's Support Group Wednesday, August 7th at noon. Visit with others who have a Parkinson's diagnosis. Topics include medications, exercise, safety issues and day-to-day challenges. Family members are also welcome.

Breast Cancer Survivors Discussion Group Thursday, August 15th at noon. Support and informational group for anyone who has been diagnosed with breast cancer. All survivors are welcome to attend. This is a small group with a focus on confidentiality and support.

Memory Connection Thursday, August 15th at 6:00 p.m. Discussion group for family members and friends caring for a loved one with dementia. An opportunity to brainstorm and share information.

OMA – Thursdays 10:30 - 11:30 Opening Minds through Art (OMA) is a free program where individuals who have memory loss work side by side with a volunteer to create artwork. A full hour of creativity, conversation and laughter – if you have a loved one who would enjoy this experience or if you would like more information about becoming a volunteer call 945-0827.

Welcome to Karen Gallagher – Karen will be part of the Memory Center team working with patients and their families and assisting with OMA – other Memory Team members include Cindy Meyer, Maxine Kinsella, Pam Kean and Pat Suedkamp.

Thrift Store

Shopping Hours: Tuesday – Friday 10am to 5pm

Saturday 10am – 3pm

Donation hours: Monday – Saturday 8:30 am – 3:30pm

Sundays: Noon – 3pm

If you have a large donation, it is helpful to call before you come to the store (605-945-0150) – especially if it is close to closing time – we like to get as much inside as possible to protect it from the weather and after hour shoppers.

Can we see you dropping off items after hours? Yes, we can, on our security camera. Can you hear us saying “thank you”? Probably not. Will we call the police if you decide to remove something from the property that isn't yours? Yes.

If you need clothing or household items and are unable to pay for them, will we help? Always, just ask.

Memorials...

Mary Greenfield

John Woods

Anne Woods

Chuck Woods

Tom Woods

Connie Woods

Burton & Anna Warne

Jack Fifield

by

Maynard Greenfield

Rose Marie Wood

by

James Wood

Jerry Vrooman

by

Karen Zakahi

Bernie Stoeser

Donald Lungren

Janet Semmler

Robert Drewery

Lola Ness Clelland

Ryan Darling

Keith Skrondahl

Ryan "Opie" Taylor

by

Joel & Carol Gengler

Pat Olson

D.D. Jacobson

by

Norm & Joann Weaver

Dorothy Gibbs

by

Bob & Shirlee Miller

Dorothy Smith

Sharon Caldwell

Lola Ness Clelland

Rene Liegl

by

Dale & Joyce Tipton

Ryan Darling

Kayleen Fulton

Betty Bourk

Esther Singleton

by

Sondra Russell

Mary Greenfield

by

Maynard Greenfield

Marie Greenfield-Sahli

Family & Friends

Peggy Ellwein

Brent & Linda Dykstra

Mary & Richard Carter

Patricia Jesso

Connie Keyser

Don & Eva Scott

John & Connie Hansen

Hair Affair Gals

Jodie & Shannon Bieber

Rich & Caroline Sahli

Frank & Sara Schaeftbauer

Patricia Reed

Pete & Judy Ackley

Reg & Linda Wood

Julie Ricketts

Kathy & Randy England

Brad & Jean Blow

Marcy Fifield

Jim & Betsy Pollock

Della & Willis McLaughlin

Janet Penticoff

Kara & Todd Hughes

Karl & Jean Hoepfner

Connie Woods

by

Maynard Greenfield

Marie Greenfield-Sahli

James & Jeanne Riis

Reg & Linda Wood

Mary & Richard Carter

Marcy Fifield

Karl & Jean Hoepfner

Kenny Tassler

Mike Pietz

Gordy VanAsh

by

Anita Baker

Cynthia Fuller

by

Roger & Marla Fuller

Mary Jean Schoessler

Viola Robbins

by

Karen Lindbloom

Rene Liegl

by

Dorothy M. Liegl & Family

Shawn & Jolene Liegl

Chris & Stashia Liegl

Don Kaiser

Larry Manke

Jim & Janice Benton

Leonard & Janice Deal

Colleen Kirby & Darron Busch

Jane Healy

Paul & Joyce Henning

Dave & Rena Ortbahn

Howard & Luz Naasz

Kristy Deal

Bernadine Hinckley

Myrtle Backlund

Pat Olson

by

Gary & Sally Marrone

A. Jill Feist

by

Margaret Ellefson

Marjorie Holstein

by

Betty McDorman & Kristi

Al Kundert

by

James Mollison

Jon & Nancy Gonsor

Dorothy Gibbs

Glen Kane

Virginia Learn

Nena Nelson

D.D. Jacobson

Marlys Nelleremoe

by

Brent & Elizabeth Lindbloom

Marlys & Royal Cermak

by

Janice Cermak & Sandra Cermak

Kayleen Fulton

by

Harney & Ruth Hohlman

Jerry & Linda Fischer

Memorials...

Daryl Johnson
by
Linda Johnson
Family & Friends
Jim & Julie McCord
Joseph & Edith Harmon
Vernon Larson
Cynda Curtis
Steve & Cathy Ogan
Frank & Carol Newcomb
Larry Manke
George & Dianna England
Fern Barnett
Gregg & Jo Hauglid
Monte & Kelsey Shorter
Pastor Brad & Susan Urbach
John & Jan Williams
Bob & Terri Zavadil
Dan & Tina Steensma

Anita Zastrow
Dorothy Gibbs
by
Ruth & Mark Smith

Kent Taylor
by
Steve & Barb Taylor

Mike Shrader
by
Lynette Thum

Sharon Kenefick
by
Kenefick Family & Friends

Anita Zastrow
Laurel Taylor
Al Kundert
Mike O'Day
Craig Smith
Kayleen Wyly Fulton
by
Ray & Mo Shepherd

Al Kundert
Gordon "Gordy" Van Ash
by
Don & Shirley Sandal

Bob Smith
by
Dorothy Smith

Darlene Stampe
by
Pete & Patty McGee

*Thank you to
St. Benedict's Guest House & Pennies for Robert
from
Shirley*

Thank you to:

Stenson Family Reunion for donating meat, buns, baked beans and desserts for St. Benedict's guests!

Donations: Anonymous, Street Masters Sioux Avenue Cruise, Stella Fulgaro's Bunco Babes, Trinity Lutheran Women-Midland SD, Charities Aid Foundation America/Edward Jones-Carol Gengler, First National Bank, Dakotamart, Dave & Mavis Kruger, Beck Motor Company

Memberships: Brad & Lori Clark

OMA Donations: *Thank you to Jean Denton for paints and tin foil, Pat Suedkamp for washcloths and hand towels, Mary Lehecka-Nelson for art supplies and Karen Pogany for paints and supplies.*

Just a thought

On my desk is a ratty paper calendar that is filled with passwords, phone numbers and random thoughts. I switch it out every couple of months when I find I'm starting to repeat myself, after all how many times do we need to write down the electrician's phone number?

Each time I redo the information my priorities change, some things are deleted, others revised or moved to a more prominent space – one thing however has been consistent for almost 4 years now – in the middle of the pad – where I can see it daily are these 6 words:

Absorb Chaos, Project Calm, Give Hope

During the pandemic this was a critical mantra. Even if it couldn't be accomplished in its entirety – and most days we didn't even come close – it was something to help give the day focus. As things started to wind down and we realized our lives were changed forever it became apparent that this is our mission – all of us – in our work and in our everyday life. Six words and a deep breath to help get us through the day.

In Loving Memory of ...

In loving memory of
Bob Hansen
by
Charlene Reed

In loving memory of
Tom Schmitz & Don Garrity
from
Dodie Garrity
Dawn Stover & Kelly Tibbs

Linda Obermeier
We miss you pretty girl!
Pete, Tammy, Aimee,
Joey, Amanda, Sawyer,
Axton & Jermei

Marie Lamm
Bob & Beth McInnis
Susan & Bob Marrington
Ralph Dirksen
Joe & Kathy Gittings

Darlene Treib
Bob & Beth McInnis
Sam Treib
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

In loving memory of
Buddy G. Welch
*"Always on my mind
Forever in my heart."*
Love, Meg

In memory of
of
my loving husband,
Dean Haney
by
Kristi Haney

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

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

In loving memory of
Dalton Williams
Happy Birthday in Heaven,
Dalton.
*Forever missed but never
forgotten.*
Love,
Mom, Dad, Cole, Shyanne,
Kenya & Taya

In loving memory of
Don Rounds
&
Marlin Scarborough
*on their August
birthdays.*
*I miss you and will love
you always.*
Rosemary Rounds

Sonny,
*I am so blessed you asked
me to be your wife and
companion. Thank you for
51 beautiful years
together.*
Love Always,
Charlene

In loving memory of
our grandson,
Dalton Williams
Happy Birthday,
Dalton.
We miss you so much!
Love,
Grandma Jody
Grandpa Cody

In memory of
Dick Allison
Bill Allison
Jack Allison
Melvin Allison
by
Valerie Allison & Family

In loving memory of
David Keller
It will be your 63rd birthday in Heaven.
*Not a day goes by that you aren't
remembered and missed so much,
especially your laughter.*
Don & Shirley Sandal

In memory of my wife,
Helen Wallace
*Remembering you is easy,
I do it all the time.*
Missing you,
Bob



*Those who touch our lives
Stay in our hearts forever*



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Thank you to Dakotamart...For every \$10,000 we collect in receipts Dakotamart donates \$100 to Countryside. Please save all your receipts – they can be dropped off at the Countryside office or the Thrift Store.

THIS GIFT IS FROM:

Name _____

Address _____

- FOR:** As needed Pennies for Robert – Travel funds for cancer patients
 St. Benedict’s Guest House – Lodging for cancer patients Avera@Home Hospice – Hospice care
 Memory Center Membership
 Don Boyd OMA memorial

In memory/honor of: _____ Notify: _____

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This newsletter contains donations processed through July 10. The approximate cutoff date for the August newsletter will be August 14.

Donations can also be made by credit card on our website www.countrysidehospicesupport.com, or you may call the office with your credit card information 605-945-0827.