

# ELEVATED NEWSLETTER

## FALL- WINTER

### Save the Dates

#### Agency Events...

- **Fall Festival at Anderson Farms:** October 10, 6-9 PM
- **Thanksgiving at the Moose Lodge:** November 26, 4-7 PM
- **Holiday Parade:** December 14, 5 PM
- **Christmas at the Moose Lodge:** December 17, 4-7 PM

#### Elevated Communities...

- **Yard Sale:** October 5, 8 AM- 2 PM
- **Costume Crawls:** Last Saturday of each month
- **Sip & Swaps:** Availability in Oct. & Nov.- contact Angie for more info!

#### Staff Events...

- **Christmas Party:** December 6, time and location **TBD**

### Staff Highlights

#### Employee of the Quarter...

Our **employee of the quarter** for Fall/Winter 2024 is...

**BRITTNEY ROEBUCK!** 🥰✨

#### New Staff...

- **Kacee-Lyn Hahn**, Residential Coordinator
- **Stephen Farnoly**, DSP

#### Updates...

- **Keith Pozniak** began **Benefits Counseling Training** in September. Stay tuned for how he will be **supporting** the **I/DD community** with this certification!
- **Carly Boisen & Angel DeLozier** completed their **Supported Employment Certifications!**

### Trainings

#### QMAP Classes

- **October 10** 9 AM- 2 PM for **Family Caregivers**
- **October 16**, 9 AM- 2 PM for **Elevated Supports Staff**

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- **SCC EVENT UPDATE:** Starting **Oct. 4, Friday lunches** will be held at **Perkins in Longmont at 11 AM**. The cost is **\$10 per person**. This includes **an entree, drink, and slice of pie!** A **diabetes-friendly menu** will be available as well. This is a **pre-pay event**. To **sign up**, please reach out to **Jhordan** at [jhordan@elevatedsupports.com](mailto:jhordan@elevatedsupports.com), or **303-709-7391**.
- **Elevated Communities Yard Sale, Oct. 5, 8 AM-2 PM:** See flyer below for details! **Donations are appreciated** and can be dropped off at **637 Terry St. during business hours**.
- **Fall Festival at Anderson Farms, Oct. 10, 6-9 PM:** Join us for our Annual Fall Festival at Anderson Farms, **Firepit H.** Come enjoy some **chili, s'mores, hot chocolate**, and lots of fun! Cost is **\$10 for participants** and **\$17 for family and friends**. To **pre-purchase** tickets, please email **Jhordan** at [jhordan@elevatedsupports.com](mailto:jhordan@elevatedsupports.com).
- **Elevated Communities Costume Crawls:** Costume crawls take place the **last Saturday of each month** at the **Elevated Communities Gently Used Clothing Boutique** at **455 Main St.** in Longmont. The theme of **November's** costume crawl is **"Santa Crawl,"** and **December's** will be the **"Roaring '20s!"**
- **Elevated Communities Sip & Swaps:** There is availability for Sip & Swaps in **October & November**. Contact **Angie** at [aclements@elevatedsupports.com](mailto:aclements@elevatedsupports.com) if you are interested in **learning more**, or if you'd like to **host a Sip & Swap** for your friends and family!
- **Thanksgiving at the Moose Lodge, Nov. 26, 4-7 PM:** Join us for our annual Thanksgiving celebration at the Moose Lodge for **socializing with friends & family, Thanksgiving dinner**, and a **photo booth!** Time TBD
- **Staff Christmas Party, Dec. 6:** Time and location TBD, keep an eye out for an **announcement with more information!**
- **Holiday Parade, Dec. 14, 5 PM:** Bundle up, grab a warm drink, and come enjoy **Longmont's Annual Holiday Parade**. Be sure to watch for the **Elevated Communities (?) float!** Parade starts at **5 PM** on the corner of **Kimbark St.** and **Longs Peak Ave.**
- **Christmas Party at the Moose Lodge, Dec. 17, 4-7 PM:** Join us for our annual Christmas party at the Moose Lodge. Come enjoy **socializing with friends & family**, a **gift exchange**, a **photo booth**, and lots of fun!

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## ELEVATED COMMUNITIES **YARD SALE** FUNDRAISER

 **We Need Your Support** 

Join us in making a difference! We are looking for donations for our upcoming Yard Sale Fundraiser.

Yard Sale Date: Saturday, October 5th  
Time: 8AM to 2PM

*If you, (or your friends and family), have items you would like to donate, you can start bringing them over to the 637 Terry Street Office.*

All sale proceeds will go directly to support Elevated Communities. Arrangements will be made to pick up any unsold items, and they will be donated to the ARC.

Thank you for your support!

For questions, contact Nicole or Angie

# EMPLOYEE OF THE QUARTER

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## **BRITTNEY ROEBUCK**

Brittney was chosen as Elevated Supports' **first** Employee of the Quarter thanks to her outstanding work ethic and her willingness to jump into any situation head-first & give her best effort each time. Brittney was hired as a DSP in February and works with both SLS and Residential clients. Brittney goes above and beyond for each individual she supports, and Elevated is thankful to have her as a strong part of our team. Here is a short bio so everyone can get to know Brittney better!

"Meet Brittney, a dedicated direct support professional with a genuine passion for helping others. She has been with Elevated Supports LLC for nearly a year, where she has derived great satisfaction from collaborating with her colleagues and providing support to her clients. Outside of her role at Elevated Supports LLC, Brittney actively volunteers with 4-H and treasures the time she spends with her family. She frequently participates in both local and national goat and rabbit shows. Brittney is dedicated to enhancing her clients' lives by creating meaningful experiences and providing steadfast support."





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## **NEW STAFF: Kacee-Lyn Hahn,** **Residential Coordinator**

"Hello everyone! I am Kacee-Lyn Hahn and I am the newest member to the Residential Coordinator Team here at Elevated Supports. I have a long history of working in social services in many different roles. I am originally from Grand Junction and went to college at Western Colorado University in Gunnison, CO. I got my bachelor's degree in psychology with an emphasis in Clinical Psychology and minors in Business Administration and Sociology. I grew up showing, judging and training horses. Horses are absolutely my favorite animal, and I plan on getting back to showing. Some of my other special interests are knitting, camping, gardening, and house plants. I am so excited to have this opportunity to work in the Longmont area and have found that it feels like home."



## **NEW STAFF: Stephen Farnoly, DSP**

"Hi, my name is Stephen Farnoly and I'm originally from New Jersey! I moved to Colorado in the summer of 2012 and worked various maintenance and handyman jobs. For fun, I like to ride my bicycle, float around in my inflatable kayak, and play disc golf. When it's cold outside, I like staying indoors to watch movies & TV shows and play video games. I'm grateful to be working at Elevated Supports and am looking forward to advancing with the company. Thank you for this awesome opportunity!"

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## Supported Employment Anniversaries

- **Eric** celebrated **FIVE YEARS** working at **The Post** in **September!**
- **Jonna** celebrated **THREE YEARS** working at **Spark! (SVVSD)** in **September!**
- **Jarrett** celebrated **ONE YEAR** working at **Evolve** in **September!**
- **Shawna** will celebrate **FIVE YEARS** at **Timberline (SVVSD)** in **November!**

## IN THE SPOTLIGHT: B. K. PHOTOGRAPHY

**Bobby is a talented photographer and is passionate about his craft. He was recently a featured artist at the Hive Community Center in Parker, CO. Bobby's photography will be on display at Landline Coffee and Donut in March and April of 2025! Pieces will be for sale, and a reminder will be printed in the winter/spring newsletter.**

**Here's Bobby's info:**

**[bkphotography1200@yahoo.com](mailto:bkphotography1200@yahoo.com)**

**[Instagram/bk\\_photography1200](https://www.instagram.com/bk_photography1200)**

**A website is also in the works, stay tuned!**



# RESOURCES

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- **Resource Navigation:** Please contact **Wendy Klusack** at [wendy@elevatedsupports.com](mailto:wendy@elevatedsupports.com) if you or someone you know would benefit from **support to access various resources**, such as **SNAP benefits, Medicaid, waiver services, social security benefits, access to neurocognitive assessments**, etc.  
**Wendy's office** is located at **635 Terry St. in Longmont.**
- **Voting Resources:** If you're supporting an individual with registering to vote, deciding how to vote, or voting, please feel free to use the resources below:
  - **My Plan to Vote worksheet:**  
[https://docs.google.com/document/d/1srvsMTITNSrkE-q6-2ymTxehyzrBExlbuOL\\_aMYAmA/edit](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1srvsMTITNSrkE-q6-2ymTxehyzrBExlbuOL_aMYAmA/edit)
  - **Voting Information, Links, and Resources:** <https://cpwd.org/voting/>
- **QMAP Trainings:** There are two QMAP trainings scheduled for the month of October:
  - **Thursday, October 10th** from **9 AM – 2 PM**. This class will be for **Family Caregivers**.
  - **Wednesday, October 16th** from **9 AM – 2 PM**. This class will be for **Elevated Supports staff**.

Both classes will be held in the **back meeting room** at the **Elevated Supports Office, 637 Terry St. in Longmont.**
- **Questions & Concerns:** If you have questions regarding events, supports, trainings, resource navigation, or other general questions, please reach out to your team!
  - **Residential:** **Erika James**, [erika@elevatedsupports.com](mailto:erika@elevatedsupports.com)
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