



# Dove Healthcare

May 2017 Newsletter · Dove Healthcare - Rutledge Home

## Our Monthly Newsletter

I am happy to announce that we are starting a monthly newsletter for Dove Healthcare - Rutledge Home. This newsletter will be sent out to all residents and their financial and primary contacts at the beginning of each month. If you know of someone else that wishes to receive this newsletter, please let Ashley Leick know.

## Nursing Department Changes

Some changes have been taking place in the nursing department. Unfortunately, our previous nurse Bobbi Stanton decided it was time for her to take a different path in her nursing career, and her last day was Friday, April 22. But, it is with great excitement that we welcome **Crystal McCormac**, our new **Registered Nurse Supervisor** who started on Monday, April 24. Crystal has experience with assisted living, as she was previously working at an assisted living facility. Also before she obtained her nursing degree, she worked in an assisted living as a Resident Assistant. We are very happy to have Crystal join our team. Please help me in welcoming her!

## Phone Numbers

Lately we have had a few people mention that when they call the building, it is hard to get a hold of the person they wish to speak to. I wanted to inform all of you of our "backdoor" number, which is the easiest way to reach a specific person or floor at Dove Healthcare - Rutledge Home. Dial **715-723-3093** and then enter the extension for who you wish to speak with. Hopefully, this way you can get to the person you wish to speak with easier.

**Ashley Leick, Director - ext. 123**

**Megan Krump, Assistant Director - ext. 124**

**Crystal McCormac, RN Supervisor - ext. 140**

**Sandy Rasmussen, Dietary Director - ext. 114**

**Linda Soden, Recreation Director - ext. 144**

**Craig Schulner, Maintenance Director, ext. 116**

**1st Floor - ext. 118**

**2nd Floor - ext. 119**

**3rd Floor - ext. 134**

**Kitchen - ext. 121**

## Changes in the Billing Department

As of May 1, Ashley Leick will be taking over generating the bills for Dove Healthcare - Rutledge Home. Should you have any questions about your bills or payments, please contact Ashley Leick at [aleick@dovehealthcare.com](mailto:aleick@dovehealthcare.com) or 715-723-5566. Thank you.

## Happy Birthday to our Residents:

**Mark Schnack - May 1**

**Ed Chenier - May 16**

**Pam Laski - May 16**

**Mae Ryan - May 22**

**Joanne Wagenknecht - May 29**



## Happy Birthday to our Staff

**Haley Hood - May 7**

**Linda Soden - May 10**

**Anna Erickson - May 12**

**Tessa Miles - May 21**

**Emily Meyers - May 26**

## Musical Entertainment

**May 3 at 2:00 PM**

Arneson Brothers & Cinco De Mayo Party

**May 10 at 2:00 PM**

Music Mary

**May 12 at 1:00 PM**

The Kings Countrymen for Mother's Day Tea Party

**May 17 at 2:00 PM**

Don and Diane & Birthday Party

**May 19 at 1:00 PM**

Sarah Schweisthal

**May 24 at 2:00 PM**

Beverly Ward

**May 25 at 10:00 AM**

MJ Recorder Consort—Assorted Clarinet Players

**May 31 at 2:00 PM**

Jerry Way



## Days of Interest

**May 14 - Mother's Day**

**May 30 - Memorial Day**

## Please Welcome our New Employees

This month we would like to welcome two new employees to our facility. **Sierra Dortch** and **Megan Moen** will both be joining the PM shift. Please help me in giving them a warm welcome!

## “Send a message to a resident!”

**You are invited to go to the homepage of our website [rutledgehome.com](http://rutledgehome.com) and send a greeting to your loved one residing with us.**

Look for the picture of a green envelope at the bottom of the homepage. While personal visits to our facility are always encouraged, we added this feature so you could easily send a greeting 24/7. We will try our best to print and deliver your message within 24 hours.



## Chippewa County Alzheimer’s Support Group

We wanted to make you aware of this great support group that is available to those in the Chippewa Valley. This group meets the third Wednesday of each month at 3:30 PM at Grace Adult Day Services: 2050 County Highway I, Chippewa Falls, WI 54729. All are welcome to attend the program.

## Come join us for the Mother - Daughter Tea Party

On Friday, May 12 at 1:00pm we will be having our annual Mother - Daughter Tea Party. This will be held in the main dining room at Dove Healthcare - Rutledge Home. Tea, coffee, and dessert will be served. Entertainment will be by The Kings Countrymen. Please wear your favorite hat for this special occasion of celebrating Mother’s Day. We normally have a large turnout for this event so we kindly ask that you RSVP by May 10 to the recreation department at 715-723-3093 , ext. 144. Thank you!

## Upcoming Memorial Service

We will be holding a Memorial Service at our facility on Saturday, May 13t at 1:00pm. This service is our opportunity to honor those who we were blessed to know and who passed away over the past six months. Please RSVP to Linda Soden by May 11 if you would like to join us. 715-723-3093 , ext. 144

## Dove Healthcare Named CVTC Proven Business Partner

*We are excited to share this news with you! The following is an excerpt from CVTC’s press release*

Dove Healthcare has been named the Chippewa Valley Technical College Proven Business Partner for 2017. The award was presented to Dove Healthcare on April 6 at the CVTC Alumni Association’s Annual Spring Gala.

Dove Healthcare supports programs and organizations that improve the overall quality of life in the communities in which their employees and residents live. They have a tradition of giving back through financial contributions, volunteer hours, and leadership roles on boards and councils, some of which include the Alzheimer’s Association, United Way, Aging & Disability Resource Center, local colleges, senior centers, hospitals, and Chambers of Commerce, and several industry related associations.

## Memories from the Month:

Thank you to the Lake Wissota Garden Club for donating 2 apple trees!



The residents enjoyed the animals at Sandy Acres!



A big thanks goes out to Jason Doty’s family for coming in and doing a demonstration on lefse making!

