

# Village Voice

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## Respecting the Privacy of Our Residents

At ElderHealth & Living, we take great pride in respecting the privacy of our residents. Whenever you see us using photos, such as the ones we publish in this newsletter, we ensure we have permission from our residents' families to share them.

We kindly ask for our guests at EHL to also respect the privacy of all our residents, especially when it comes to sharing photos and personal information on social media. Please remember the following:

- We understand that social media is used to keep friends and family informed on how your loved one is doing. If you are sharing about your own resident here in the village, that is your right and we absolutely respect that. However, please do not share any personal information about other residents who reside here, such as their name or any other identifying information.
- If you are here visiting a resident and you take a photo, please ensure no other residents are in the photo, especially if posting it to social media.

Please pass this information along to your friends and family who may not receive a copy of this newsletter.

## Support Groups

### Memory Loss Solutions®

EHL Campus Support Group

Monday, **March 2nd**

5:00 - 6:00 pm

@ Main Campus

Tuesday, **March 17th**

12:30 - 1:30 pm

@ Main Campus

### Alzheimer's Support Group

Thursday, **March 12th & 26th**

1:30 - 3:30 pm

@ Good Samaritan Society  
3500 Hilyard Street, Eugene

Thank  
you



## We ♥ fun!

We are always looking for new ways to have fun in the village. Check out these photos from a recent visit from **Slap Happy Drums!**



## EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT

### Amanda @ Health Center

We are pleased to announce that Amanda is our March 2020 Employee of the Month!



Amanda was born in Queen City, Texas. She moved to Oregon at a young age and grew up in Springfield, Oregon. She comes from a big family, with one sister and four brothers. Three of her brothers have muscular dystrophy and she says, "They have taught me anything is possible no matter what cards you are dealt."

Amanda and her fiancé Johnny are the proud parents of two kids - their son Evan is 11 and their daughter Navae is 10. Navae is in the picture with her mom. Amanda joked that her son Evan is much harder to get a photo of. She says, "At his age, I'd have to hold him down to get a pic!". Amanda reports that her family is a wild bunch but they know how to have a good time. Those good times include taking care of their little farm, which is home to ducks, chickens, rabbits, lizards, and two dogs. Amanda also enjoys crafts and refurbishing antiques. She says the family enjoys the typical Oregon adventures such as camping, coast trips, crabbing, fishing, and riding quads.

Amanda joined EHL in August of 2008 and currently works as a Shift Supervisor based out of our Health Center. You may not get to see Amanda much, as she works the overnight shift, but trust us when we tell you that our residents are in good hands when she is working. Being a Shift Supervisor is a huge responsibility and we are so grateful to have Amanda as one of ours.

When asked why she likes working at EHL, Amanda replied, "We are one big family. I have the luxury of working and caring for some of the most amazing people I have ever met. I love their stories. If they could write books, they would all be bestsellers!"

*Amanda's Words of Wisdom:*

**"Never regret a day in your life. Good days give happiness, bad days give experience, worst days give lessons, and best days give memories."**

**Thank you, Amanda, for your hard work and your dedication!**

## In Remembrance

### Margrethe "Peggy" Winbigler

Peggy came to EHL in June of 2018. Amee, EHL Administrator, shared that, "I will miss her greetings whenever I would walk into the front door. Peggy always sat right next to that door. She would always welcome me, tell me that she missed me, and then would tell me to be safe when leaving." Peggy passed away at the age of 92.



### Fred Carlson

Fred came to EHL in January of 2019. Callie, Lead Direct Care Staff at our Mt. Hood Home, shared with us, "Fred was a very sweet man of few words. He always had a smile on and was quite the jokester. He will be greatly missed in the Mt. Hood Home." Fred passed away at the age of 70.



*The world changes from year to year. Our lives from day to day. But the love and memory of you shall never pass away.*

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