

Arkay Unity Newsletter April 2023



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“Our Mission is to assist the Developmentally Disabled and the Elderly Disabled to achieve community inclusion that enhances personal potential, employment opportunities and/or volunteerism.”



Please remember we go out in the community daily so please do not bring anything that needs to be heated in your lunches. We do not have access to a microwave when out in the community. Also, please make sure that your consumers have an ice pack in their lunches to keep them cold. Thank You.

Arkay will be having a Carnival in the summer of 2023! We are accepting donations towards it!

If you participated in the bowling league, please remember that you must for the entirety of the league, even if you are absent.

We will be doing scrapbooking class on Thursdays, the initial cost is \$10.00 for the scrapbook itself and \$1.00 a week after to maintain supplies. Please be sure to send in pictures to be cut up and placed in the scrapbook!

We will also be doing a gardening day! Those who will be participating will bring home the pots with plants/flowers in them!

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO THESE WONDERFUL CONSUMERS!!!!

Shawn Abney 4/4, Dawn Wilkerson 4/13, Melissa Cox 4/18, Mark Young 4/24 and Michael Schlotman 4/25

Staff Birthdays:

Gerri Loree 4/14



BUSINESS DEVELOPER'S CORNER

Hello Spring!

We are diligently working on getting everything set to open our coffee shop, Java Junction! If anyone is interested in working at Java Junction please call Arkay's Business Development office at: 734-258-8966, and ask for Kyra.

We are also working on training Arkay staff and the Individuals that are interested in working at our coffee shop. We look forward to seeing you there soon!

We continue to work with MRS and Jo Brighton Skills Center Individuals, providing employment services. Congratulations to a Jo Brighton Student who was just hired at IHOP, in Woodhaven! We also have a great crew that works 5 days a week at the Team Wellness Center in Southgate, providing Custodial Services.

Arkay welcomes two new Job Coaches that will be assisting us in the Business Development Department as well as Java Junction.

Your Business Development Team: Kyra, Kim, Mark, Mark, Megan,

Tammy, Ken, MaryAnn, Jamie.