

Message from the Board President



It has been quite a year at Community Link, and I mean that in a very positive way. Since our last conversation in the 2010 – 2011 Annual Report we have hired a new executive director, a new development director, a new Early Head Start leader, recognized two board members as their terms expired, welcomed four new board members, enjoyed three successful fund-raising events which included our 40th Gala Event, and had a successful financial year for the organization.

I'd like to start by recognizing the efforts of Fran Taylor, Finance Director, for her efforts as the Acting Director during the time our search committee was in the process of naming our new executive director. Fran has a tremendous passion for Community Link and she was able to pull the staff together during our transition period and the organization didn't miss a beat under her leadership. Thank you, Fran.

I want to formally welcome John Huelskamp, Executive Director, to Community Link. John has been on the job for over eight months and has done an excellent job of getting to know our clients, their families, and our staff. During that getting acquainted period, John has been able to assess the organization's current structure and has put together an excellent plan to strengthen Community Link in these very challenging times.

Sharon Bickl and Barb Gerstner have served Community Link as board members for a combined total of 23 years. Both of their

terms on the board expired in June and Community Link owes its gratitude to these terrific ladies for their dedication and service as strong advocates of our organization.

We welcome Janice McElroy as our new director of the Children's Programs. Janice has been on the job for ten months and has done a great job leading this very important program that serves children and families in four counties.

As part of Community Link's Strategic Plan for FY 2011-2013 it was our objective to hire a Development Director for the organization. I'm happy to report that Jamie Fields has been on the job for two months and brings much enthusiasm and skill to this very important position.

Four new board members have joined Community Link since June. I'm pleased that Jerry Albers, Wesley Gozia, Jim Kreke and Leslie Pedtke have been elected and agreed to serve on the governing body of our great organization. Their time and talents will enhance and strengthen our board and provide the leadership needed to guide Community Link.

My sincere thanks to all our families and supporters, because of your involvement and generosity we are able to achieve our mission.

Finally, a big shout out to our dedicated staff. Visions and missions don't happen without dedicated staff who believe in what they accomplish each day with our clients. Thank You. ❖



Gerstner and Bickl Recognized

Barbara Gerstner, who joined the board in July of 1997 and Sharon Bickl, who joined the board in July of 2004 were recognized by Board President John Lengerman for the volunteer years of service they provided as members of Community Link's Board of Directors at their June meeting. ❖



Barb Gerstner (l), Executive Director John Huelskamp, and Board Member Sharon Bickl (r). Both retired from Community Link's Board of Directors due to term limits.

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KEY STAFF FY 2012

John Huelskamp
Executive Director

Fran Taylor
Director of Finance and Administration

Barb Nelson
Director Adult Programs

Janice McElroy
Director of Children's Programs

Adult Day Programs Consumer Advisory Council

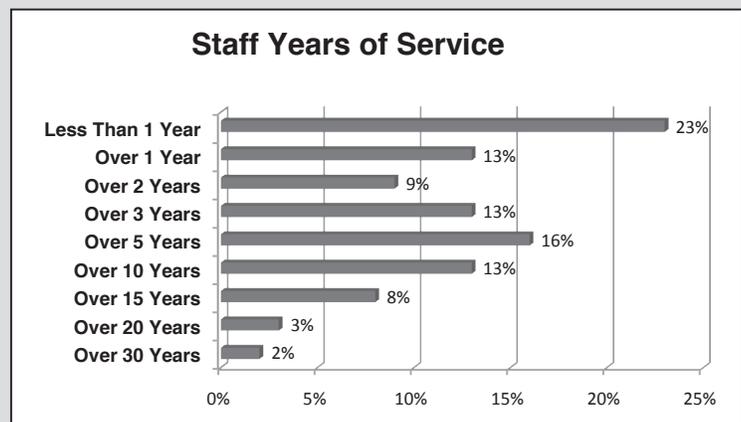
The Consumer Advisory Council (CAC) acts as advocates for all consumers. The CAC is made up of eight consumers elected from a consumer voting process. The CAC makes recommendations, voices their concerns, and discusses issues with representatives of the agency. These issues are incorporated into the program evaluation process and used in Strategic Planning. The CAC meets quarterly; followed by an all consumer meeting discussing the content of that meeting and any other concerns, comments, or suggestions. ❖



CAC Members from Adult Day Training Breese site 1 to r: (front row) Mallory Wessling, Connie Wahl, Heather Holthaus, (back row) Steve Huelsmann, Chris Gebke (Associate Director of Adult Day Programs and Council Chairperson), and not pictured Jason Seidel and Kathy Wempe.



CAC Members from from Adult Day Training Fairview Heights Metro site 1 to r: Sarah Harr, Daniel Hardin and Judith Ragsdale.



Total number of employees at end of fiscal year: 154

Total turnover rate for fiscal year: 23%

Number of employees who ended employment: 36

FINANCIAL REPORT

Community Link is pleased to present the following unaudited statement of activities for the Agency's Fiscal Year 2011-12, ending this past June 30. For a copy of the completed audit, please e-mail info@commmlink.org or call (618) 526-8800.

SUPPORT & REVENUE

Support

Government Grants	556,927
Foundation/Corporate/Community	110,532
United Way	227,280
Annual Appeal	18,145
Special Events	82,814
Total Support	995,698

Revenue

Government Fees for Service	5,293,015
3rd Party / Private Pay Fees	449,762
Production/Contract Revenue	376,515
Investment Income	6,465
Other Revenue	85,926
Total Revenue	6,211,683

Total Support & Revenue 7,207,381

EXPENSES

Staff Salaries, Benefits, Taxes	4,715,675
Occupancy-Related	469,119
Other Operating Expenses	1,568,167
Depreciation	150,808

Total Expenses 6,903,769

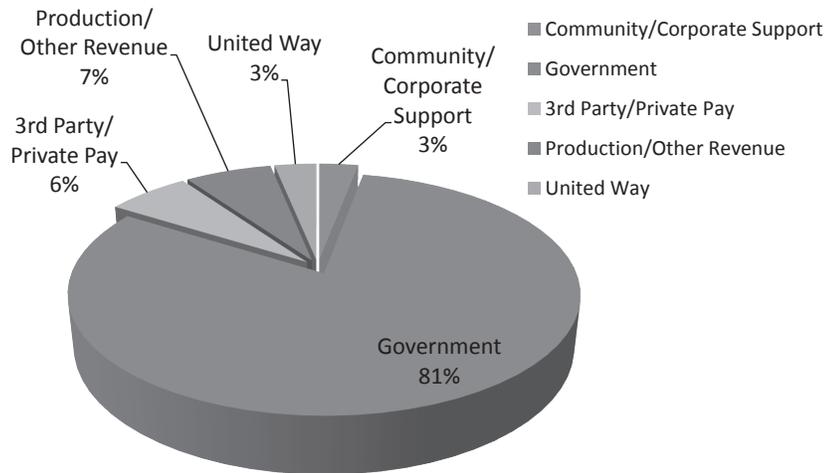
Change in Unrestricted Net Assets 303,612

Unrestricted Net Assets, July 1, 2011 1,750,232

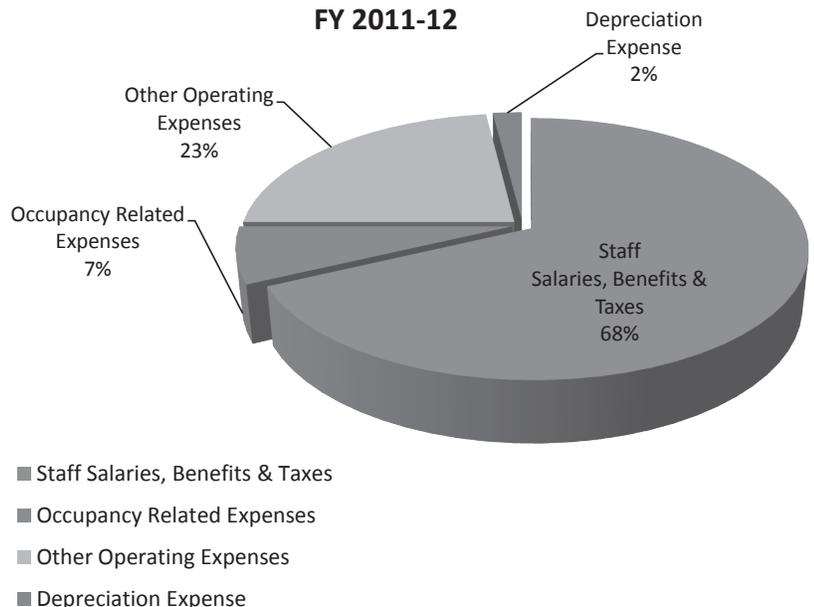
Prior Period Adjustment 48,045

Unrestricted Net Assets, June 30, 2012 2,101,889

REVENUE FY 2011-12



EXPENSES FY 2011-12



Community Link's \$7 million budget flows back into the surrounding communities, through salaries paid to employees and the purchases from local vendors.

First Step provides services for cultivating parent education



Juan Garrido is pictured receiving dental services from the dental clinic provided by First Step and Smile Illinois Mobile Dentists on July 26, 2012. Dr. Shapiro and his staff provided preventive dental care services to children enrolled in Early Head Start and Early Intervention.

First Step Early Learning & Family Support Programs provide quality, in home services to meet the needs of families with children 0-21 in our local communities. The program is designed to enhance the physical, social-emotional, and intellectual development of children, educate parents, and empower them to move toward self-sufficiency and prepare their children for school readiness. Through First Step, families are connected to other parents and the community through play groups and socializations.

First Step provides a diverse set of services for children and families: Early Intervention, for children with special needs 0-3; Children's Wavier case coordination, for children 3-21; Prevention Services, for children 0-4; developmental screenings, and Early Head Start, for children 0-3 and pregnant mothers. Prenatal support and education is offered through classes at St. Joseph's Hospital, which is funded through United Way of Greater St. Louis. ❖

EHS prepares children for school readiness as early as infancy

Early Head Start Parent Educators served a total of 90 children and 11 pregnant women in FY 2012 by providing home based services to low income and other at risk families. Empowering parents to take the role as their child's primary teacher, preparing them for school readiness, and ensuring the children's preventive and primary health care needs are being met are the main goals of this program.

With the movement of The Office of Head Start to enhance school readiness for children ages birth to three years old, First Step EHS program invested in an assessment tool, *Teaching Strategies GOLD*, to help enhance and track the development of children served on a weekly basis. The assessment helps determine the development level of each child in all areas of functioning and helps set goals and activities. The primary goal for school readiness is to prepare both parent and child for the child's next level of education, which is Head Start or Early Childhood. During this past year, 17 children that aged out of the program transitioned on to one of the two programs. ❖

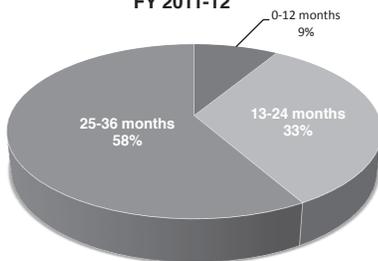


The CL Early Head Start program provides home visits to assist parents to become the best teacher of their child with a focus on child development, health, nutrition, mental health, and socialization. Pictured are Brandi Wilson and her son Dalyn Topp.

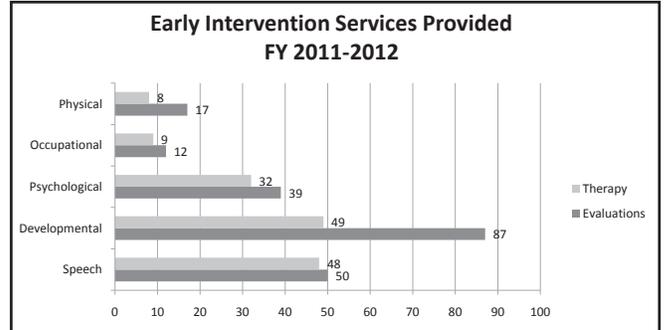
More Children are being served through Early Intervention Services

The number of children receiving First Step Early Intervention therapy services has grown from 174 during FY 2011 to 204 during FY 2012. The program, which has seven skilled therapists, provided a total of 3,107 hours of direct services to children and families with special needs. Families reported that the services received from Early Intervention helped them learn how to more effectively meet the needs of their children and enhance growth and development. Seventeen children in the program received more than one type of therapy, and 19 of the children were dually enrolled, also receiving home based Early Head Start services. The program intends to continue to grow by recruiting more therapists as the need for services in the community rises. ❖

**Early Intervention & Prevention
Ages of Children Served
FY 2011-12**



Families Receiving EI Service, by County FY2011-12	
Clinton County	32%
Marion County	18%
St. Clair County	18%
Madison County	12%
Washington County	11%
Bond County	4%
Effingham County	1%
Jersey County	1%
Macoupin County	1%
Montgomery County	1%
Randolph County	1%



Community Living Programs bolster family environment...

In June, Community Link opened its seventh Community Integrated Living Arrangement (CILA), which is a small group home providing 24-hour supervision for the residents. This is the third home in Breese with other homes located in Aviston, Carlyle, Germantown, and Highland. Each home has five to eight residents and the homes are located in neighborhoods close to community services and activities.

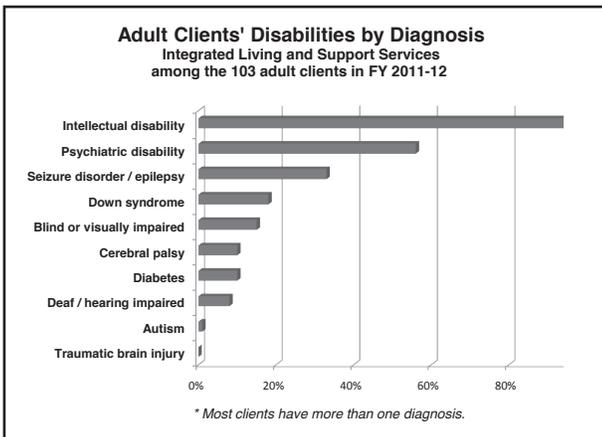
Staff provides assistance and support for each person based upon their individual needs and desires. All persons are encouraged to participate in the daily activities of living in their own home including responsibility for room care, personal possessions, sharing of household chores, and assisting with meals. Individualized assistance is given for medication management and financial assistance. ❖



Residents pictured sitting eating lunch 1 to r: Terry Gerstner, Bill Kopsic, Mike Schrage, Ron Bequette, and Ashley Stoffel, team leader for the new home.

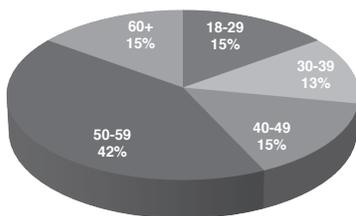
Let us "WOW" You!

Branson, MO was the choice this year for the annual vacation taken in June by program participants in the Intermittent CILA program(s). Stone Castle Motel was their first destination. This year's events included a dinner and show at Clay Cooper's Dinner/Theater, a tribute to Red Skelton, a show by Todd Oliver & Friends at the Americana, and a Brady Lunch with Barry Williams. That's not to mention trips to the outlet mall, arcade fun and GoKart riding. Needless to say, it was a quiet bus ride home. Thanks again to Brad Albers, Community Link's personal bus driver from Zee Express. ❖



Community Integrated Living

Ages of Residents
FY 2011-12



CILA small-group homes: seven (7)
Sites: Aviston, Breese (3), Carlyle, Germantown, Highland
Number of CILA residents: 39 served (5-8 per home)

Broadening Opportunities . . . FUSION participants answer the call to volunteer

FUSION stands for Finding Unique Services by Individualizing Opportunities and Needs. FUSION host organizations welcome Community Link participants as active members and/or volunteers. This past year, host organizations included the following:

- American Cancer Society, Highland
- Breese Junior Women's Club
- Chakota Therapeutic Horse Ranch
- Clinton County Humane Society
- Knights of Columbus, Carlyle Council #1382
- Retirement, Nursing & Rehabilitation Centers:
 - Aviston Countryside Nursing Home
 - Hitz Memorial, Alhambra
- U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

Developmental Training... breaking down barriers...



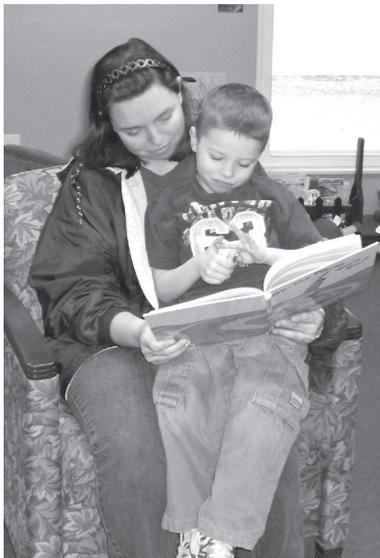
Healthier Holthaus (l) volunteers for Bickl's demonstration during the training session.

Bully Prevention Training Conducted

On March 13, 2012, program participants gathered to attend a training presented by Sharon Bickl, a SAFE Educator and a member of the Board of Directors at Community Link.

The topic of the session was bullying. Sharon explained to the group what bullying is and how words can hurt others. The individuals participated in the session with questions and suggestions of how to deal with a bully. Further training sessions in social and independent living skills are being planned to enrich the program participants' knowledge on protecting and advocating for themselves. ❖

The Places Katie Can Go



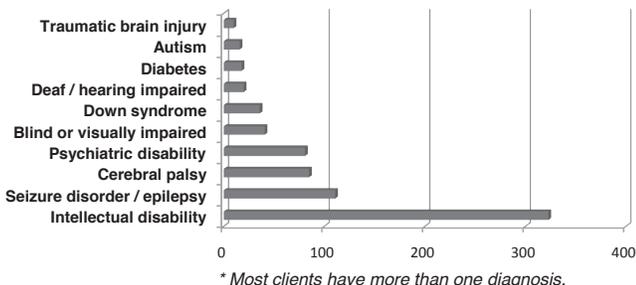
Katie Bunt, a CL program participant, loves children and has always wanted to work at a day care center. In order for Katie to fulfill her dream, she and her program manager, Angela Zurliene, sat down and discussed possible options. Angela spoke with the site leader at Siblings and Company day care in Breese, and an opportunity for Katie to volunteer arose. On March 2, 2012, in honor of the famous Dr. Seuss' birthday, Katie and Angela read, "Oh the Places You'll Go" to the pre-k students and assisted with two activities. ❖

DT Classes Think Outside the Box



In June consumers in the CL Breese Day Training West site took a trip to Foppe Ace Hardware store in Breese in search of flowers and plants. The plants were arranged in flowerbeds and pots around the gazebo and patio at the West site. The class discussed the proper care for gardening and the various tools used to plant the flowers.

Adult clients' disabilities by condition
among the 332 adult clients in FY 2011-12



Adults Receiving Services by County
FY2011-12

Clinton County	53%
St. Clair County	39%
Madison County	7%
Washington County	0.5%
Bond County	0.5%

Total Adult Day participants, past year: 332

Total days of service provided, past year: 246

Total hours of day services provided, past year: 370,812

Program participants strive to meet community needs...

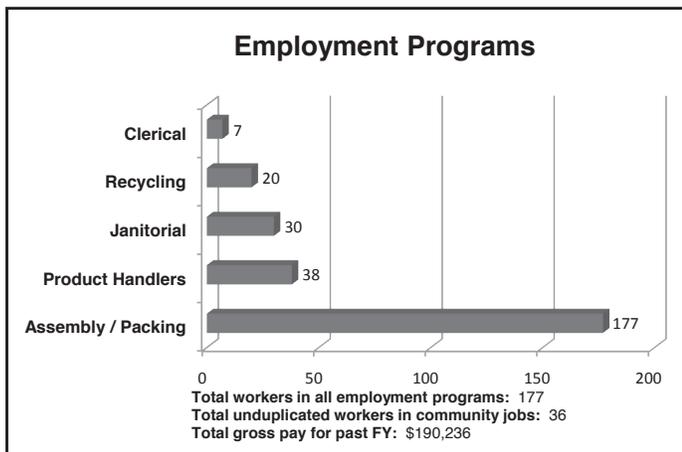
CL continues to offer opportunities for households and businesses to “Go Green”. We offer curbside services in Breese and business pick up to all the businesses in Clinton County. CL continues to provide village pick up to Beckemeyer, Damiansville, and Germantown. ❖



Donna Gruenenfelder unloading business recycling bins.

CL Recycling Program provides the following:

- 577 households with curbside services
- Recycling pick up for 30 businesses
- Employment for 8 part-time individuals with developmental disabilities
- Employment for 4 part-time drivers
- In FY11-12 we have increased recycling by 83 ton, and 28 households.



One of CL's new contracts included assembling clips that will be installed on windshields of SUVs. Jennifer Eide is working on assembling those clips.

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July 1 – October 1, 2012

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Selections From Our Wish List

First Step

- Landscaping rock
- Plants/flowers for landscaping
- Gift cards: Walmart, gas cards, local establishments
- Digital cameras (1 or 2)
- SD cards for digital cameras
- Vinyl picnic table cloths

ADP West

- SURE TEMP Plus thermometer
- Overhang over client entrance
- Lounge furniture
- Energy efficiency review
- Finish landscape project, includes labor & plants/materials
- Canvas for art
- Stereo system in cafeteria

Aviston CILA

- Ceiling fan with light
- Treadmill
- Patio furniture

Breese 245 CILA

- Kitchen table & chairs

- Exercise equipment

Breese 373 CILA

- New living room chair

Breese 555 CILA

- Garage
- Freezer
- Basketball pole/net

Carlyle CILA

- Kitchen cabinets

Germantown CILA

- Bedroom flooring

Production Workshop

- 2 pallet jacks
- iPad(s)
- Cricut supplies
- Clay flower pots
- Art supplies
- Exercise equipment

Fairview Heights Metro

- Patio furniture
- Patio umbrellas

- Flat screen TV for lunch room
- Microphone/Karaoke

Recreational Items

- Use of condo or cabin
- Hotel certificates
- Cardinals tickets
- Patio furniture & planters
- BBQ grills
- Lawn chairs & coolers
- Garden tools
- Basketball poles/nets
- Pool tables
- Theater tickets
- Karaoke machine
- Card tables & chairs

Other needs agency-wide

- Asphalt for parking lots

To see our entire wish list, request a copy from Monica at (618) 526-3929.



FY 2011-2012 Donor Roll

With Gratitude

This Donor Roll honors the funders, businesses, organizations and individuals who have made it possible for the Agency to serve nearly 550 individuals and their families on an ongoing basis (and hundreds more with occasional services) during the 12 months ended June 30, 2012. In an era of diminished government funding, our not-for-profit charitable organization increasingly relies on community support. To each of you, we are grateful for your gener-

ous support. To those who have asked to be listed as anonymous, please know that your giving is much appreciated. To those we may have inadvertently omitted, we offer our sincerest apologies, ask your understanding, and invite you to let us know about the omission, so we may adjust our records and recognize your contribution. Thank you again for transforming disabilities into possibilities!

IN APPRECIATION OF OUR DONORS

July 1, 2011 through June 30, 2012

FEDERAL/STATE GRANTS

- Early Head Start Continuation Grant
- Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity (business recycling award)
- Illinois Department of Transportation Combined Vehicle Procurement Program (van & 15 passenger para transit)
- Title XX Early Intervention / Regular Work

CONSOLIDATED CAMPAIGN FUNDING

- Combined Federal Campaign (CFC)
- United Way of Greater St. Louis (allocation)
- United Way of Greater St. Louis (supplemental allocation)

FOUNDATION GRANTS

- Employees Community Fund of Boeing St. Louis (dental care)
- Junior Service Club of St. Clair County (picnic tables for Metro location)
- Suburban Journals Old Newsboys Day

LOCAL GOVERNMENT GRANTS

- Clinton County 708 Mental Health Board (programming & services)
- St. Clair County 708 Mental Health Board (art therapy program)
- HealthMatters CAP (wellness grant)



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Community Link's 16th Annual Golf Scramble, held June 23rd at Bent Oak Golf Course, scored \$11,000 thanks to the many sponsors, golfers, and in-kind contributors. Pictured l to r: James Rouse, Erik Schwalenberg, Steve Timmermann, and Charlie Drees, golfers of client-sponsored teams.



CL Fairview Heights Metro site celebrated their 4th anniversary on Friday, July 13, 2012. Program participants and staff enjoyed a day filled with numerous festivities. It was a marvelous day with laughter, friendship, and memories.



Huge baseball fans Steve Timmermann (l) and David Dalhaus (r), residents of a CL CILA home, were treated to a St. Louis Cardinals game thanks to a donor who viewed the wish list items. Their enthusiasm for the game is clear. Steve and David enjoyed an evening full of excitement, food, and entertainment.



At Community Link's 6th Annual Buddy Walk held April 21st at Carlyle Lake, the top fundraising team (pictured above) for the second year in a row was Team Torino – Strides for Steve Timmermann raising over \$4,410. The event brought in over \$19,000 in gross proceeds.



With over 500 people registered for the Buddy Walk, 300 more than last year, the Clinton County Parrott Head Club grilled hot dogs for the supporters, hungry after their walk. Pictured from left to right are: Carl Wessling, Erin Niemeyer, Carie Tebbe, Jim Taylor, Jen Weinker, and Madi Jo Lammers.



Buddy Walk Team BEST poses for a group picture. BEST stands for "Breese East Staff Team". They held a first ever bake sale raising over \$350 in one day for the event.

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Mallory Wessling, resident at the CL Aviston group home enjoys gardening. The residents with the help of the Clinton County Parrot Head Club have planted vegetables to use in preparation of their meals.



CL FUSION program participants volunteered on May 10th at a Quarter Auction held in Collinsville to benefit the Chakota Therapeutic Horse Ranch in Germantown. L to r: Mike, Matt, Sean, Sandra, and David helped set up displays, assisted vendors in unloading their wears and showed items during the auction.



Kathy Campa (l) and Margie Abert (r), staff members, surprised Bernice Fruend, a participant in our Specialized Services Program, with a small gathering in honor of her 81st birthday. She celebrated with a luncheon and gifts as well as being pampered with a manicure.



First Step encourages father involvement with an annual fishing expedition. Jaden Hernandez (l) and his father Demetrius (r) attended this year's event that was held at Mill Pond in the Nashville Memorial Park, Nashville, IL, which hosted 53 parents and children, as well as 8 staff and 4 volunteers.



Allen Korte (pictured) prepares for work as he shows off the new floor in his bedroom. The residents of CL's Highland group home are enjoying an update to their family home, thanks to the Korte family donation. New wood floors were installed in the living room and Allen's bedroom.



David Richards (l) delivers the finished product of 25,000 bags for distribution to visitors at the National Rifle Association show in St. Louis. This contract employed 28 individuals.

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A choir comprised of CL program participants sang at the 40th Anniversary Gala event held on May 20, 2012 at Hidden Lake Winery. Jackie Toennies and Lisa Smith, staff and choir directors, had them memorize, rehearse, and sing "The Way You Love Me" and "Lean on Me". Members of the choir include: Hanna Laminack, Larry Acord, Michelle Peters, Karen Potts, Jamie Weber, Katie Bunt, Jessica Merrick, Tom Deien, Alvin Hacker, Mallory Wessling, Alex Morrison, and Kathy Wempe. The group received a standing ovation for their performance.



Mark Schomaker, program participant, gets to choose the winner of the staff with the most sales for the Get Out of Town Raffle held for the 40th Anniversary Gala Event. The Get Out of Town Raffle was the brain child of Lisa Rehkemper, CL IT Coordinator and Gala Committee member, and netted \$5,000 for the event. The prizes of the raffle were a 2 night stay in Chicago, 3 nights stay in Branson, or 1 night stay in St. Louis. The winners were announced the evening of the Gala.



James Rouse (l), a program participant of CL, delivered a moving speech at the Clinton County Parrot Head Club 5th Annual Spring Phling on February 25, 2012. Pictured with James is Todd Peppenhorst (r), CCPHC President.

Remembering Our Friends...

Margaret "Peggy" Hodel

60, of New Baden, IL, passed away on January 11, 2012. Peggy participated in the Adult Day Training program at the Breese West site. She was a resident of Specialized Living Center in Swansea, IL.

Helen Wright

47, of New Baden, IL, passed away on March 14, 2012. Helen participated in the Adult Day Training program at the Breese West site. She was a resident of Clinton Manor Living Center in New Baden, IL.

Ruth Ann Cherry

50, of Salem, IL, passed away on June 12, 2012. Ruth Ann participated in the Adult Day Training and work training programs at the Breese East site. She was a resident of Aviston Terrace in Aviston, IL.

Helen "Joannie" Snyder

77, of Trenton, IL, passed away on June 30, 2012. Joannie participated in the Adult Day Training program at the Breese West site. She was a resident of Oakview Home in Trenton, IL.

Steven J. Ferguson

45, of Swansea, IL, passed away on July 1, 2012. Steve participated in the Adult Day Training program at the Fairview Heights Metro site. He was a resident of Specialized Living Center in Swansea, IL.

Tom Marti

56, of Highland, IL, passed away on September 21, 2012. Tom participated in the Adult Day Training and work training programs at the Breese East and West sites. He lived with his family in Highland, IL.

Judith Ragsdale

47, of Swansea, IL, passed away on September 25, 2012. Judy participated in the Adult Day Training work program at the Fairview Heights Metro site. She was a resident of Specialized Living Center in Swansea, IL.

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