



The CWTC Insider

A Message From Patti

Dear friends of CWTC,

One of the things that we are most proud of is the choices that we offer to our consumers regarding their vocational and residential programs. Every consumer and family member have the right to choose the services that best suit their needs.

Vocationally, we offer a community placement program with job coaching support, an organizational employment program where our consumers work at CWTC completing sub-contract packaging for businesses, and community integration services.

Residentially, we offer group homes with 24 hour supervision and apartment/Independent living with intermittent support service.

We encourage consumers, family members, and the community to continue to support and advocate for their individual needs and to stand up for choices.

Thanks for your continued support,

Patti Gratton



Consumer Spotlight

Phillip has worked at CWTC and lived at a CWTC community living facility in Chillicothe since 1986. Phillip has a smile that can light up a room. He likes meeting new people and enjoys life to the fullest. He has many interests such as bowling and playing in two dart ball leagues. He also likes vacationing with his family. You can't help but be in a good mood when Phillip is around!



It's Gardening Time!

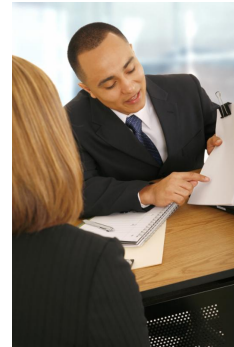
We are continuing to "grow" our garden program. The program provides CWTC consumers the opportunity to become involved at a variety of levels from therapeutic recreation outlets to developing job skills leading to employment opportunities. Fostering healthy lifestyles for participants



and the community is a part of the program. If you would like to volunteer or donate, get more information [HERE!](#)

Planned Giving

There are a wide variety of ways you can get involved with CWTC. One of the ways is by leaving a legacy to CWTC. A planned gift can be as simple as naming CWTC as a beneficiary in your will, trust, IRA, or insurance policy. Consult with your financial advisor to come up with the best strategies for leaving a legacy that helps to ensure CWTC will continue providing services to adults with disabilities for many years to come. for more ways to help, visit [HERE](#).



Looking for Volunteers?

CWTC consumers volunteer at over 10 sites throughout the year and we are looking for more opportunities to partner with our community. Among the places we volunteer is Sam's Animal shelter in Hanna City. While our consumers enjoy giving back to their community, they grow through the work experience, gaining valuable jobs skills and opportunities. If you're looking for eager and enthusiastic volunteers, call Jen Shadowens at 309-686-3300 or email her [HERE!](#)

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Every little bit helps!

CWTC is seeking employees that are looking for a rewarding job. Available positions are listed [HERE](#) and you can download an application [HERE!](#)

DATES to REMEMBER!

CWTC Pathway Awards Dinner & Auction

Tuesday, September 11, 2018

Embassy Suites Hotel & Conference Center
East Peoria, IL

CWTC Make A Scarecrow – Make a Difference!

Saturday, September 29, 2018

CWTC Parking Lot
3215 N University Street
Peoria, IL

2019 CWTC Super Trivia Challenge!

Friday, January 18, 2019

Embassy Suites Hotel & Conference Center
East Peoria, IL

Sponsorships and donations provide much-needed funding to CWTC's events and offer wonderful branding opportunities for your business or organization. To donate or become a sponsor, contact Rick Stephenson at 309-686-3300.

Mission Statement

Our Central Illinois organization provides programs and services to adults with disabilities; enriching their quality of life, promoting social change, and optimizing their potential for independence.

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