



## The CWTC Insider

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### A Message From Patti

Dear friends of CWTC,

In 2020, CWTC is celebrating 60 years of service to adults with disabilities in the central Illinois area, providing them the tools to live, work and grow in their community. We started with 13 consumers and 1 staff member. Today we serve 450 individuals on an annual basis and employ 110 staff members.

CWTC has enjoyed a 60 year relationship with Caterpillar, providing work opportunities for adults with disabilities. Today, over 175 individuals work on this contract. We also value our other community business partners that have hired over 60 individuals with disabilities in the past year, embracing diversification in their work force.

Additionally, we operate 17 residential facilities in the central Illinois area, with our first facility opening in 1976. These programs provide training and supports designed to assist the persons served in achieving independence in a home environment.

We are so excited to be celebrating and sharing our story of how CWTC has been working to maximize the independence of adults with disabilities for 60 years.

Thank you for supporting CWTC for 60 years!!!

My best,

Patti Gratton



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### Consumer Spotlight



Mary Beth is in the Consumer Spotlight this month. Mary Beth joined CWTC in 1997. She lives in one of CWTC's residential facilities and cleaning her apartment is at the top of her "favorite things to do" list! Mary Beth also likes taking walks and going out to dinner with her sister and brother-in-law. She also enjoys watching TV, noting that Hallmark movies are her favorite. Mary Beth packages parts for Caterpillar, likes being part of a team and earning a salary while gaining self-confidence.

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**Super Trivia Challenge Kicks Off 60th Anniversary!**

We kicked off our 60th Anniversary with a huge turnout for our annual "Super Trivia Challenge" Friday, January 10<sup>th</sup> at the Par-A-Dice Hotel & Casino!

Thank you to everyone who came out and made it a very special evening. You can certainly look forward to many more things to happen as we celebrate our Diamond Anniversary. We appreciate your support of CWTC and adults with disabilities!

You can see pictures from the night [HERE!](#)



Thank you to our sponsors!



## Like & Follow CWTC on Social Media!

Stay in touch with CWTC every day. Of course, our website continues to be a source for information on programs and services for our consumers, as well as opportunities for you to get involved. CWTC is also involved on other social media platforms including Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and LinkedIn. Just click on the icons below and be sure to "Like" or "Follow Us" to stay in touch with everything we're doing here and in the community. We appreciate YOUR support of adults with disabilities!



CWTC is always looking for dedicated and hard-working employees to fill a variety of opportunities in Residential Support, Employment Services, Contract Packaging and others. If you know someone looking for meaningful employment, we would love to talk with them about a rewarding job at CWTC. You can download an application, see available positions and read more about CWTC employment requirements [HERE!](#)

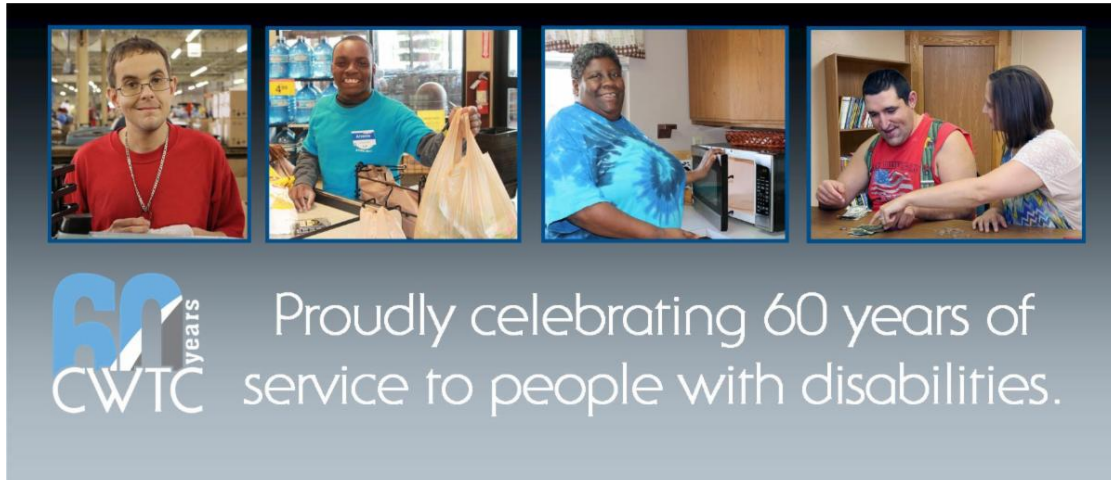
**DATE to REMEMBER!**

**CWTC Bowl-A-Thon**  
Saturday, March 7, 2020  
Landmark Lanes, Peoria, IL

**CWTC Pathway Awards Dinner**

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 Carla Jockisch at 309-686-3300.

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### 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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