

# LIVE - WORK - GROW The CWTC Insider

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#### A Message from Patti

Dear friends of CWTC,

March is Developmental Disabilities Awareness month. What does that mean? It is important for organizations like CWTC to celebrate the accomplishments of adults with disabilities and try to promote this to our central Illinois community. Usually, I use the monthly newsletter as an opportunity to share some inspiration. What better way to tell our story or be inspired than to introduce you to some of our truly awesome consumers and fantastic support staff that assist our consumers every day.



Thank you for your continued support of CWTC, where people with disabilities, live, work and grow!

All my best,

Patti



**Steve** moved to a CWTC residential facility in October of 2010. His vision for the future is to live in his own apartment. He is working towards this goal by preparing meals for himself, budgeting his money and planning his leisure activities with the assistance of staff. Additionally, Steve is learning vocational skills as he works on the Caterpillar contract at CWTC.

**William** is a member of our janitorial crew at the Federal Building and U.S Courthouse in Peoria. While on this contract, he is learning new skills, interacting with the courthouse staff and continuing his quest for independence. William also attends ICC, where he has been on the President's list for the past 3 semesters. He will soon be speaking with our Employment Readiness class participants and is anxious to be a peer mentor. William loves to cook healthy meals and try new recipes!



**Elaine** recently celebrated her 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary living at her CWTC residence in Pekin. Throughout the years she has significantly increased her independent living skills. Not only has she improved her communication, laundry and housekeeping skills, she has also mastered various card games, which she enjoys playing with her peers. She is an avid 80's music lover and loves to sing the top hits from this era.



**Ashten** has been with CWTC as a staff member since June of 2018. She works with our consumers in our day training area providing instruction on daily living skills, safety, and work skills. She is energetic, enthusiastic and is truly dedicated to the individuals here at CWTC. Thanks to Ashten for all she does to assist our individuals in maximizing their potential for independence!



A fun night that will surely sell out! Sign up today!



## Stay Up-to-Date on Social Media

There is so much going on at CWTC with some exciting things in the works for Spring. Our website continues to be a source of information for programs and services we provide to our consumers, as well as ways for you to get involved. We would also like you to join us on our social media sites 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. We appreciate YOUR support of CWTC and adults with disabilities!





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