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Dear Clients and Caregivers,

This is a yearend review of many of the activities and highlights of 2015. We have so much to be thankful for this year and want to thank you all for being a part of it.

Our addition to the building began in May of 2015. We now have a new activity room, office, staff bathroom and washing facilities for the towels and bibs we use throughout the day.







We recognized the following events early in the year...

In February we wore red for Heart Disease. March we all wore our Phillies Jersey's, t-shirts, pajamas to celebrate Opening Day of Baseball. April was Autism Awareness month. We also celebrated Easter with many festivities. We hosted an Easter breakfast for the caregivers and clients, had an Easter Egg Hunt and sold Easter Flowers to support the Client Activity Fund.



We honored our nurses; Cyndi and JJ; in May. We are so grateful to have them on staff everyday with us.

Bon Homie recognized our Nursing Assistants in June celebrating all the great work they do at our center. Activities that took place throughout the week were a Scavenger Hunt, Puzzles and games and we ended the week with Music and Dancing. Bon Homie appreciates everything our nursing assistants do – they are what makes our program so successful.

Prom was held in May. It was a Castle Themed Event. "Through the years" was our theme song. All guest where introduced by participating in the Royal Promenade, Michael Kropp entertained the attendees for the first hour and our JJ, DJ'd a dance party the second hour. We ended the prom with the Crowning of the Royal Court. What a wonderful time for all who were able to attend.









September was a big month for us as we celebrated Adult Day Care Week. This year we celebrated with a Zoo Theme. Some of the events and festivities that took place were:

- Our Annual Bake Off
- Bake Sale to raise funds for Client activity fund
- Annual Basket Raffle to support the client activity fund.
- Art Projects by our clients were on display.
- Elmwood Zoo visited twice to accommodate the number of clients we had.
- Outside Games supported by the parents group.
- The week ended with our fabulous Talent Show; organized and directed by JJ.



Karen, a member of the parents group helped with the bake sale.



Art projects were on display for Visitors to see.





Look us up on Facebook to see additional photos of all the events that occurred throughout 2015.

Elmwood Zoo on Wheels Came.







We hosted our holiday party in December; many families joined us for entertainment in the morning and the luncheon that followed.

We continue to have Michael Kropp and Classic Touch come in on a quarterly basis to entertain us with their music. We also continue to have the music therapist in twice a month along with pet therapy.

## New Activities that were introduced this year:

Chair Dancing with Holly once a month. Vivian, our new piano player who will be out the first Wednesday of the month.

We opened a gift store. Instead of winning bingo prizes clients win tickets. These tickets allow them to purchase items at the store. The store is open twice a month at this point and is run by the clients.

We also have a new washer and dryer. Some of the clients will have the opportunity to help us wash the bibs and towels that are used throughout the day if they are interested.

Sewing club is a new club that has been started. Horticulture, cooking, yearbook, outreach and choir are clubs that continue to meet twice a month.





Karaoke is an activity that many of the clients are enjoying as well as the new "Hockey Equipment". A great gross motor activity.

Fox Rehabilitation continues to work in our building offering physical & Occupational therapy to our clients.

Bon Homie celebrated its  $23^{rd}$  Anniversary on November 1, 2015. We currently serve 72 clients throughout the week.

Thank you to all the families and caregivers for your support throughout the year.