

# Community Ties North October 2024 Newsletter



### Headlines

In September we had many exciting events. Our Miracle Popper volunteers were featured in the Hurley Medical Center newsletter where they were praised for their contribution to the community. We had a Connect, Protect & Serve luncheon with officers from the Saginaw Police Department. There was a question-and-answer session, and they treated us to a delicious taco buffet. Our Disco BBQ had us up and dancing to some of our favorite nostalgic music and taking pictures with funny props. We had an exciting outing to the Wilderness Trail Zoo, where they have over 50 different species of animals. We are looking forward to sweater weather and new fall activities in the coming month.





## **Special Outings Offered**

Johnson's Pumpkin Farm
Thomas Township Nature Center
Spirit Halloween
Bayne's Apple Valley
Stepping Stone Falls

If there is an outing that requires money, we will send a note home

## **Program Closures**

Oct. 18 - Staff Meeting

## October Birthday

Richard

### **Contact Us**

As always, if you have any questions, comments, or concerns please feel free to contact us.
We would love to help!

Main Number (989) 272-7208

Jennifer (CTN Supervisor) (989) 793-3600

Melissa (Program Coordinator) (989) 797-3456

### Meet the Staff



Anna has been working as an Activity Aide at CTN for two months. Her favorite part of her job is getting to know the people that we serve. She has been working hard attending university to obtain her bachelor's degree in psychology. In her spare time, she enjoys reading and spending time with her family. Her motto is "Live life to the fullest." Her daughter is her favorite person because she always inspires her to keep going and make life good.





We are requesting your help in returning any clothing that may have come from CTN. Unfortunately, at this time we do not have any clothing for emergency use. Please make sure that your individual has at least one change of clothing at CTN at all times. Also, any donations would be greatly appreciated.



As we get into the cold winter season, it is very important that all individuals come to program dressed appropriately. This includes coats, hats, gloves, scarves, boots, and shoes. Please make sure that all personal clothing items are labeled so we can make sure they return home with the correct individual.



Please remember to listen to radio stations WGER 106.3 FM, WSGW 790 AM, WCEN 94.5 FM, or WTLZ 107.1 FM or watch WJRT TV12, WNEM TV5, or WEYI 25 to monitor weather conditions. The message on the screen should read, "Saginaw County Community Mental Health Transportation is cancelled." You may also dial (989)272-7000 for up-to-date closure information.



As we are concerned for the safety of everyone, especially during inclement weather and bad road conditions, please call (989) 272-7208 to let CTN know if your individual is not going to attend program for any reason.

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Monday	Tuesday		Wednesday		Thursday		Friday	
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	Johnson's Pumpkin Farm		Hurley - Miracle Poppers		GHS Vista Center		Spirit Halloween	
	CTN - scrapbooking		Thomas Twp. Nature Center	ŀ	Cultivate Coffee & Tea		Saginaw Children's Zoo	
			CTN - exercise		CTN - games	(	CTN - arts & crafts	
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GHS Vista Center - exercise	Bayne's Apple Valley		Hurley - Miracle Poppers		Stepping Stone Falls		Bay City State Park -	
Bridgeport Public Library	Cultivate Coffee & Tea		Thomas Twp. Nature Center	ŀ	Saginaw Children's Zoo		Visitor's Center	
CTN - music & trivia	Grocery shopping		CTN - Cooking Class	ŀ	CTN - YouTube exercises		Hoyt Public Library	
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Petsmart	Spirit Halloween		Cultivate Coffee & Tea	ŀ	GHS Vista Center		CTN	
Midland Mall	Fall color tour		Thomas Twp. Nature Center	ŀ	Junction of Hope		Closed	
CTN - writing skills	Saginaw Children's Zoo		CTN - Wii games		CTN - picture collages		Staff Training	
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GHS Vista Center - exercise	Montrose Orchards		Hurley - Miracle Poppers		Delta Pool		Spirit Halloween	
Castle Museum	Bridgeport Public Library		Thomas Twp. Nature Center		Fall color tour	ŀ	Cultivate Coffee & Tea	
CTN - exercise	CTN - coffee & tea					(	CTN - scrapbooking	
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SVSU - sculpting class	Saginaw Children's Zoo		Thomas Twp. Nature Center					
Cultivate Coffee & Tea	Volunteers of America		Johnson's Pumpkin Farm		Halloween Party			
CTN - games	CTN - cardio drumming		Goodwill		(lunch will be provided)			
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Outings are subject to change due to weather, staffing, and what the individuals choose to participate in each day.