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OUR SUMMER OF FUN

What a summer it has been at Jacob's Village! These pictures give you just a peek at the fun our residents have had, and the variety of activities they've participated in: everything from karaoke at Casino Aztar to greeting Honor Flight veterans on their return to the Evansville Airport. Thanks to the spacious new community center the popular Christian Day Camp, hosted annually by Concordia Lutheran Church, was held comfortably indoors right here at Jacob's Village. Grand Funk Railroad at the Lincoln Amphitheatre and an especially fun trip to Holiday World took residents outside the local area; Drums on the Ohio, the EVSC summer musical, the Frog Follies and Otters games let them enjoy what their own Evansville community has to offer. Residents stayed active with Buddy Ball (an assisted style of baseball) at Castle High School and the fundraiser "Walking for Dreams", which benefitted not just Jacob's Village but 20 non-profit organizations. And here at home, residents watched the eclipse, played Bingo, had cookouts and enjoyed time with their friends, in their homes, in the community center, and outside on the beautiful Village grounds. The fall season and the approaching holidays promise even more activity and enjoyment for the residents. You're welcome to come out and tour the community anytime - just call the office at 812.963.5198.



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WELCOME OUR NEWEST RESIDENTS

With the completion of our third men's home, Jacob's Village was pleased to welcome four new residents this past year; they joined fifteen other residents in our group homes, as well as the sixteen residents in the senior living apartments. 7400 Jacob's Village Drive and making new friends. Jeremy K. enjoys being outdoors and loves is now home to Jeremy K., Jason H., Adam K., and Kurtis S. Here is to play basketball. The four men are an especially good fit for each a little bit of information about our newest residents.

a great dancer, and we all know that you want to look good when you are making your moves on the dance floor! Adam K. enjoys

volunteering his time at Weinzapfel's Tavern in Mt. Vernon, where he is a regular with many friends. Sociable Kurtis S. likes being out and about in the community, taking part in activities, chatting other: they all work at Easter Seals of Posey County and participate in the walking club, and also compete in the Special Olympics in the Jason H. loves to cook, and he loves to dress up – maybe because he's bowling and cornhole divisions. We expect to see them teaming up and encouraging each other at the next Special Olympics event!



Jason H.

Jeremy K.

Kurtis S.

Men enjoying Fall Festival treats.

PATRIOTIC SOUL DONATES TIME AND TALENT TO OUR RESIDENTS

We wanted to offer a big thank-you to the band Patriotic Soul for their generous donation of time as they continue to share their musical gifts with the Jacob's Village residents. The band has played three concerts for the residents and their families, and the music and entertainment was thoroughly enjoyed by all who attended. Check out the Jacob's Village Facebook page for great videos of our dancers in action. Thank you Patriotic Soul!

Adam K.



JACOB'S VILLAGE AWARDED VALUABLE NAP TAX CREDITS

By making a donation to Jacob's Village (\$100 or greater), you will have a tax credit for \$50 (or half of whatever you have donated over be able to utilize Neighborhood Assistance Program Tax Credits allowing you to get half of your contribution back as a TAX CREDIT on your Indiana taxes next spring, with the option of also claiming \$50 back! If you also file an itemized federal tax return, you can also the entire gift as a deduction on your itemized federal tax return. Not then claim a deductible contribution of the entire \$100, which will only will you get a great break on your taxes next April; you'll provide funding for the agency. This means that your gift will be worth more \$50 or LESS! What counts as a contribution? Cash, checks, stocks, than twice as much as it actually costs you. Here's an example: If securities, or certain stationary building materials are permitted you give a gift of \$100, you will make a check out to Jacob's Village for the whole amount. Along with the contribution, you'll complete some paperwork that we will send into the state on your behalf. Several weeks later, the state will send you a letter that indicates you

\$100). That means, when it comes time to pay your state taxes next April, you will pay \$50 less; or if you don't owe anything, you'll get save you even more. So your \$100 gift will actually only cost you contributions. Contact Info: If you are interested in participating by donating to Jacob's Village through the NAP program, please call Laura Hurt, Development Director at 812.598.4122.

St. Joseph Elementary School Hosts 11th Annual Halloween Party

The annual Halloween party hosted for us by the 8th grade class of Mrs. Elpers is famous St. Joseph Elementary School, under the direction of their teacher for her generosity Mrs. Mary Kay Elpers, just took place for the 11th year in a row! in giving candy to This is a long-standing event that our residents look forward to every the winners of the year, and this year's party was no exception! various games, and there is always plenty Jacob's Village and St. Joseph School have a long and close history. for everyone to Resident Scott Huck often provides a Disability Awareness Program share. And students to the entire St. Joseph student body and in turn, the school invites make sure that our our residents to watch their fall & spring musicals and plays. Eleven residents who can't be at the party aren't left out - they leave behind years ago, Mrs. Elpers pumpkins, candy and other reminders to make everyone feel part of suggested that she the day.



and her students come to the Village on a Halloween field trip. The trip is an interactive service project for the 8th grade students, and

they spend many hours preparing for it. Students paint individual pumpkins for each of our residents, (including those who will be at daily routines and work or otherwise unable to join us at the party itself) plan games often have time for and craft projects, and often prepare for a rousing game of Charades, a tour of the nature when they try (not too hard) to stump our residents with their trail, a highlight of their trip. While the party is generally only two interpretations of characters and events. And of course, no Halloween hours long, the memories last a lifetime. party would be complete without candy - lots and lots of candy.

BOOK YOUR TRIVIA NIGHT TABLE TODAY!

Trivia Nights have become very popular around the Evansville Ivy Room at SWIRCA and experience an exciting night of trivia area, with Jacob's Village boasting one of the largest. During a and a delicious BBQ chicken meal with cash bar. If you want an trivia night, a master of ceremonies reads trivia questions split up extra special Trivia Night experience pay just \$45/per person and into a variety of different categories or rounds. The questions are your night will include a personal server, front-row seating and then answered by "teams" or "tables," consisting of 8-10 people. delicious dessert for your table. Need Tickets? Contact Laura at At the end of each round, a representative from each team turns 812.598.4122 or email at Lhurt@jacobsvillage.org. There will in its answers to a panel of judges who then calculate the scores be great prizes and a silent auction loaded with fabulous gifts just for each team. The teams compete against one another with the in time for holiday shopping! top three teams receiving great prizes. You play together as a This event sells out each year, team – and trivia buff or not – it is always a great time! so book your table TODAY!



On Saturday, Nov. 18, Jacob's Village will host its 6th annual Trivia Night and we need your support! Rally a group of 8-10 friends, reserve your table and get ready to play as a team! For just \$35/per person you'll join us at the



The field trip is also an opportunity for the St. Joseph students to learn a bit about our residents and how they live. They learn about the residents'



