

ARKAY TAYLOR

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Executive Director: Kevin McGuckin

Program Director: Antoinette "Toni" Nelson

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The Staff That Proudly Serves Our Individuals:

Deborah "Debbie" A.

Marcelline W.

Jennifer "Jenna" K.

James M.

Yolanda D.

Dominique "Nikki" D.

Jacqueline "Jackie" I.

Sade J.



Mission Statement

To assist the Developmentally Disabled and the Elderly Disabled to achieve community inclusion that enhances personal potential, employment opportunities and/or volunteerism.

***If you would like a digital/emailed copy, please let Toni or Megan know**

Program director notes

Hello Everyone, we are finally feeling the heat! I ask that you come to program prepared with plenty of water to drink and a lot of sun screen. We will still be out in the community the same amount of time before the increase of temperatures.

If there is an outing or activity you would like to do on the days you are not scheduled to attend, please make arrangements with myself or Megan to make changes in your schedule.

It will be greatly appreciated for those that are dropped off and picked up are always on time. If you are going to be late, please call and let us know right away. The times are as follows: **Morning half day: 8:30am to 12:00pm**

Afternoon half day: 11:00am to 2:30pm

All day individuals: 8:30am to 2:30pm

We do welcome any **donations** to the program at any time!

Program will be closed on July 4th!

Sincerely,

*Antoinette "Toni" Nelson, BSW
Program Director*

case manager corner

Congratulations to our Job Coaches that are putting their best foot forward or is making the effort to improve their data. Keep up the great work!

Best Data:

Jackie I.- May 2018

Most Improved Data:

Yolanda D.- May 2018

Welcome to the Business Developers Corner:

Hello Everyone,

Once again Business Development is doing raffles! ☺We have a:

*A James McCann #34 Detroit Tigers Bobble Head, with a removable mask. Valued at \$60.00

*A Detroit Tigers Autographed photo of #30 Alex Wilson. Valued at \$50.00.

*A Detroit Red Wings Autographed photo of Jonathan Ericsson, #52. Valued at \$75.00!!

Tickets are: 1 for \$1.00 OR 6 for \$5.00.

The drawing will be held Wednesday July 18th. Must have ticket to redeem.

We wish everyone a happy and safe 4th of July!

Your Business Development Team:

Kyra, Kim, Mark, Megan & Tammy
734-258-8966



Mike T.-7/9

Chantel S.- 7/24

Steven D. 7/16

Angela G. 7/24

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS

JUST A FRIENDLY REMINDER:

Arkay Bowling League:

Arkay Bowling League is starting back up for the summer on August 9th. It will run every Thursday for 14 weeks of bowling and a banquet in the 15th week. The cost is **\$5.00 per week** or **\$70.00 for the entire league**. **You MUST join the league by August 3th if you wish to participate in the entire league. After this date, you can be sub with availability. If you join the league, you must pay for every week of the league even if you are absent. SUBS DO NOT PARTICIPATE IN THE BANQUET!** Please let know as soon as possible that you will like to participate.

Penny Wars Fundraiser:

Let's keep up the Penny War! We will continue the "Arkay Penny War" for the rest of the year, in which we will be in is a competition against all four Arkay programs. Jars are placed at each Arkay program each day. For every penny added to the jar, the program would receive one point. For every nickel, dime, quarter, or dollar added, the location will lose points according to the value of the coin or bill. For an example, if a dollar is put in the jar, 100 points will be lost by the program with the \$1 in their jar. You are allowed to place coins and dollars in any jar you want, so you could make a program with the most points that week lose points. However, make sure you place NOTHING but pennies in your home jar. Points are posted at the end of the first week of each month. A money counting class is held during the counting of the jar! At the end of the year, the program with the most points wins a surprise! **Let's have some FUN!**

Tiffani's Tasty Treat:

Tiffani is still open for business! She is selling different candy selections for a **\$1**, once in the morning and in the afternoon. Help her reach her goal she sets for herself.

We are here to assist the individuals of Arkay, staff, caregivers, and the MCPN's. Their outcomes, accomplishments, and success are only met with group effort.

WE ARE ACCEPTING DONATIONS OF ANY KIND (napkins, plates, cups, silverware, pop, food, paper, arts and craft materials etc.). Thanks in advance for your support!

We would like to thank those who continue to donate towards our van transportation. We will be there to pick you up, if for any reason we need to cancel van transportation, we will call you as soon as possible. **Due to weather conditions and changes that arise, the times may vary for pick up and drop off. PLEASE BE READY BETWEEN 7:45-9:30 am for PICK-UP and DROP OFF WILL BE BETWEEN 2:45-4:30 pm.**