



## Happy Birthday

*Paulette Hydas – January 5*  
*“Bug” Owens – January 7*  
*Terry Patton – January 19*  
*Danny Vandergriff – January 20*  
*Jeff Reynolds – January 20*  
*LaCresha Maddox – January 21*  
*Lottie Farmer – January 23*



**Center Closed  
January 16, 2012**



**Pizza & Pottery Trip  
Date To Be Announced**

**Paperwork Updates Due  
February 15, 2011**



Dear Families & Friends –

Happy New Year. I hope that this newsletter finds each of you happy, healthy and ready for a new year of activities.

We are looking forward to adding some new activities to the program as chosen by our participants. Check out the information inside on Project Linus, an ongoing project we will begin this month.

As always, January is the time when we request updates for our participant's files. An updated medication list and income information is due in the office by February 15, 2012, even if there have been no changes since last year. This request is part of licensing regulations and must be included in each participant's files. If this paperwork fails to be updated, individuals may lose their spot in the program. Included with this newsletter is the paperwork that must be completed.

January is also the time for cold and flu season to take full affect; just as a friendly reminder that in order to maintain a healthy environment for everyone, we ask that those who are sick not to attend the Center and risk infection of others. Individuals must be free of vomiting, diarrhea and fevers for 24 hours before returning to the Program. And those who have excessive coughing, sneezing and drainage, even if fever free should not attend the Center. Thank you so much for you cooperation in this matter, as we strive to protect the health of our participants and staff during the winter months.

Stay



Warm –  
Courtney



**Tammy Baumgardner (participant)**

For the sugar, napkins, and Ziploc bags

**Valerie Hendrix & Gracie**

For spending time with us for pet therapy

**Peggy Lackey (Volunteer Extraordinaire)**

For donating her time and making the best cupcakes

**Joyce Gaines (Volunteer Extraordinaire)**

For donating her time

**John Sullivan (Volunteer Extraordinaire)**

For donating his time and leading cultural studies

**Jerry Preisel (Signal Centers Board Member)**

For playing Santa and donating the delicious turkey for lunch

**EPB Volunteers**

For donating their time to assist with our Christmas lunch

**Rob Henry (Signal Centers Employee)**

For setting up for our Christmas party and assisting with our Christmas lunch

**Signal Centers Board of Directors**

For donating gifts for our Christmas party

**Megan Grant (VISTA Volunteer Coordinator)**

For assisting with our activities and parties all month long

**Carolyn Boyd (Signal Centers Employee)**

For assisting with our Christmas party and serving lunch

**Sally Stroud (Chattanooga Christian Student)**

For assisting with our Christmas Party

***Pet Therapy with Gracie***



***Thank you for joining us for the day***

## 2012 - a year of service

An overwhelming request from our participants this year was to incorporate more activities that gave back to others in need. We are excited to start the year with our first project.



Project Linus is a non-profit organization with a two-fold mission.

*First, it is our mission to provide love, a sense of security, warmth and comfort to children who are seriously ill, traumatized, or otherwise in need through the gifts of new, handmade blankets and afghans, lovingly created by volunteer "blanketeers."*

*Second, it is our mission to provide a rewarding and fun service opportunity for interested individuals and groups in local communities, for the benefit of children.*



*Happy Holidays* 



**FILE PAPERWORK  
UPDATES NEEDED**

It is time once again to update our medication lists and financial information on each of our clients to comply with Adult Day Care licensing requirements.

I know locating this can be a hassle, but with this information, we can provide the best possible care for your family members, as well as meet all the mandatory requirements for Adult Day Care.

We are in need of the following information on each participant:

**Medication List** – Please complete the enclosed form in its entirety with physician’s name, address, and telephone numbers. Even if your family member does not take any medication, we need a sheet in the file that states this.

**Financial Information** – We also need to update each client’s file with a copy of their most recent financial information. This should include a copy of a SSI award letter or a bank statement with the US Treasury deposit transaction highlighted. All other information can be blacked out.

**This information is due by  
February 15, 2012**

If you have question on either of these items please feel free to contact us.

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## Christina Miller

***Please welcome Christina who recently joined our program last month. We are so glad to have you as part of the program.***



### ***WE'RE ON THE LOOKOUT FOR THE FOLLOWING SUPPLIES***

- *Fleece (all colors)*
- *Mod Podge*
- *Glue Sticks*
- *Napkins*
- *Sugar*
- *Scissors (right & left Handed)*
- *Embroidery floss (all colors)*
- *Embroidery hoops*



### ***WE'RE WISHING FOR FOR THE FOLLOWING SUPPLIES***

- *Gift Cards for Art/Craft Supplies from Hobby Lobby, Michael's, or Wal-Mart*