

The weather we have experienced in the Cleveland area this winter may have brought on a short term respiratory illness or an unfortunate fall on the ice. Did you know that skilled nursing and rehabilitative therapies are offered at all 5 O'Neill Healthcare Facilities? Highly skilled and trained nursing and therapy staff are employed by O'Neill Healthcare to provide quality care and treatment in order to quickly and safely get you back home.

If your insurance will not cover a skilled stay, a self- pay respite stay in Assisted Living with access to nursing care and therapy under the same roof is always an option. Assisted Living is offered at Bay Village, Lakewood, North Olmsted and North Ridgeville.

Contact O'Neill Healthcare at (440) 808-5500 and ask for the admissions department for more information and to discuss your personal situation.

February 5<sup>th</sup> is National Weatherman's Day. Let's hope for sunnier skies and warmer temperatures in their forecast!

## Employee of the Month - Shannon Gallagher, STNA



Congratulations Shannon Gallagher STNA on being O'Neill Healthcare North Olmsted's February Employee of the Month. Shannon is a true advocate for the residents and families. Her co-workers look forward to the days she is working as she is a team player. We hear these words thrown around a lot but it's who Shannon is. Shannon grew up with 2 brothers and went to St. Joseph Academy. She is currently working to achieve her goal to become a nurse. She coaches freshman basketball at Magnificat High School with what little spare time she has and serves as a wonderful role model for these young ladies. She enjoys travel and spending time on Kelly's Island. Shannon is kind and compassionate with all the residents but prefers working in the memory support unit. Her advice is to be positive and understanding. "Be aware that everything can change in a second. Whether you are floated to another unit, your assignment changes or your residents' needs change." We are happy to have Shannon on our team. Thank you, Shannon for all your hard work. We appreciate you!

#### O'Neill Healthcare Donor Advised Fund



O'Neill Healthcare has established the O'Neill Healthcare Donor Advised Fund at Community West Foundation as a means to allow residents and/or family to make a tax deductible donation. This Fund is used to benefit current and future employees and residents of our facilities. Your gift provides scholarships for deserving employees at our facilities who are studying in healthcare-related fields. Recipients are selected from those

who apply for degreed or certificate programs in nursing, allied health professions, or healthcare management. Please make checks payable to O'Neill Healthcare Donor Advised Fund, and mail them to 38642 Center Ridge Road, North Ridgeville, Ohio, 44039, or phone (440) 387-5557.



#### Tuesday, February 13 | 3-6:00 p.m. Valentine's Meet & Greet

3rd Floor Community Room Take this opportunity to get to know our new Administrator, Jennifer Horvatin, LNHA, and enjoy a delicious dessert!

#### Thursday, February 22 | 12:00 p.m. "Joint" at the Hip

3rd Floor Community Room Come to hear Jeff Lehner, PT, O'Neill Healthcare North Olmsted Therapy Director, talk about joint therapies.

# We're proud to have you on our TEAM

## HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Congratulations and thank you to the following employees for their years of service

Darleen Caraffi 19 years Robert Popernack 11 years 10 years Adriana Desvari Karen Massaad 9 years Jordan Reisz 8 years Miriam Pena 7 years Mera Al-Raie 2 years 2 years **Grace Jones Emily Slaughter** 2 years **Jaynine Amos** 1 year **Brandy Oates** 1 year Tehya Parker 1 year Nusrah Salti 1 year Sarah Sincerney 1 year

#### Resident of the Month John Lucas - February

John has lived at O'Neill Healthcare North Olmsted for the past 2 and a half years in the assisted living. He grew up in the Allegheny Mountains of Pennsylvania and graduated from Kittaning High School in 1938. During his high school years, he enjoyed playing baseball as well as football. John is a



veteran of the United States Army and served from 1943 -46 during WW2 where he served as a Corporal. He was a platoon leader and received two bronze stars. John and his wife, Helen, were married for 76 years and they had 3 children together. He retired from the US Steel Corporation after 37 years. He enjoys sports and used to enjoy bowling on a league. John can be found singing his way around the assisted living and socializing with others. He likes to attend music performances and he can even be spotted at happy hour chatting with his friends. Congratulations John for being voted as our resident of the month for February!

A SPECIAL NOTE FROM The Caregiver of the

# O'Neill Healthcare HOSPICE

Month Award was given to Sylvia Golsby, a nursing assistant for O'Neill Healthcare Hospice in Bay Village, Ohio. Sylvia's nominator, Ann Crum, says, "She's one of the kindest and most caring

people we have working for us." She also notes that while the facility receives a number of compliments for staff and volunteers, "Sylvia Golsby is one who truly stands out above the rest." Sylvia is recognized for her attentive care for all, and is said to spend countless hours with patients and their families, making sure each and every resident feels special. A mother of nine and a grandmother to four, Sylvia devotes her time to helping others every chance she gets. (Congratulations, Sylvia!) Thank you for your selflessness and hard work!



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## O'Neill Healthcare is in network with Aetna

O'Neill Healthcare facilities are in network with Aetna at all locations starting January 1, 2018.

O'Neill Healthcare specializes in:

- Skilled Nursing
- Assisted Living
- Independent Living
- Rehabilitative Therapies
- · Memory Support
- Dialysis
- Hospice Care

For more information, call O'Neill Healthcare's admissions department at (440) 808-5500.



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### Administrator's Corner

Dear residents and families,

I have spent the last month getting to know many of you and have found everyone to be so welcoming and enthusiastic about O'Neill Healthcare North Olmsted's future. It is with that same enthusiasm that I introduce Jennifer Horvatin as the new Administrator. Her first day with O'Neill Healthcare was January 24<sup>th</sup> after spending the last few years working as an Administrator in the area. She and her husband live in North Ridgeville with their two children, a boy and a girl. O'Neill Healthcare North Olmsted is a special place because of the people, and adding someone like Jennifer will compliment the community so well. Thank you again for your continued trust.



David T. O'Neill, LNHA Regional Administrator



Thank you for the warm welcome! Everyone has been so receptive and kind during my first few days. I'm excited to get to know the residents, their friends and families, and the wonderful staff at O'Neill Healthcare North Olmsted. Please join me at the meet and greet on February 13<sup>th</sup> and enjoy some delicious desserts. I hope to gain several new "valentines". I'm honored to be leading the team as we continue O'Neill Healthcare's tradition of providing excellence and quality care.

Jennifer Horvatin, LNHA Administrator

#### Good Times & Great Memories at O'Neill Healthcare









Our residents have been busy "warming up" for summer during the cold months!