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Wednesday

May 23, 2012

DAILY NEWSLETTER



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CLUBHOUSE UPDATES

NOTE: Passageway will be closed Monday, 5/28 for Memorial Day.

Clubhouse News:

The place is busy with preparations for our Gala 2012 fundraising event on Friday, June 1. In particular, the conference room has been turned into "Creature Central" as people are crafting, sewing, and making creatures for our event.

Clerical News: We will be copying and collating our June newsletter later this week. Copying will begin on Thursday. We will be copying,

and possibly collating, on Friday. We could use your help!

Kitchen News:

John M., Jeffrey T., David B., and Charles L. are fixing a breakfast bar in the kitchen today, featuring biscuits and gravy.

Employment News:

If you are interested in any aspect of employment, either in the TE program or with other employers, our Employment Meetings are held Fridays at 1:15 p.m.

Social Activities:

Next week's out of club activity is a

Walk at Gray's Lake on Tuesday, 5/29. Be here by 3 p.m. Dress comfortably, with comfortable walking shoes, and for the weather. FREE. Remember to sign up 24 hours in advance for all out-of-club activities.

Coffee and Conversation:

Please join us every Friday at 9:30a.m. to 10a.m. for our regular get-together. We offer free coffee, a free treat, and priceless conversation with

New Intern: Eric Rathert
Passageway is pleased to welcome a new intern, **Eric Rathert**. Eric is a Social Work major at UNI. Eric started at Passageway in early March working two day per week. As of Monday, May 7th, he has joined us full time and will work through the end of the summer. Eric joins **Claire Williamson**, who is working Tuesday and Thursday mornings. Please make sure you introduce yourself to Eric and Claire!

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Vocabulary Word of The Day

Word: brass ring

Pronunciation: brass ring

Meaning: noun: A prize or an opportunity for a prize, especially a prestigious one.

Etymology: From the former practice of trying to get a brass ring while riding a carousel. Earliest documented use: late 19th century. A brass ring is quite different from a brass-collar.

Thought Of The Day

The trick is not how much pain you feel- but how much joy you feel.

~ Erica Jong

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Tuesday's Attendance — Total: 27 WOD: 24

SHARED THOUGHTS

Jeffrey T.—It is good to be among friends. Everyone have a great day.

Christine W.—Be the cheerful giver of life, love, and laughter.

Ron G.—Our donation total for the mailing with Jeffrey T.'s story will go over a \$1,000 with today's mail. YAY!

Vanya C.—I had a really good time yesterday at the baseball game.

Eric R.—Looking forward to the 3 day weekend!

Susan M.—It is a wonderful day at the clubhouse. It was fun at the I-Cubs game yesterday.

Marla O.—It is good to be back with friends. It is good to be with people who accept me for who I am. Have a good day.

Gala 2012 "Pandora's Box" Coming Up

Passageway has big plans for our third Art fundraiser this year. The event will be held on Friday, June 1st, 2012 and, for the first time, it will be held somewhere other than here at Passageway. The event is planned at Jasper Winery, which is a lovely facility just south of Water Works Park.

Executive Director Linda Oleson-King, and Board of Directors President E.B. Updegraff are leading the planning efforts, and lots of board members are involved with various parts of the event. If you'd like to help, please contact Linda or E.B.!

MAY SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

Members: Remember to sign up 24 hours in advance for social activities!

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2	3	4	5
		House Planning Mtg. for June—1 pm YMCA 3-4 <i>Play Card / Hearts Tournament and Play Wii Games to get Active</i>	<i>Pella Tulip Festival</i> See info in arrow left. <i>Mid-Afternoon: Make Monsters</i>	Coffee & Conversation 9:30-10 am Employment Mtg. 1:15 pm	Closed
	7	8	9	10	11
	YMCA 3-4 <i>Yoga and Make Crafts: Monsters for Art Event</i>	<i>See Movies Out</i> Be here by 2:45. Bring \$4 plus \$1.50 for popcorn and \$1.50 drinks (small sizes) or extra \$ for regular-sized snacks	Board Meeting—noon YMCA 3-4 <i>Make Mother's Day Cards</i>	<i>Mid-Afternoon: Make Monsters for Art Event</i>	Coffee & Conversation 9:30-10 am Employment Mtg. 1:15 pm
	12	13	14	15	16
					<i>Asian Heritage Fest. FREE.</i> Be here at 11 a.m. Bring \$\$\$ for food, etc. 'til early p.m.
	17	18	19	20	21
	YMCA 3-4 <i>Yoga and Make Crafts: Sock Monsters for Art Event</i>	<i>Play Games and Eat at Incredible Pizza and Arcade</i> Bring \$\$ for games or food. Be here by 3 p.m.	Gateway to Clubhouse—noon House Mtg. 1 pm YMCA 3-4 <i>Play Bingo</i>	<i>Mid-Afternoon: Make Monsters for Art Event</i>	Coffee & Conversation 9:30-10 (Celebrate May B-Days & Anniv.) Employment Mtg. 1:15 pm
	22	23	24	25	26
	Go to I-Cubs Game vs. Tacoma Rainiers Game Time 12:05. Be here by 10:30 a.m. Bring \$6 for admission plus \$\$ for food or souvenirs.	House Mtg. 1 pm YMCA 3-4 <i>Play Board Games</i>	<i>Mid-Afternoon: Make Monsters for Art Event</i>	Coffee & Conversation 9:30-10 am Employment Mtg. 1:15 pm	Closed
	27	28	29	30	31
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On Thursday, 5/3, go to "Tulip Time" in Pella. Be here by 8:30 a.m. Bring \$1.50 for a sack lunch & extra \$\$ for snacks & souvenirs. (Must have endurance to walk around or stand.)

Menu Breakfast Bar

Stress Buster

The only way to have a friend is to be one.

~ Ralph Waldo Emerson

