

NEWSLETTER May 2019 Elkins Rehabilitation & **Care Center**

EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH



Pam Chandler, Dietary Aide

Pam is from East Daily and has been married to Mike Chandler for 40 years. She has two children, Natasha and Michael; three grandchildren, one girl-Chandler Drew, two boys-Major and Raker. She has been a dietary aide for ERCC since December of 2018. She states: "I love the residents!"

APRIL IS OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY MONTH



Occupational Therapy (OT) offers assistance to individuals who face difficulty in eating, dressing, bathing, grooming, and transfers. OT provides Range of Motion (ROM) of the upper body and helps to increase balance and coordination. After an illness, injury, arthritis, developmental aging, or disability, OT also teaches independence in daily living by working on higher level ADL's such as cooking and cleaning in order for individuals to return to their home within their normal routine. Services are provided to our Rehab Department by Odyssey, which is one of the best the county has to offer. Pictured above are: (left) Lindsay Zirkle, OT Clinical Manager, (center) Lona Markley, OT, and (right) Justin Thompson Certified OT Assistant.

"APRIL SHOWERS BRING MAY FLOWERS"



PAINT AND CHAT



Donna Jones, Activity Director coordinated a new evening activity for our residents. On April 9th, there were 7 residents, 2 staff members, and 3 visitors that attended.

This activity was a special activity with Kelli Emfiger, the instructor. The activity has not been scheduled; but will be available again in the future. Pictured below are some of the paintings our attendants accomplished.





















New Hires for April

Morgan Arbogast, CNA
Christy Armstrong, NA
Megan Bowers, CNA
Jeanne Burns, LPN
Shannon Hancock, NA
Anna Lambert, NA
Flisha Poling, CAN
Chasity Shiflett, NA



