

OCTOBER 2019

OCTOBER SPOTLIGHT

PAUL POLING

Paul has been a part of the Carousel Center for 3 years. Paul is a friendly man and enjoys being around his family and friends. Paul is happiest when he goes to the thrift store or when he is collecting cans to take to the recycling center to cash in for money. He has a knack for



recognizing items that are recyclable and worth money. Paul loves sweets. He also enjoys smoking his cigars, and listening to music; his favorite group is "The Beatles" and his favorite song for karaoke is "Uncle Albert." His hobbies include collecting cans, bowling, putting puzzles together, and karaoke. We are glad to have him as a part of the Carousel Family!

SUPPORTED EMPLOYMENT UPDATE

As we welcome in the Autumn season, though we see our weather diminishing, our Supported Employment is seeing nothing but growth and revitalization. We welcomed two new members to the team; Richard B. and Jim M. These two have become vital to our team, and we expect great things from them! As our days get colder, we must again say goodbye to our community partner Knoll Run. We look forward to seeing them again in the spring to clean golf carts! Thank you again, Knoll Run, for your continued support. We would also like to thank our very own Hallie. It was through her work in the community that she was able to help the Supported Employment Program establish a new partnership; The Youngstown Playhouse! This is very special in several ways. First, it gives our team another opportunity to show the high standards of workmanship that we provide. Additionally, we are establishing a connection with an organization that has a deep-rooted tradition in our valley for almost a century; the list could go on and on. This month we also celebrated our partnership with the community kitchen as they were September's winners of the donut appreciation party. Skip Barone, through his generosity, has provided our program with many opportunities over the years. Finally, our team closed out the summer by having a picnic, a trip to the flower gardens, and the planetarium.

ACTIVITIES*

- Oct. 8th Spa Day
- Oct. 10th Pumpkin Carving
- Oct. 16th Team Spirit Day
- Oct. 21st Senior Fun Day (\$3)
- Oct. 22nd Activity Council Mtg.
- Oct. 31^{st} Trick or Treat &

Halloween Party (\$10) *This is not a full list of activities. Full calendars will still be distributed monthly!



Matt R. $- 14^{th}$ Kathy D. $- 15^{th}$ Kirk M. $- 16^{th}$ James S. $- 17^{th}$ Jay M. $- 20^{th}$ Brittany C. $- 25^{th}$ Ashley W. $- 29^{th}$ **October Birthday Party - 31^{st}**

UPDATES

DON'T FORGET:

As we head into the winter months, it is important that you call the office to update your phone number so that you can be put on the list to receive phone calls from us if / when The Carousel Center must close for a snow day.

