



Community Ties North April 2025 Newsletter



Headlines

In March, we finally started to see a few springtime days and we were able to do a photography class in the community and visit Serenity Horse Farm. We also took a tour of Old Town Saginaw, walked at Center Courts, looked at the new displays at the Castle Museum, and swam at the Delta Pool. Those who chose to stay at CTN were offered classes in tie dye, cooking, hygiene, crafts, and exercises. Of course, we are always happy when it involves food, especially our group breakfast on National Cereal Day. We also made Froot Loop treats and green St. Patrick's Day cupcakes.

We will celebrate Easter with an egg hunt and luncheon on April 22. Please watch for a letter to be sent home to those who attend on Tuesdays.

CTN participants are offered daily outings. Please make sure that everyone dresses appropriately for the weather and that they have a complete change of clothing at program.



Special Activities Offered

PetSmart	Burlington
Daily Dealz	7-Eleven
Delta Pool	Card games
Center Courts	Badminton
Humane Society	Saginaw Zoo

April 22 – Easter party & luncheon

If there is an outing that requires money, we will send a note home

Program Closures

April 18 – Good Friday holiday

April 25 – Staff meeting

Please note, we will be closed on the 4th Friday in April for our staff meeting due to the holiday.

April Birthdays

Peter Jake
Melissa (staff) Twylena (staff)

Contact Us

As always, if you have any questions, comments, or concerns please feel free to contact us. We would love to help!

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Meet the Staff



J'Nya is an Activity Aide at CTN. She loves coming to work to make the day better for our participants and to see their faces light up when they tell her that they had a good day. In her time off, she enjoys doing make up and decorating for small events. She also like to shop, travel, and make time for a good nap. "Got to keep going" is her favorite quote. She aspires to be like her mom who is a hardworking, beautiful woman with a big heart. J'Nya hopes to one day visit the beautiful Turks and Caicos Islands.

April 2025

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	1	2	3	4
	PetSmart/Kroger -grocery shop Castle Museum CTN - Cardio Drumming CTN - Games & Puzzles	Frankenmuth - walking Bridgeport Library CTN - Hustle dance class CTN - National PB&J Day - make PB&J sandwiches	Burlington - window shopping Center Courts CTN - Participant choice CTN - Musical chairs	Cultivate Coffee & Tea Church of God CTN -Movie Day - <i>Toy Story</i> CTN - Tabletop games
7	8	9	10	11
Daily Dealz Cardio Drumming - Chesaning CTN - Chair exercises CTN - Musical chairs	Midland Mall Library / Kroger - grocery shop CTN -Zoo craft CTN -Obstacle course	Vista Center Humane Society of Bay County CTN - Cooking class CTN - Pen crafts	Cultivate Coffee & Tea Center Courts CTN - Euchre tournament CTN - American Sign Language	Church of God Ross - window shopping CTN - Basketball tournament CTN - Easter egg salt craft
14	15	16	17	Good Friday 18
Cultivate Coffee & Tea Birch Run Outlets - window shopping CTN - Gardening CTN - Flower petal craft	Quality 10 Cinemas Midland Library CTN - National Take a Wild Guess Day - Hangman	7-Eleven - slurpees Saginaw Children's Zoo CTN - Euchre tournament CTN - Puzzle races	Church of God SVSU CTN - Badminton tournament CTN - Craft - peeking Easter bunny	SCCMHA & CTN Closed 
21	22	23	24	25
Delta Pool Center Courts CTN - Tabletop games CTN - Hustle dance class	Easter Egg Hunt & Party (lunch will be provided) 	Church of God Ulta Beauty CTN - Shaving cream craft CTN - Health & Hygiene class	Cultivate Coffee & Tea Goodwill CTN - Spring crafts CTN - National Pretzel Day - make hand dipped pretzels	CTN Closed 
28	29	30	Outings are subject to change due to weather, staffing, and what individuals choose to participate in each day.	
Barnes & Noble Park - walking CTN - Flower craft CTN - Gardening	Panda Express Frankenmuth Library CTN - Bingo & card games CTN - Cardio Drumming	Church of God Humane Society of Bay County CTN - Card games CTN - Exercise class		