



Community Ties North May 2024 Newsletter



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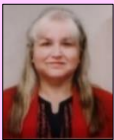
It is springtime and our annual Easter egg hunt and brunch was a great way to start the month of April. There were surprises in over 100 plastic eggs and everyone enjoyed waffles, scrambled eggs, bacon, sausage, hashbrowns, and strawberry shortcake.

This past month, we found bargains at Charlin's Book Nook, Goodwill, and several garage sales. We treated ourselves to Slurpees at 7-Eleven and specialty drinks at Cultivate. Visiting with our furry friends at the Bay City Animal Shelter and Serenity Horse Farm are quickly becoming two of our favorite activities. Those of us that have swimsuits have started swimming at the Delta pool. It is almost time to get our rods and reels ready to go fishing. Our new garden plot in the Saginaw Children's Zoo is all cleaned up and we are looking forward to planting flowers soon.

On those days when it is still just a bit too chilly for outdoor activities, we have enjoyed games days at the Thomas Twp. Nature Center, meeting new friends at Barnes & Noble, and making unique creations in the crafting classes at SVSU.



Meet the Staff



Kim has worked as the Typist/Clerk at CTN since 2015. Her favorite part of her job is seeing the consumers find their voice and speak up for themselves. In her leisure time, she likes to camp, read, bake, watch old musicals, and take road trips with her husband to find interesting and unusual restaurants. Her favorite saying is "Sometimes it is more important to be kind than it is to be right." She loves to travel and hopes to one day go on a tour of many European countries.

Important Dates

Mondays- Garden Centers
Tuesdays - Shopping
Wednesdays- Fishing
Thursdays - Animal Services
Fridays - Exercise/walking

*If there is a special outing, we will send notes home

Program Closures

May 17 - Staff Meeting
May 27 - Memorial Day

May Birthdays

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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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May 2024

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
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Outings are subject to change due to weather, staffing, and what the consumers choose participate in each day.		Elms Park - basketball/lunch & GHS Vista Center Fishing Club - Wickes Park	Saginaw Children's Zoo Cultivate Coffee & Tea Bay County Animal Services and Adoption Center	CTN makeover day Heritage Park Riverwalk
6	7	8	9	10
Cardio Drumming Abele Greenhouse - to look for ideas for the zoo garden	CTN makeover day Bigelow Park - walking Shopping at Sam's Club for CTN store	Thomas Twp. Nature Center Fishing Club - Zilwaukee Park	Humane Society of Bay County Cultivate Coffee & Tea Serenity Equine Facility	Saginaw Children's Zoo
13	14	15	16	17
Junction of Hope Faber's Greenhouse - shop for garden	Wenonah Park - lunch & Bay City Library Cultivate Coffee & Tea Fishing Club - Imerman Park	CTN makeover day Montrose Barber Park- lunch & GHS Vista Center Saginaw Children's Zoo	Essexville Rummage Sales Bay County Animal Services and Adoption Center	CTN Closed 
20	21	22	23	24
Saginaw Children's Zoo Delta College Pool - swimming	Cultivate Coffee & Tea The Tridge - lunch & Dow Memorial Library - computers	Frankenmuth River Place Shops Roethke Park - games SVSU Sculpting Class	Bay City Wenonah Park - lunch & walking Bay City Riverwalk	Frankenmuth Balloons Over Bavarian Inn Festival Humane Society of Bay County Fishing Club - Haithco Park
Memorial Day 27	28	29	30	31
SCCMHA and CTN Closed 	Saginaw Children's Zoo CTN - outdoor games & activities Sam's Club	Cultivate Coffee & Tea Bridgeport Cass River Trailhead Park-lunch & GHS Vista Center Serenity Equine Facility	CTN makeover day Wenonah Park - outdoor games & lunch	Hurley Children Trauma Center Panda House luncheon Fishing Club - Haithco Park