



Water's Edge Clubhouse Monthly Newsletter January 2025

FREIGHTER BREAK!



It's that time again, when we say goodbye to our beautiful freighters for a few months. Every January the Soo Locks closes for maintenance and repairs. Around March 25th they will reopen and we will be able to see the gorgeous ships again.

Applebees



Ed's Update:

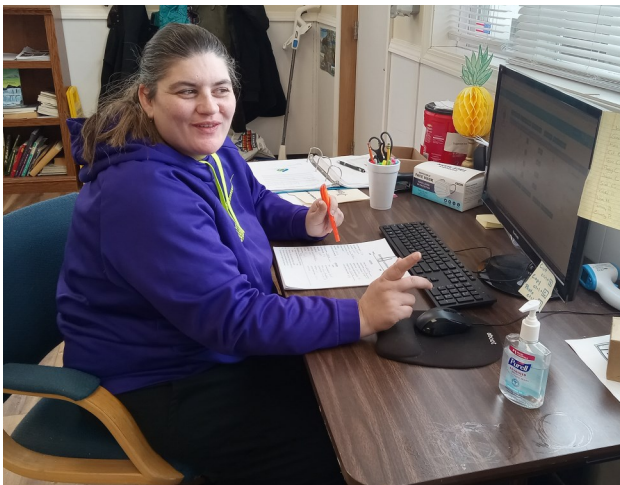
Been working on cam modeling a little, also been Working at clubhouse on the work ordered day. Not much else going on. Looking forward to spring! Have a good winter, stay safe and take care!



Work~ordered Day



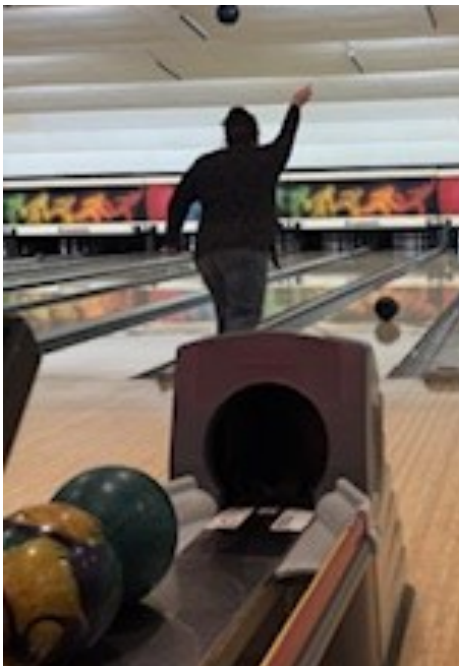
Members working side-by-side to get things done around our Clubhouse!





Bowling

Members and staff had a great time bowling at the Dondee.



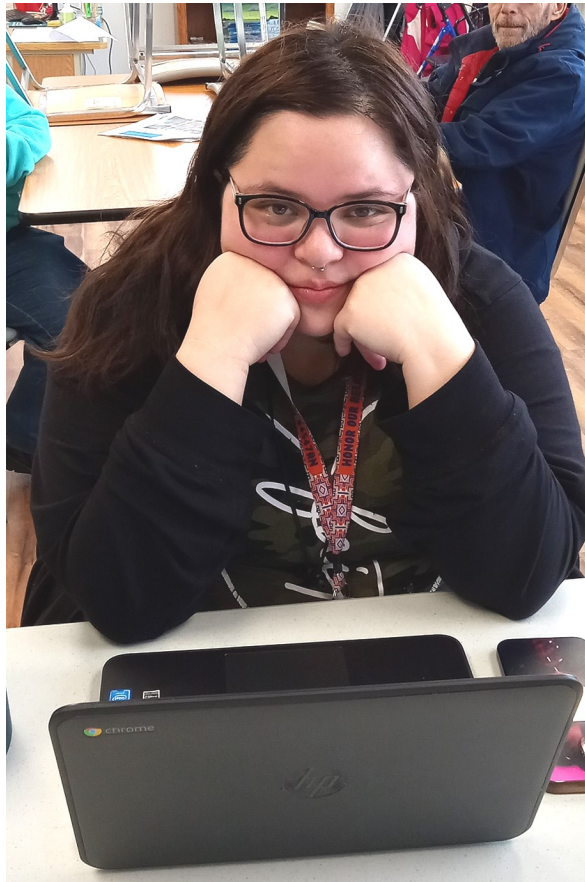
Ojibwe Word of the Month

Nimbakade pronounced like Nim-buck-a-day which means “I am hungry.”

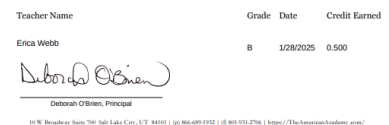
Poem of the Month by Tammy

Nowhere

Seasons change
But why can't I?
Here come the storms
Then there's starry skies
And sunny days
But why can't the sun stay for me?
Can't you see this of me?
And it's all I'll ever be.
I wander for hours
Through flowers and smiles;
And I search for things...
Things I've never owned
But should be mine?
I wake every morning always feeling
Left behind;
I stand and stare at myself in
My mirror for what could be hours.
This world is spinning
But I'm going nowhere!



Hallie has been working really hard on getting her education lately. She is finishing her credits online to obtain her high school diploma. Hallie is currently working on a Math class and reports that her grades are all passing. Hallie is excited to conquer this goal. We're so proud of you Halle!!!!



January Birthdays



Happy Birthday Jesse

Meet Kratos



Are you a sucker for older dogs that are sweet, mellow, and just want to be loved? Our guy Kratos might be the one for you! Kratos is a 7-8-year-old rottweiler whose previous family describes him as "happy, still acts like a puppy, loves to cuddle, is a couch potato." He has lived with other dogs, cats, and children. Kratos roams the household when his family is gone and has no issues being alone. From what we know about this guy, he would fit well into lots of different lifestyles.

If your interested in meeting Kratos stop by the Chippewa County Animal shelter at 3660 South Mackinac Trail in Sault Sainte Marie Michigan or email or call.

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Health Corner

Sometimes it's hard to want to move around in the winter time. It's cold and hard to get outside. Staying active is very important though. This month Kerry decided that she needed to do something about her health and decided to purchase a walking pad. So far she is working her way up to 30 minutes a day. Another big change she made was to not eat a snack after dinner. This is something that she struggles with a lot but she's hopeful her Clubhouse friends will hold her accountable.



Learning a New Skill



Ed wanted to learn a new skill this month and asked Jill if she would teach him how to crochet. Ed practiced for a while and was pretty proud of himself! Looking forward to seeing that scarf soon Ed! Ha-ha





WORD SEARCH

C F W E G I C I C L E L A W X N R A	BOOTS
L R S C E T A R B E L E C S C A R F	CELEBRATE
C O B S M C Y Y D R C C Q R E M M R	CHILLY
C S R R G W I I E J K L A Y H W H O	COLD
T T A A C I R G O O F R W D L O C Z	EARMUFFS
V Y R A U N A J N W A E K X T N A E	FREEZE
B O B T E T S P M R N N E C B S Y N	FROSTY
O T R S L E D D I N G N O F I N K E	FROZEN
O E M A I R T E Y P R C X J O O F Y	GLOVES
T G L O V E S G G W O F D R E W M P	HAT
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G R E K L A F X S N O W B A L L S C	ICE
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H E Z C I R R O Q L I E J K L A N H	RESOLUTIONS
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I T Y R E P P I L S W T A P I Q J N	SKIING
W A E K X V E N C S G E L K B T E R	SLEDDING
C H I L L Y E G B O Y K S N O O T R	SLIPPERY
	SNOWBALL
	SNOWFLAKE
	SNOWING
	SNOWMAN
	WINTER

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