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Determination and Zest

This spotlight is dedicated to Michael S.

During the last year, Michael has shown determination towards his goals and made huge strides. He was not discouraged by obstacles or barriers. He took the initiative to gain employment through self-driven efforts which successfully landed him a job he loves in his community.

He set his sights on becoming a licensed driver in Oregon and guess what...he did it!! His family gifted him with his own car, and he enjoys exploring Coos County.

Michael has maintained living in his own apartment, in his community, which was an important goal and milestone he set for himself. He enjoys being a good neighbor to others and helping others whenever he can. He has developed a solid, loving, personal relationship with his girlfriend that adds fulfillment to his life.

Your zest for life is admirable, Michael, and I am so honored to know you and share in your journey.

Keep crushing your goals!!!

By Kitina Larsen, CCM Personal Agent



DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES AWARENESS MONTH



Did you know that March is more than the beginning of Spring? It's also known for its month long celebration and awareness campaign for developmental disabilities.

Each March, the National Association of Councils on Developmental Disabilities (NACDD) chooses a theme. This year's theme is **"Worlds Imagined."**

The intent behind this year's theme is to highlight the many ways in which people with and without disabilities come together to form strong, diverse communities.

To learn more, visit NACDD website at <https://www.nacdd.org/ddam1/>

This year, Connections Case Mgmt. got to celebrate first hand! On March 16th, 2022, Douglas County Commissioners invited multiple individuals and agencies to the courthouse for a special proclamation presentation to recognize March 2022 as Developmental Awareness Month.

The intent behind the proclamation was to acknowledge the wonderful individuals, families and agencies within the community that advocate for the inclusion and empowerment of individuals with developmental disabilities.

Representing Connections was Robin Mouser, Director; Crystal Foster, Case Management Coordinator; Robyn Reedy, Program Coordinator; Kailtyn McMahan, Personal Agent; and 3 of our wonderful customers: Darin, Nick, and Regina.



To watch the Facebook live of the presentation, visit the Douglas County Government page at:
<https://www.facebook.com/DouglasCountyGovernment/videos/293592999565180>

MARCH BIRTHDAYS



Ed D.
Tedson W.
Cynthia L.
Deborah C.
Belinda D.
Nichole H.
Heather P.
Justin D.
Christopher E.
Xochitl R.
Alisha S.
Twila S.
Kary R.

David R.
Alan A.
Debra T.
David W.
Patricia K.
Cordell A.
Jaime T.
Casey D.
Christina B.
Sarah M.
Rebecca D.
Elizabeth F.
Jordan S.

Theodore J.
Laura H.
Shawn C.
Ronald G.
Wendi D.
Eisha D.
Nicholas S.
Justin T.
Randal B.
Steven S.
Kyle R.
Lauren C.
Dillon K.

Delbert P.
David L.
Emily H.
Dezi S.
Gregory F.
Paul T.
Kimberly H.
Justin Y.
Sophia M.
Travis G.
Will S.
Jayden F.
Gaberial E.

Happy Birthday to You

APRIL BIRTHDAYS

Wendell H.
Kellie V.
Joshua K.
Roger L.
Joshua T.
Brandon M.
Matthew R.
Katrina H.
Jeffery W.
Tyler W.
Jessica R.

Randy D.
Kyle S.
Edward B.
Michael R.
Cody F.
Megan S.
Nathaniel R.
Lyle G.
Kaelie C.
Alysa H.
Auston C.

Rhonda V.
Malynda G.
Jennifer B.
Bree Ann W.
Cassandra C.
Eileen M.
Landon M.
Amanda W.
Acacia H.
Amanda B.
Diamond W.

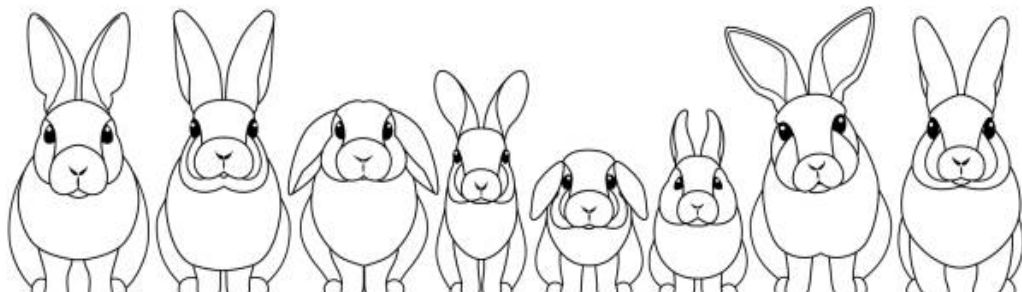
William E.
Matthew M.
Ralph F.
Judath G.
Bryan M.
Joseph B.
Abegail W.
Kelsi C.
Ashley C.
Hope W.



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