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# Staff News

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Please respond yes or no by 11/1 re: recognition banquet. Return postcard or call 3374.

## New vision diagnostic equipment

Surrounding the new field of vision machine were, l. to r., Jolana Montgomery-Matney, GCHF; Dr. Cindy Penzler, ophthalmologist; Dr. Guy Reynoldson and Dr. Raymond Schmidt, local optometrists; and Kevin Connell, chairman of the GCH Board of Trustees.



"The (\$100,000) machine maps out a patient's field of vision to see what area of their visual

field has been damaged," said Dr. Schmidt. "It is especially effective in treating patients with glaucoma or determining disability if a person has lost some of their vision due to a stroke. It can also screen for various visual diseases."

## Lost keys found

*from Gayle Bassett, Patient Advocate, TQM*

I have a set of keys that were turned into me the first part of October. They were found in the Bramlage Rehab nurses' station area when it was closed. Nobody has inquired about them yet. Call me at extension 4219 to claim them.

## 220 Awards

**Elaine Becker, TQM, Lynne Addair, DON, and Kourtnei Rapp, HIM,** received 220 Awards from Nutrition Services, because: They helped us out by cleaning up after a catering. Thank you so much! We greatly appreciate the help, especially when we are short-staffed in the kitchen.

## Kim Carter, Environmental Services,

received a 220 Award from Kathy Delaire because: Kim came in and helped us deliver trays for patients and staff Saturday when we have no dishwasher. She is a true team player.

## Mike Olson, Maintenance,

received a 220 Award from Sherri Robidou because: Due to the purse sale, they used my table. I knew I

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needed to get a table before 11:30 am. I got busy and forgot. Next thing I knew, it was 11:10 am. So last minute, I put in a work request and called maintenance. I spoke with Mike, who got a table for me in less than 10 minutes. A big thank you to Mike for doing this!

**Ngoc MacGown, Nutrition Services**, received a 220 Award from James Lunday because: For three days while another co-worker was on vacation, Ngoc helped me very much. She had other things to do, but took the time to help me. I just want to say: thank you very much, Ngoc, for your help.

## Infection Control winners

The "Guess the Staff Game poster will be on display this week in the Fegan Dining Room with the identities revealed. Thank everyone for participating—from the nurses, radiology, lab, practice management, physicians, patient financial services, and all other departments.

### "Guess the Staff Game" and "Raffle" winners:

Go Green bag: Anne Sorrels, Chris Clapsaddle, Sarah Price, Mary Austin, Kelli Shoemaker, Chris Elkins, Robin Nolan, Sharon Taylor, Eric Loeb, Kiko Silva.

Lunch tote: Julie Hollibaugh

Notebook: Chad Bennett, Joyce Schuman, Pat Tabor, Penny Curry, Cheri Morgan

T-shirt: Carolyn Dasher

Water bottle: Robyn Simmons

Zipper bag: Kim Boles, Mary Carter

Sports bag: Kourtnei Rapp

Business bag: Cathy Reed

Answers to "Guess Who": 1. Dr. Jason Leep, KU Resident; 2. Roanna Fultz, Radiology; 3. Kiko Silva, Lab; 4. Sandy Bergman, Practice Mgmt.; 5. Christine Jones, Education; 6. April Branstetter, SHC; 7. Daranee Johnson, Cardiopulmonary; 8. Robyn Simmons, Patient Access; 9. Harold Marion, Marketing; 10. Elbert Richards, Nutrition Services.

## New employee spotlight



**Dayna Barkdoll, Phlebotomist, Lab**, is a White City High School graduate who is now going to MATC for the medical lab technician program. Her ultimate goal is to earn her medical technology degree.

## Breast cancer awareness poster contest

Congratulations to Rago Radiology and Junction City Pediatrics on winning poster designs for breast cancer awareness. The contest was sponsored by Nutrition Services and sought to bring awareness to breast cancer and to raise money for Susan G. Komen for the Cure.

## United Way Winners

The United Way Campaign Committee would like to thank everyone who bought t-shirts, scrub tops, participated in the department penny jar contest, and/or gave by pledging either a one-time donation or through payroll deduction. This year, GCH staff raised over \$6,000 during the campaign. This money will be used in our community to support 12 fantastic organizations. We appreciate everyone's support.

Serving on the United Way Campaign Committee this year were: Shannon Levesque, Phyllis Kotoyantz, Sandy Bergman, Robyn Simmons, Tammy Thompson & Julie Hatesohl.

### Prizewinners are as follows:

2 tickets to Rolling Hills Zoo & Museum (Courtesy of KAKE-TV)-Cathy Nagle, PFS

Two sets of two tickets for 2011 KSU baseball game (Courtesy of WIBW)- Julie Hatesohl, PFS & Cyndy Platt, Public Relations

Three sets of two tickets for the KSU-Oklahoma State football game (Courtesy of Platinum Broadcasting) – Cyndy Platt (PR), Glen Nora Jung (Materials Management) & Harold Marion (Marketing)

3 paid days off (Courtesy of Mr. Bradley) – Sandy Bergman (Practice Management), Dianna Horner (Bramlage Rehab) & Sylvia Riffel (PFS)

Papa John's, one large pizza – Jacqueline Norman (Nursing) and Sylvia Riffel (PFS)

Three sets of Hildebrand Farms \$25 gift certificate- Sandy Bergman (Practice Management), Val Darland (Radiology), Phyllis Kotoyantz (Laboratory)

1 month free membership to Geary Rehab: Sandy Bergman, Practice Management

Two \$25 gift certificates to Hibachi Hut-Deb Hull (HIM) & Jennifer Hillman (Practice Management)

Pizza Hut one small pizza (2): Laurie Hicks (PFS) and Sandy Bergman (Practice Management)

Jim Clark – Preferred Customer Membership (4): Harold Marion (Marketing), Sylvia Riffel (PFS), Gail Bettles (Occupational Health), Deb Hull (HIM)

\$25.00 Gift Certificate for Longaberger (Courtesy of Laurie Hicks) – Alice Wilcoxson

Three sets of Blockbuster/Taco Bell Pack – Jennifer Reinke (Patient Access), Dave Engel (Acting COO), Dennis Sewell (ER)

Three Geary Rehab t-shirts – Sandy Bergman (Practice Management), Agatha Squires-Howard (Nursing) & Rhonda Bradley (IWLS)