

Making THE Rounds

News, Events Updates & Info from the Warwick Healthcare Campus

Editorial Team Message:

Dear Co-workers,

Hope you enjoyed our first issue of *Making the Rounds*. Our second issue is chock full of updates from all around our Warwick campus.

This is your local newsletter, so please let us know what you think and news you have to include. Just email, call or drop off your news to your local reporter – we want to hear from you!

Employees at MAC can now drop off their news in **Hayley Cresseveur's** bright new locked Mailbox, outside her office in Administration. Hayley and the newsletter team want to hear from you so stop by and drop her a note.

Your *Making the Rounds* Editorial Team,
Hayley Cresseveur, Kelly Fedrizzi, Bernadette Heine, Andrea Studnitzer, Betty Tiedemann and Ann Lombardi-Nathan

MAC Back-to-School Raffle

MAC recently held a Raffle to raise money for new outdoor benches. Thanks to **Cathy Nagel** in the kitchen for the shopping bag full of goodies. And while we were shopping for other



prizes in WalMart, an employee purchased 6 tickets, saying if she wins, we are to give it to a person in need. What a blessing– a team effort makes all the difference! Pictured is raffle winner, resident **Dorothy Schlosser**.

The Front Desk Queen Retires

Connie Pellone, the front desk supervisor at St. Anthony, has retired and is moving to the sunny state of Florida. She came to SACH in 1994 as front desk receptionist/telecommunications clerk and was promoted to supervisor 10 years ago. Connie has adored her job because she “loves helping people” and “enjoyed working with people who are like family.”



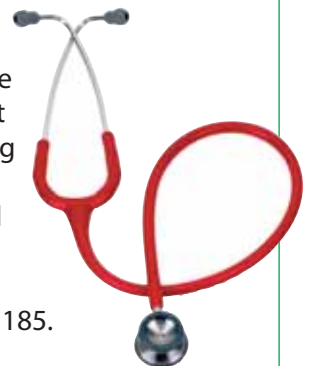
Connie has two children, Camille and Neil, and five grandchildren. She's moving to Florida for the great weather and to be near her sister and nephew. She is excited about her “new adventure” and says she will be waiting for all of us to come for a visit!

Did You Know?

WHCC offers a comprehensive health package for its employees. If you have questions about your Health, Life and Disability Plans, including eligibility, rates, coverage, deductions, plan provisions and more, help is only a phone call away. Bon Secours has opened a Customer Support Center (CSC) to assist you.

Call (866) 522-4984 or by direct link, use ext. 5185. The Center's hours are: Mon-Fri, 8am-5pm.

- Effective June 1, 2008, diabetic testing supplies under the Express Scripts prescription benefit are covered with the generic co-pay.
- As of September 1, 2008 you and your covered dependents no longer pay an office visit co-pay for routine office visits for services you receive from a United Healthcare provider.
- Remember it's that time of year again - Benefits Enrollment is upon us! Watch for more details.



Campus Newsmakers!

Welcome New Staffer

We welcome **Zoraida Cruz** to the MAC housekeeping department.

Best Wishes

Best wishes, **Lisa Fedorka**, Administrator for MAC and **Jodie Collins**, Director of Nursing Services, Schervier Pavilion in your new positions.

Jean Sincerbox, Director LTC Staff Development will be assuming the role of interim RN Administrator for MAC and **Irene Caldwell**, Quality Assurance / Infection Control Director will serve as interim SP Director of Nursing Services. Thanks to Lisa, Jodie, Jean and Irene for their dedication and service!

Congratulations go to former SP C.N.A's **Cireena Caldwell** and **Megan Plante** on passing their RN Boards.

Good Luck to **Jen Kirchner**, PCA and Med-Tech at MAC. She was accepted into the LPN Program at BOCES.

Happy Anniversary!

Each month we'll list Campus employees celebrating 5, 10 and 10+ years of employment. September '08 Anniversaries are:

Patricia Lagano,
Health Information – 34 years;

Deborah McGovern,
Emergency Dept – 24 years

Miguel Rojas,
Laboratory – 14 years.

Congratulations, and thank you for your commitment to caring.

Campus Happenings

CNA Solutions-Nursing Work Group every other Thurs (Pay Day) 2:30pm Forest Hall Dining Room – all SP CNA's are invited to attend.



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SP Latin Club a Success

It was the brainchild of Schervier Pavilion Business Operations Analyst **Maribella Santiago**. With the support of the facility's Director of Recreation **Kari Call** and other staff members, a group of residents recently formed a Latin Club. The members, who enjoy celebrating their Hispanic heritage, meet once each month to speak Spanish, talk about their native lands, their culture and childhood.



Recently, Maribella and volunteer staff organized a special luncheon for the Latin Club members and their families. The employees brought home cooked Latino foods such as sweet plantains, avocado, rice and beans, pork and stewed chicken dishes. The festive occasion included Latin music and dancing. Although the meetings of the Latin

Club and other clubs are fun and enjoyable social gatherings, they have another important value – to restore, treat or rehabilitate in order to improve functioning and independence.

Schervier Pavilion hosts a variety of clubs for members with special interests, such as the Polish Club, and the WiFi Club. They also host International days where they celebrate a particular national heritage. This fall they will sponsor a German Oktoberfest.

WHCC Dedicated Service Awards

We've started the nomination process for this year's WHCC Dedicated Service Award recipients - employees who have exhibited the highest standards of the Bon Secours Health System and the Sisters of Bon Secours.

The nominees are reviewed for their commitment to the Core Values of Bon Secours, their continued support and contribution to the Mission, major accomplishments in their job performance, demonstrated commitment to improving work methods and procedures, commitment to personal and peer development, peer acceptance, years of service, civic contributions and consistent work performance including attendance.

If you'd like to nominate a colleague for this award, please email the information to **Patrick Clark**, Director of Human Resources.

