

# NEWSLETTER

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# **New Member Spotlight**



### -Featuring Rusty

How did you find out about Circle City Clubhouse? "I learned about it from the Adult & Child network."

What did you do before Clubhouse? "I did nothing. Sat around bein' a slump."

How has Clubhouse helped you? "It has given me a sense of purpose and self-fulfillment."

Would you recommend Clubhouse to others? "Yes, I would recommend Clubhouse to all my friends because we can all benefit from it. "

"I was once a lazy burnout in my younger years. But now I'm a hard worker and some of that is due to coming to clubhouse."

## T.E. Update

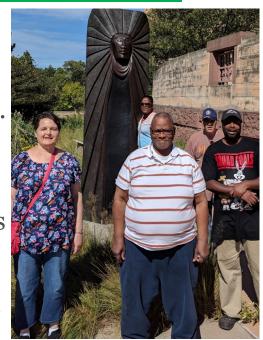
Congratulations to Dave S. for getting a job with Sodexo at IvyTech. He is currently filling one of our Transitional Employment partnerships we have established in the community.

"I Love my Job" he said, "I Wipe down tables and take out the trash. I Help the cashiers out when I need to, I like my coworkers at my Job."



# The Eiteljorg Museum

The Eiteljorg Museum is where some members and staff went as a social recreation activity. Nathan, Jolly, Daniel, Tan, and Jenny went with Peter. It is a museum where we hold in memory the Native tribes in Indiana, their religious beliefs as well as each tribes own individual lifestyles, customs and traditions. Jolly commented on most of the stuff that he saw such as Tipis and said that it was traditional. Everyone said they had a good time at



the museum and enjoyed what they did their as well as going out to eat afterwards. Thank you Peter for the great experience outside of clubhouse and everyone who attended.

### Indians Game

Daniel: It was kind of scary. The batter hit the ball and it nearly hit us. It was okay though. I think they should put up nets to protect the fans. The Indians won the game I think.

Evan, John, David S., Nathan, We first went out to Eat at Wendy's before the baseball game

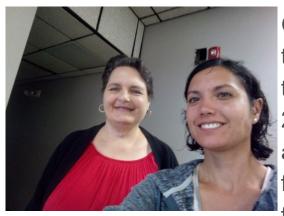
and then it was off to the ball park to see the Louisville Bats



vs Indianapolis Indians. We had great seats on the first base side out in right field 7 Row from the field. The Indians beat the Bats 5 to 2, They saved the best for last! They had a fireworks show, and it went on for 20 minutes and then it was time to go home, I got home at 11:45 pm.



What we learned from our trip to the Goshen Clubhouse, Kendallville Clubhouse and the Carriage House Clubhouse:



Goshen Clubhouse- 1. They have a bell that is rung in the Unit Meetings called the Guardian to keep people focused.

2. They offer salads and ramen soup along with peanut butter and jelly for free foods. 3. In the dining area, they take you food order .4. They have Protective Or-

ders. 5.In Unit Meetings they have Wellness Tips. They have connections to food pantries. They work with housing organization and faith-based groups to get access to transitional housing.

New Hope Clubhouse (Kendalville) - 1. They have a picture of a tree made out of tissue paper (that was drawn after the Ashtree) and each leaf has each person's name on it. 2. They have laminated directions when doing a tour. 3. In the dining area, they take your order and have laminated menu's. 4. They have a game area. 5. They have benches for people to sit on. They have an employment/education newsletter.

Carriage House Clubhouse (Ft. Wayne)-1. They have 2 levels; Heal and The Loft.2. They do their own banking. 3. In the dining area, they have a commercial size kithen. 4. In the dining area their laminated menus have the nutritional information on the back. 5. They have a 3 day period for orientation. 6. They have a guest house and also have connections with a housing liaison who can help members get information about housing.

# Polo on the Prairie

John B.

This was my 1<sup>st</sup> time going to the Polo on the Prairie, It was a great turn out and I had fun setting up the tents and helping out all day and night long were ever I was needed. I like the Pizza and drink's. I loved the candy drop from the plane, the Family's and fun with there kids on the Field, I can't wait until next year.

### Marissa D.

I had a good time at the Polo on the Prairie. It was fun watching the players. It was good to see some Families and to watch them on the field during the candy drop.

### Evan H.

I had a fun time at Polo on the Prairie, It seems that we've had a larger turn out each year! I en-

joyed watching the close match and helping Nathan with Parking. The weather was Perfect!

### Nathan S.

This was my thlird year attending this event and this year was the Largest turn out ever. I enjoyed working in this event it was fun and we had a great Dinner Pizza and Drinks.

#### Peter H

I thought we had a great turn out for this event and I had a good time working with the members and staff. It was for a good cause and I feel like the event was a good one. We had a good time raising money for a great cause for CCCH.

### Chuck L.

I think there was a lot of people at this match and people liked it. We did great work all of us at the Polo Event



