



MVH GRAND RAPIDS VOLUNTEER NEWSLETTER

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MVH Mission Statement

Michigan Veteran Homes provides nation-leading long-term care and services that enhance the well-being of veterans and their families in the place they call home.



Happy June!

Hi everyone!

June is here and so is the sunshine! I hope everyone had a wonderful May and I'm looking forward to all that June will bring us.

We are kicking off the month strong with Veterans Home Week the first week of June to celebrate our incredible home and all those involved with making it such a wonderful place. The theme this year is "You're a Star at MVHGR!" Think Hollywood, bling and star studded. We have a talent show, an award show and plenty of fun activities in between.

Our special event this month is our annual Dog Show so if you have a pup that you would like to showcase, please let me know! You will need to fill out a form to enter your dog in. We hope to see you and your four-legged friend there.

As always, my door is always opened and I'm happy to chat! Thanks!

-Gretchen

Outings, Trips & Activities for Volunteer Support

Tuesday Shopping- Every Tuesday from 12:45-3:30pm

- Assist members with shopping at Meijer or Walmart

Kalamazoo Air Zoo- Tuesday, June 23rd from 8:15am-Noon

- Volunteers will help push and transport members through the zoo.
Volunteers must physically be able to push wheelchairs to help with this trip.

Annual Dog Show- Thursday, June 25th from 1-3pm

- Our annual dog show is here and hot dog, we are excited! We will need help transporting members down to the event or if you have a dog you'd like to enter in the show, please fill out the required form (you can get from myself or Becky). Dog days of summer are here! Literally!



Volunteer Recognition

Please stop by my office to receive your April volunteer appreciation gift if you have not yet or were not able to attend the brunch! I have lots of bags to hand out!