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HOTR Residents Give Moving Speeches at Spring Banquet

My name is Lacey. I am 17. I'm from Minot and I came to Home On The Range on March 19 of this year. My mom was a teen mom. She had me when she was 16 years old. She stayed in high school while she was raising me as a single parent.

My dad left my mom before I was born, then came back in the picture after I was born and has been in and out ever since. While raising me my mom had it rough being so young, single and still in school but she pulled through with the help of my extended family. My family and I are very close. I thank God that they have always been there for me. Now that my mind is clear I look back and see all the pain I put them through and how lucky I am to still have them in my life.

I know I have made a lot of mistakes in my short life, but yet they are always there to help me through them. I remember thinking how I don't want or need their help, but now that I am in placement with a sober mind I see things differently.

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Hi, My Name is Erica and I am 12 years old. I have a 14-year-old brother, a nine-year-old sister, a mom, a stepdad, a grandma and a grandpa.

I am currently living at HOTR because I ran away from home and didn't listen to my mom. I also got into trouble with the law several times.

I have learned how to follow instructions, not argue, and to seek positive attention. I've also learned how to ignore the negative behaviors of other residents and to peer report.

The thing I enjoy most about HOTR is that every day I am able to bottle-feed the baby lambs and calves. Sometimes I even get to give the cats our extra milk.

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I'm Lisa and I'm 15 and will be a sophomore in High School in South Dakota after I leave here.

Due to my unruly behavior I got sent to detention January 31st. I thought about how I hurt my family and that I didn't deserve to go home.

I had court that day soon finding myself hurt that my mother had no choice but to sign her rights over to DJS for the best interest of her daughter. That day I got transported to YCC for 2 weeks and then got transported to Home On The Range not knowing what it would be like living in a dorm with 22 girls with similar behavior as me.

Lisa's story continued on page 10 . . .



HOTR Receives Special Funds for Remodel Project

In 2009, Gene Muth was the Fraternal Order of Eagles Dakota State President. He chose Home On The Range as his state charity. He contacted us and asked what special projects we have that could use funds. We have many projects, and at the time, we really needed to remodel the bathrooms in the boys' dorm. We explained that this project is not glamorous, but desperately needed. The bathrooms were the original bathrooms from 1960.

Our staff tore out everything -- doors, floor tiles, walls, and even the pipes. New

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Gene Muth



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Spring banquet

This year Home On The Range hosted their annual spring awards banquet in its gym.

The children received awards in education, work programs, spiritual development and therapeutic groups. One student received two \$500 scholarships for college.

Some of the children shared their talents with the guests. One of the boys played a guitar and sang. Two other young men read a poem they had each written. Two of the young ladies spoke to the guests and shared their life stories of tragedy, struggles, changes and successes.

The keynote speaker was Mike Lagervall. He is the Grand Worthy President of the Fraternal Order of Eagles. He has been a long-time supporter of the ranch. He encouraged the children to seize the opportunities they are given; to succeed in their personal lives. If they come to a crossroad, some roads might be challenging, but to make

the best of it, and learn from it. Mike reminded them of everything the Home On The Range staff taught them, and to use it to make their lives better.

The residents weren't the only people receiving awards. Home On The Range recognized staff that celebrated 10, 15 and 20 years of service. The staff that received awards were: 10 years – Jim G., Bettye K., Viki V., Mary Lou M., and Ward R.



Mike Lagervall



At the banquet, Mike & Martha Lagervall presented Jay Johnson and Jolene Obrigewitch a check for \$25,000 -- a grant from the Grand Aerie Fraternal Order of Eagles.



Father David Richter and Father Basil Atwell sporting their new HOTR caps!

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pipes and plumbing were installed, and the dorm-style bathrooms were converted to a large room which contained four private bathrooms with a toilet, sink, mirror and shower.

At the spring banquet, Gene and Margie Muth were honored for their fundraising efforts with a cake that looked like a toilet. The cake was made by Robin Johnson. Jay Johnson presented it to the Muths and said, "I could make jokes about toilets, but it's just too easy. You can think of a joke, and just add the Muths to it!"

Jokes aside, we are truly grateful for the money Gene and Margie raised to remodel our bathrooms. The boys are especially grateful, because some remember how they used to be.



Fraternal Order of Eagles, "People Helping Kids"



Since our origin, the Fraternal Order of Eagles has helped Home On The Range. It may be financially, or with in-kind gifts for the children, or promoting our mission and philosophy. At the Dakota and Minnesota State Conventions, this continues to be true.

The Dakota State Convention was held in Rugby, North Dakota. Greg Anderson, the Dakota State President, chose us as his charity. He traveled 100's of miles across North and South Dakota, speaking to Eagle members and promoting Home On The Range. At the convention banquet, Greg presented us with a grant in the amount of \$2,500 from the Jimmy Durante Children's Fund.

Auctions were held to benefit Home On The Range at the convention. A silent auction of various baskets was held. Some baskets were earmarked for us. A live auction was held and it raised more than \$6,000.

At the convention, Home On The Range spoke to the delegates, both the men and women. After the speech to the men, Home On The

Range was given more than \$9,000 from Eagle Aeries and its members. We spoke to the women, and after the parade of checks, the chairman reported funds of \$5,300 were collected.

We were well-received at the Minnesota State Convention as well. The chairperson, Gary Cunningham, reported that more than \$6,000 was raised for the home. Of this amount, \$4,000 was from Aerie # 2258, Albert Lea, MN.

All of these generous funds have been earmarked for the construction of the canine kennels and group room. Thank you Eagle Aeries, Auxiliaries, and members! Because of you, Home On The Range continues to expand its program and help needy children succeed.



Greg presented Jolene Obrigewitch and Jay Johnson with a grant in the amount of \$2,500 from the Jimmy Durante Children's Fund.



Jay Johnson speaking at Eagles convention

State KC Convention

This year Jay Johnson and Jolene Obrigewitch attended the North Dakota State Knights of Columbus Convention in Grand Forks, N. Dak. Since 1968, the ND Knights donate funds to the ranch through its Shamrock fundraiser. During the month of March, Knights hand out chenille shamrock pins to raise money for the ranch. Some Councils hold fundraisers during the month and designate the monies to the Shamrock project. All these monies are turned in to the Shamrock chairman. The state deputy has the honor of presenting a check to Home On The Range. This year we received a check for more than \$12,000. Our thanks go to the Knights and their families for their continued support.





Spiritual Department

During April and May we had nine girls attend a Bible Study entitled “Living Victoriously in Difficult Times.” In this six week study we examined what the Bible says about suffering and why God allows it. Through the stories of many who persevered through times of testing, we discovered how to find joy even when life seems unfair.

For our Chapel time on May 4 we had Bobbi Hildebrant share with us about her son that is in Mission in Africa. In August her son is coming to the states for a week and we will be having him come and share with us his experiences on the missionary field.

The Spiritual Department was very busy preparing for the annual spring banquet this year which was held on May 21. Two of our girls shared their testimonies during the banquet and later several girls sang the song “Free To Be Me.” Another male resident did a wonderful job of sharing his guitar and vocal talents with us.

On June 3 we took two young girls to Corpus Christi Summer Vacation Bible School to share their testimonies with students attending the event. They gave their talks to four different classes and answered questions too. The children of Corpus Christi made cute blankets and sent them back with us for our residents.

In June we began the New Heart classes again for the girls. These classes are designed to help our residents come to a fuller understanding of how much they are loved by God. They also learn that God has designed them as a three-part being – spirit, soul and body. By addressing each aspect of their being, they are better equipped to live in a world that is often filled with uncertainty and pain.

On June 17, Willie and Evelyn Brown returned to Home On The Range to spend a day with our residents sharing in the Chapel on Cultural Diversity.

In August we will be taking our residents to the Badlands Bible Camp in Medora. We look forward to spending time out there again as we do every summer. Early in July some of the workers from the Bible Camp will be coming to Home On The Range to lead our Chapel time.

Between special speakers, Bible studies, and retreats, before we know it the summer will be over and we will be planning our fall schedule. But until then, we will enjoy the change of pace that summer brings.



Submitted by Peggy Helvik, Youth Minister

54th Champions Ride Match Rodeo

August 8, 2010, 1:00 MDT

Also featuring Jerry Wayne Olson and his famous horse act.

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This winter local Christian praise bands came to Home On The Range and played for the residents. At first, some students didn't think you could “rock out” to Christian music, but the band members played and sang many contemporary Christian songs. Some of the girls joined in the fun and shared their singing talents.

Strengthening Family Workshops

Home On The Range has completed its first year of conducting Strengthening Family Workshops (SFW) in home communities, and over 20 years of on-site sessions. The traveling workshops have taken place in Jamestown, Williston, Fargo, and Bismarck.

Home On The Range decided to take the SFW on the road, so to speak, in response to families that could not make it to the campus location in Sentinel Butte. This year we have served over 20 families off campus and another 25 on campus. The only difference between the locations of SFW is that on campus allows the families to learn through an animal-assisted session on the first day.

Each workshop utilizes a team approach with licensed social workers, staff from the spiritual department, and resident specialist (dorm counselor) staff. These staff are familiar with the residents and their behavior in all program areas. They are able to identify the families' and residents' issues specific to that program.

We have always encouraged families to attend three sessions during their child's time with us. However, many parents had trouble attending these workshops at Home On The Range because of the challenge of taking time off work, increased expense in traveling, lodging, and meals. If their child stayed with us a short time, most parents were lucky to attend one workshop. With Home On The Range's added traveling sessions we have had families attending two or three workshops, and on a couple occasions four workshops, to strengthen the family.

What are families saying about Strengthening Family Workshop?

- “Wonderful Program!!
- Thank you all so much for your time with our son and us.
- We truly appreciate you all. The confrontation, honesty, etc., has been meaningful to our son and to us. Thank you.
- I thought it would all be just fluff! You are honest and straightforward and confronting. Professional Staff, good program. Workshop was very good.
- Staff did a good job and it is obvious the staff works hard with the kids to teach them they are accountable for their actions and how it affects other people's lives around them. “



Maurice Hardy,
Family Services Director



Spiritual Department Activities



April 23	Jay Hefferly Band
April 30 – May 2	Took girl to SEARCH
May 4	Bobbi Hildebrant presented on Ethiopian mission
May 4	Hosted Deanery Meeting
May 20	Alton Veil Speaker
May 21	Music and testimonials at spring banquet
June 3	Presentation from Fargo Diocese Youth group from Rugby
June 3	Girls spoke to youth groups at Bismarck Corpus Christi Church
June 4	Eating Disorders presentation
June 11 – 13	Had booth and pictures at Bismarck Diocesan Centennial Celebration
June 17	Cultural Diversity presentation by Willie and Evelyn Brown
June 26	Opening Prayer at Ride for the Range
July or August	Abstinence Education Program beginning for all residents

Ranch and Plant

Home On The Range is an operating farm and ranch. It is a great place for children to learn a good work ethic, work with animals, and learn about responsibility.

Greg LaBelle, Ranch and Plant Director, keeps his staff busy taking care of the buildings, vehicles and animals. So busy, that he recently hired another full-time staff, bringing his department up to three staff.

With the many buildings, there is always continuous maintenance and upkeep. Sometimes his staff complete an average of 40 work order requests per month. Some of the major building improvements this summer will include new roofs on the butcher shop (storage building), shop building, horse barn and repairing Eagle Hall's roof. Casey Hall and the upper level of the administration building received new windows. Summer projects include windows for the lower level of the ad building, a new softball field and chain link fence, a new basketball court for the girls and putting in new pumps and a pump house in order to connect the campus to Southwest Water.

The ranch and plant staff also take care of the maintenance on our vehicles. We have approximately 32 sedans, pickups, mini-vans and a bus. These are used to transport students to doctor's appointments or home visits. Last year we traveled more than 206,000 miles. We have several older models that have more than 140,000 miles on the odometer. These require extra care and maintenance.

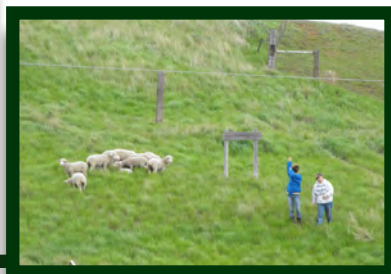
Just when the Ranch and Plant staff think they are caught up, there's the ranch itself to take care of. We've had a lot of rain this spring, which means hay is plentiful. We seeded alfalfa and oats and we hope to hay 600 acres of the alfalfa and oats. We also have 1000 acres of grass in Wibaux County to cut for hay. All the hay is used to care for our livestock.

Home On The Range has approximately 100 head of cattle. About half of those cattle received a calf embryo transfer, and the other half were artificially inseminated. This lowers our breeding cost and improves the cattle herd. The children are involved with both processes.

Thanks to the ranch and plant staff, Home On The Range's buildings, vehicles, and ranch is in tip-top running shape!



Jeff Nelson, Greg LaBelle, Steve Popiel and Les Barnhart



Life on the Farm

A local neighbor raises sheep for a living. During the spring, his sheep may have twins or triplets. He brings these bum lambs to Home On The Range, where the girls bottle-feed the lambs until they are big enough to eat grain. This spring we let the sheep out on Cassedy Hill to graze. The girls' job was to keep the sheep in the yard. This "simple" task was a bit more than they bargained for!

Join Us for the 2010 Champions Ride Match Rodeo!

You are invited to attend North Dakota's longest running and best saddle bronc match rodeo – the "Champions Ride Match Rodeo." This one-time summer event is August 8, 2010, at the Home On The Range arena, just west of Sentinel Butte, North Dakota.

This exciting family event is for rodeo fans, or people who want to experience some real wild west! Saddle bronc riding comes from the early cowboy era. Cowboys and ranch hands had to tame horses to be used to ride the prairie, move cattle, or check miles of fence. For excitement, cowboys would turn this horse breaking into a competition – to see which cowboy could ride the longest time or the meanest bucking horse. This eventually became the classic event of organized rodeos.

The Champions Ride Saddle Bronc Match mirrors this saddle bronc tradition. Professional cowboys are invited to the rodeo. The contestants randomly draw two horses' names from a hat and then ride them. Some of the wild and hi-bucking horses, or broncs, have names such as Bugs Bunny, Hey Ho Alena, Bottle Rocket, Spit Fire, Black Jack, Fools Gold, Winchester, Dixieland Delight, Bloody Mary, or Johnny Cash. The cowboys' ride and horses' bucking pattern are judged and receive up to 50 points each, with a combined score up to 100 points. The six cowboys with the highest combined scores advance to the final round. They then draw for another horse, make another ride, wait for the scores to be tallied, and the winner to be announced. This Champion receives a cash prize, a commemorative rifle, and a hand-made bronc saddle.

The contestants that come to compete at the Champions Ride Match are from the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association or the Wrangler National Finals Rodeo, from Las Vegas, NV, which is televised in December. Some of the Champions Ride winners are: nine-time WNFR World Champion Ty Murray, six-time WNFR World Champion Larry Mahan, six-time WNFR World Champion Dan Mortenson, and four-time WNFR World Champion Brad Gjermundson,

Cowboys come because of the prize money they could win, the competition and comradery, and the reputation of the rodeo and the horses; but mostly to raise money and awareness for Home On The Range and the children it serves. Proceeds from the rodeo funds the children's programs and activities. New this year to the rodeo is a live Calcutta. The cowboys that qualify for the final go round will be auctioned off to the highest bidder. The Calcutta will pay the top six places of the final go round, with the bidder receiving 85%. Details will be given out at the gate on rodeo day.

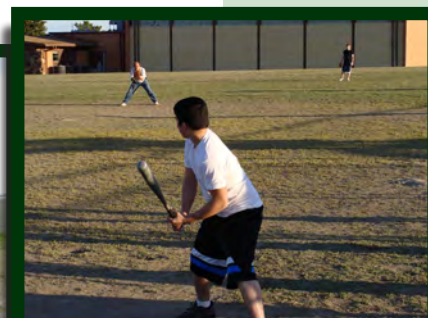
The Champions Ride Saddle Bronc Match and wild west excitement begins at 1:00 M.D.T. Fans and guests are encouraged to attend the rodeo and watch some of the best saddle bronc riders compete for the title. For tickets and more information, contact Home On The Range at 701-872-3745 or visit www.hotrnd.com.

HOTR Receives Improvement Grant

Home On The Range was awarded a matching grant of \$4844 from the Twins Community Fields for Kids Fund. The funds will be used to improve their softball field with new sand, bases, team benches, a backstop and chain link fence around the field.

During the summer months, the field is used by both the boys and girls. Some of their favorite sports include kickball or softball, especially when the game is students vs. staff.

The Twins Community Fund - Twins Fields for Kids program provides financial support to improve baseball and/or softball facilities for youth in the Upper Midwest and Southwest Florida. Since its inception in 1999, the program has granted more than \$1.6 million to improve 425 Upper Midwest and Southwest Florida ball fields.



Teacher's Appreciation Dinner

"Summer Fun" was the theme for our annual Teacher's Appreciation Banquet which was held on March 31. This is an opportunity to invite the teachers and school administration to Home On The Range and thank them for all they do to help educate our children.

During the program, several of our residents entertained the teachers with singing and choreographed dancing to the song "Surfin USA." A few of the residents also shared with the guests who their favorite teacher of the year was. They used the Character Counts! pillars of respect, trustworthiness, responsibility, fairness, caring and citizenship.



Education Coordinator, Karla Zimdars, and resident tutors, Sue Marman and Tammy Hoffer

Mrs. Karen O'Brien received one of the awards and was really surprised. She was the social work teacher of our campus classroom.

The study hall teachers were also recognized for their efforts. They are Leigh Dykins, Sue Marman, Tammy Hoffer and Mary Ann Schillo.

One administrator was especially surprised when she was honored before the program. Judy Lonngberg was the Beach High School day treatment coordinator for 12 years. This year she retired from this position and teaching. Home On The Range honored her retirement with a hand-made and personalized quilt. The center of the quilt was a portrayal of Mrs. Lonngberg having a cup of coffee at the table and reading the newspaper about Ride

for the Range. The borders were photos of kids' activities at the ranch. The backside material was Betty Boop on a motorcycle. All of these are Judy's favorites. Judy is a quilter and said, "I have made 100's of quilts and given them away. No one has ever made and given me a quilt."



Judy Lonngberg, Karla Zimdars and Jay Johnson.



Summer School

The first session of summer school was from June 1 to June 18, 2010. The classes were: General Math, Speech, World History, PE and Welding. Six students attended these classes.

The second session of summer school is from June 22 - July 13, 2010. The class is Animal Science with ten students.

The students in Welding, PE and World History had some field trips that went well and everyone enjoyed them. Part of the curriculum of the Animal Science class will be going on field trips.

The students work hard for 3 weeks and earn 1/2 credit for each class. When they finish summer school successfully, they earn a special trip. The girls went to Raging Rivers on June 21 and had a great time. The boys' trip will be scheduled soon.



Staff Gauntlet

Home On The Range has a new tradition. On Presidents' Day, the staff hold their annual "staff gauntlet." A team consists of four staff members.



The teams then compete in office athletics such as the egg toss, wrap your friend in toilet paper the fastest, and the costume dress and undress relay race.

This year four teams competed.

The first place team received a sweatshirt and the second place team received a t-shirt. All employees participating received a \$5 HOTR Bucks gift certificate. The staff make fun of themselves, and have fun at the same time. The students get to watch and cheer for their favorite team.



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Quilt Auction

Home On The Range will be holding their second quilt auction on October 30 at the Eagles Club in Bismarck, North Dakota. The quilts will be on display at Home On The Range and open for bids the previous day. The auction begins at 6:30 P.M. C.S.T. Light hors d'oeuvres and beverages will be served.



Quilts are donated from individuals, ladies' church groups, and quilting guilds. There are other items available to bid on such as lap quilts, wall hangings and table runners. A brochure will be available with the items and descriptions prior to the event. To donate a quilt or quilted item, contact the staff at Home On The Range.

This year we replanted 200 trees to recreate an orchard that was here years ago. The children helped with the project. They helped dig holes, fertilize, plant and then water. With this much help, it didn't take long to get them planted. With a nice cool and wet spring, the trees are doing great. It will be years before we can really reap in the benefits of trees, but we're hopeful.



Lisa's story continued . . .

Before I got put in placement things gradually went from bad to worse. Living with a family of five soon ended. My father chose drugs and alcohol over his family which led to a divorce within my parents. Witnessing a lot of domestic violence put a scar on my heart forever.

Soon it was my mother, sister, my brother and I. My sister went down the wrong path and became pregnant at 17. I looked up to her and wanted to be like her. That's when my life changed and wasn't going so smooth.

I now have a nephew that is two years old and he means the world to me. Now my mother is engaged and getting married on July 3rd to a father I have never had. He's a good guy inside and out and someone I look up to today.

Since being at Home On The Range I have learned that I have been through many struggles which have changed my life. My second month here due to my behavior, I won the most improved girl resident of the month. I knew then that I was walking down the right path.

I got accepted into the Equine group which has led me to many tools that I can take and learn for the future.

My hardest adjustment is being away from my family and carrying the guilt and shame on my shoulders that I can't fix the bridges I have burned.

I get discharged from Home On The Range later this summer and following that I will attend a high school in South Dakota due to my mom moving there with her fiancé.

Before I came to Home On The Range I had lost a lot of respect for myself and others. I struggled with daily life not knowing where to turn so I chose to have my life on the streets. Now I have hopes in the future of joining the Marines and following my cousin Josh who spent time in Iraq.

Living at Home On The Range, I had no choice but to turn my behavior around and respect myself for who I was in order to go home. I burned bridges left and right with my family but I am slowly earning their trust back. Being away from my family has helped me look at who I was from the inside and the outside and take on the responsibility as I have learned.

Coming to Home On The Range I have built a stronger relationship with God. I have attended Bible Studies and have found that there is much in the inside of me that tells me I can follow in God's footsteps. Matthew 6:14-15 says "Forgive others when they sin against you, your heavenly Father will also forgive you, but if you do not forgive other's sins your Father will not forgive your sins." I have learned to forgive others in order to get forgiven.

Life is about taking your dreams and running with them. It may be a challenge which will lead to many mistakes. Learn from them and you will be forgiven.





Erica's story continued . . .

The hardest adjustment being at HOTR has been to stay away from my family, friends and my home for so long. It's also really hard to change my negative behaviors. In the near future I plan to get promoted to my yellow card and get discharged from HOTR. I also plan to overcome my fears.

When I finish school I plan to attend college and learn to become a marine biologist so that I can work with dolphins.

Since first coming to HOTR I have learned how to not argue when I am given an instruction, to say OK and how to tell the difference between appropriate and inappropriate behaviors.

I am truly thankful that HOTR has helped me to change my old ways and make me a better person.

Note: If someone asks how to tell the difference between appropriate and inappropriate behaviors, it is this: It's only appropriate if you would act that way in front of your parents - if not, don't act that way.



Lacey's story continued . . .

I always wonder what my life would be like with a dad, but I am so thankful for my mom. I love her so much, I owe her the world, she does so much for me.

I started using drugs when I was 15. It started with just smoking and the drugs just got worse from there. I didn't care about anyone but myself which isn't like me at all. I quit cheerleading and dance last year because I thought drugs were the most important thing in life. I lost all my true friends. I ran away for days, weeks, sometimes months. In my drug mind I thought everything was good, but when really my life was crashing down. With the death of my best friend and four other friends, and my grandparents' divorce after 26 years -- all I wanted was to numb the pain, but it is really still all there at the end. I not only want to get better for myself but also for my four-year-old brother, family and friends that love me very much. I am learning how to cope with the pain that I still have locked in me.

Here at HOTR you have a good opportunity to turn your life around. You just need a positive attitude. They teach you a lot here -- how to deal with real life stuff, and how to work hard. The staff are good and I feel I can talk to them about anything. Let me tell you that living with 20 girls is not easy. Of course there is the drama -- but you just need to learn to walk away.

I recently joined Equine and I absolutely love it. I'm getting pushed out of my comfort zone, wearing Wranglers and boots, testing my patience -- which I am still working to get. The animals I love -- I get a lot of opportunities to work with them. I plan on going to Vet-Tech School to work with large animals so it's a very big plus. I graduate next spring and plan to start college the following fall. I want to work hard to be sober, get my life straight and show people you can truly turn your life around.



HOTR Residents shake off the winter blues with some music and fun!

This winter the boys and girls enjoyed dances held in the gym. In February the theme was of course, Valentine's Day. Giant red and pink hearts adorned the walls. The tables were covered in red tablecloths and the centerpieces were edible flower bouquets.

The spring dance theme was M & M's. The girls cut out different sizes of the M & M's and decorated the gym. The children enjoyed various desserts, cookies and cupcakes adorned with the colorful candy.

The children enjoy the dances, and it gives our staff an opportunity to teach the boys and girls about proper etiquette and how to dance.



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Upcoming Events

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~ August 8 ~

Quilt Auction
~ October 30 ~



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