

# BOYD DAILY NEWS

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***THANK YOU FOR ALL YOU DO FOR OUR FACILITY AND OUR PATIENTS***

**October 4-10 National Healthcare Supply Chain Week**

The first week of October is dedicated to celebrating resource and materials management professionals for their outstanding contributions to healthcare and the overall success of the supply chain field.

**October 5-11 National Healthcare Food Service Workers Week**

This week is set aside to honor healthcare food and nutrition professionals in self-operated facilities.

**October 19-23 National Medical Assistants Week**

National Medical Assistants Week recognizes medical assistants' vital role and contributions to the patient-healthcare team while raising awareness of the profession.

**November 8-14 National Radiologic Technology Week**

This week-long celebration calls attention to the important role medical imaging and radiation therapy professionals play in patient care and healthcare safety.

## WELCOME TO THE FAMILY!



David Yinger, EMS



Ryan Motley, EMS

We are so excited you've joined our team and look forward to getting to know you as our coworkers!



## OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1	2	3
4	5 KATIE BRUNAUGH	6 DAVID YINGER	7 DEIDRE SHARROW	8	9	10 DEANA EHRHEART
11 ASHLEY BALLARD	12 BRANDI MARTIN	13	14 JEFF CUNNINGHAM	15 DEB RETFERFORD	16	17 REGINA THEIVAGT
18	19	20	21	22 VICKI HARP	23 MARY GRUMMEL KELI STEWART	24 SARAH ALTMOTT KYLE HILL
25 STACY STOOPS	26 MARY CAY SETHALER MOHAMMED SIDDIQUI	27	28 BARB LEHR	29	30 GERI STONE	31 DONNA WHITEHEAD

## NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 SHAWN FRY	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12 MARK LEADY	13	14
15	16	17	18	19 CORRINE KEMMISH AUGUST ADAMS	20	21
22	23 JANET BARLOW	24 CONNIE FRY	25 KRISTA FLATT	26	27 ERIKA CARTER JANET ROOS SHERRI HILL	28
29	30					

## FLU SHOTS NOW AVAILABLE

All hospital employees are offered the influenza vaccine, please visit one of the rural health clinics to get your shot as soon as possible. The flu shot and proper handwashing are the best forms of defense against influenza; If you choose not to receive it, you must sign a refusal form.

## OCTOBER IS BREAST CANCER AWARENESS MONTH

Boyd Healthcare Services has done a great job bringing more awareness to the benefits of early screenings and the risks associated with Breast Cancer. Awesome job on wearing pink, representing our staff well, and generally enjoying the ride of this month's events. *Job Well Done!* If anyone did not get a pink lanyard or would like one, there are extras in the registration area near the Emergency Room Entrance at the hospital.

## BOYD 5K WENT GREAT!

"THANK YOU" to all that helped and participated in the 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Boyd 5k! It was a great success with the most registrations we've ever had; results and photos are posted on the Boyd Healthcare Services Facebook page and website <http://www.boydhcs.org>.



## SAFETY SECTION

The department managers are having problems with a safety concern and need the staff to assist them. Whenever someone goes into the cast room to get a wheelchair, the feet are missing. It is not safe to transport patients without feet on the chairs. Elderly people drop their feet down or can actually slide out of the chair causing injury. It is now the responsibility of the midnight supervisors to check the wheelchairs for feet. Please notify your supervisor if you are taking the feet off of the wheelchairs and why. If we understand the reasoning we may be able to fix the problem. Help us keep the patients safe!

## GREATEST GRATITUDE

I would like to thank everyone for the good care that Ms. Hubbard received while she was a patient here; Boyd staff was her extended family and she will be missed.

Thank you,

*Lisa Eldridge*

## DON'T FORGET TO USE YOUR AMAZON SMILE!



With **BLACK FRIDAY** coming up, Thomas H Boyd Memorial Foundation would like to

remind you to use [Smile.Amazon.Com](https://www.amazon.com/smile) any time you buy something online!

When you shop at AmazonSmile, Amazon donates 0.5% of the purchase price to Thomas H Boyd Memorial Foundation. Go to [smile.amazon.com](https://www.smile.amazon.com) and search for Thomas H Boyd Memorial Foundation to select as your non-profit and support

us every time you shop. Prime Member benefits still apply! Please ask your friends and family to do the same – this is one way everyone can raise money for Boyd Healthcare Services that requires no “extra” work!

***Don't forget to check out the specials at Boyd's HeartStrings Gift Shop on Black Friday too!***

## WINE GALA 2015

A special “thank you” to the providers that attended the Thomas H Boyd Foundation Wine and Spirits Tasting held on October 3, 2015. They were asked to attend for an opportunity to meet and greet members of our community. The event was a success and all proceeds will benefit the Rural Health Clinics.



## FESTIVAL OF TREES COMING SOON!

Thomas H Boyd Memorial Foundation is in the process of planning and hosting a Festival of Trees; trees will be decorated by different businesses and individuals in the community then displayed in the building at the corner of HWY 67 and HWY 108 with open visiting hours Nov 20-21, 30-31, and Dec 4. All trees and décor will be auctioned throughout the event, with a live auction to be held December 5. This event is free to the public and we hope you'll plan to attend with your friends and family; more details will be out soon!



## LOOKIN' GOOD!

Tim<sup>2</sup> have been working extra hard at updating areas of the hospital, the exterior paint and nurturing new grass around the Medical Building; everything looks great, keep up the good work!