

Greetings News

Combined news from Lawrence & Topeka



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Life is a Special Occasion!

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Health & Wellness News



Greetings Medical Office is open Monday - Friday, 7:30am to 4:00pm.

Tetanus and Pneumonia vaccines are available in the Medical Department Monday - Friday between 7:45am - 3:45pm on a walk-in basis. With Cigna, there is no out of pocket expense and they are covered 100%!

Quest on site lab draws are the 1st and 3rd Tuesday mornings of the month. Bring in doctor's orders or fax them to 785-813-0405. Appointment sign-up sheet available outside of Medical.

July through November 2013 there will be a Hallmark wide competition to increase preventative care participation.

⇒All employees who are eligible for the medical plan may participate.

⇒You may enter one time if you have had a wellness/preventative visit from Jan 1, 2012 through November 30, 2013.

⇒Examples of wellness visits are annual physicals, mammograms, cervical cancer screens & colonoscopies.

Team Breakdown:

1. Team Boldridge
2. Team Madeira
3. Team Petrie
4. Team Support (if you don't report to the above managers, this is your team)
5. Team Topeka



Prizes will be awarded monthly beginning in August, to include t-shirts drawings, \$5.00 Health Reward points for team with highest participation & a **grand prize at the end for a \$500.00 gift card**. See Medical for additional information. Look for the entry box & updated information in the Crown Room.

Employee in the Spotlight

Name: Judy Wheeler
Position: Administrative Asst. II

Department: Plant General
Yrs of Service: 34 years



Diversity and Inclusion

- Q:** Toughest part of your day?
A: When the alarm clock goes off in the morning.
- Q:** Favorite Hallmark moment?
A: My 25th Anniversary with Hallmark.
- Q:** What is your hope for Hallmark Cards?
A: To remain profitable, and continue to be innovative.
- Q:** What is one thing many people don't know about you?
A: Both my parents are hearing impaired.
- Q:** If you had a super power, what would it be? Why?
A: Healing powers. To cure all ailments.
- Q:** What's your favorite season?
A: Autumn.



The United States celebrates Women's Equality Day each year on August 26. Congress designated this date in 1971 to honor women's continuing efforts toward full equality. Spearheading the effort was U.S. Representative Bella Abzug (D-NY).

The 19th Amendment granting women the right to vote was certified as part of the U.S. Constitution on August 26, 1920. It was the culmination of a 72-year-long civil rights movement that originated at the world's first women's rights convention held in Seneca Falls, New York, in 1848.

Happy Birthday!

August

- 10 Matt Birch, Jason Donnelly, Linda Reynolds
 12 Hope Briggs, Travis Nitchals, Judy Smyth
 13 Dan Rew
 14 Debi Aldrine, Steven Alejos, Crystal Hawks
 15 Todd Kampfer, Galen Wilbur
 16 Kevin Cook, Susie McManness, Troy Riner, Dee Rogers, Kaitlyn Speer, Eric Watts
 17 Gary Ross, Sally Yost
 18 Sandy Cushinberry, Brian Elm, Jim LaCrone, Colette Niehues, Pattie Ross
 19 Greg Francisco, Jessica Hunter, Jennifer Nash
 20 Todd Mailen, Janice McKenzie, Mike Perron, Diana Quaney, Corey Thomas, Vern Welling
 21 Regina Igbafe-Johnson, Steve Luther, Tricia Smith, Ryan Truong
 23 Dave Augustine, Dwayne Francois
 24 Cade Keenan, Paul Knipp, Wade Mooney
 25 Gary Anderson, Zane Barnhardt, Ashley Brewer, Adela Lee, Joel Sauer
 26 Sherri Johnson, Lance Schmitz, Travis Steffy
 28 Joe Balandran, Marsha Boaten
 29 Patricia Jorgensen, Keith Kennedy, Frank Zeller
 31 Jeff Crume, Roxanne Duncan

September

- 1 Kathe Clark, Ophelia Jackson
 2 Ellen Clark, Ruby Johnson
 3 Mohamed Belazrag, Kevin Bowman, David Deiter, Jody Stormann
 4 Sarah Breymeyer
 5 Lori Barnhart
 6 Debbie Arnold, Valery Figs
 7 Eric Lee, Randy Murray, Randy Phillips
 8 Patrick Doherty, LeAnn Fouts, Julie Lassen, Maurey Spencer, Gloria Williams
 9 Vicky Johnson, Denise Pickens, Tim Romine, Judy Wheeler
 11 Al Villalobos
 12 Tarita Carpenter, Sharon Flinn, Mark Hague, Matt Herrin, Tim Nordyke, Loretta Tindell, Monya Zarazua
 13 Carla Elsea, Aimee Glase, Chelsea Myers

Anniversaries

40 Years

Suzanne Bateman (LDC), 8/20
 Ruben Ortiz (Dept E), 8/20
 Mary Lowrance (Foil), 8/24
 David Deiter (Maint), 8/27

35 Years

Darren Landers (Foil), 8/16
 Dan Rew (Whse), 8/16
 Jeanette Born (Foil), 8/21
 Berta Lough (Pkg), 8/28
 Doug Massey (Dept E), 8/28
 Lynda Sudduth (Flitter), 8/28
 Bill Brynds (Whse), 9/11
 Kathy Goscha (Fac Serv), 9/11
 Tim Romine (Maint), 9/11
 Nancy Smelser (Quality), 9/12
 Pam Sykaluk (Pkg), 9/12
 Mary Flanagan (CBF), 9/13

20 Years

Brent Flick (Maint), 8/16
 Patricia Jorgensen (Pkg), 8/20
 Patrick Riley (Pkg), 8/20
 Jeanette Bullock (Quality), 9/2

15 Years

Brenda Myers (R Print), 9/2

Thank You

My family & I would like to thank our Hallmark family for all the support & prayers during the illness and death of our daughter, mother and wife.

Bob Geddings (LDC)

Thanks to everyone who made my retirement day so special. Thank you also for all the help, support & friendship through the years.

Pat Ward (Retiree)



Andrea Schuetz (Pkg) and her husband, Joe, have a daughter, Abigail Marilyn, born July 2. Congratulations!



25 Years

Mike Mestagh (Foil Bobst) started 08/15/1988. He worked in Card Separation, Large Die Cut, Injection Mold, Flitter, the Warehouse, Reproduction and the Foil Stamp before transferring to his present department in 2003. Mike will receive his anniversary gift from David Millen on Thursday, August 15.

Terry Yarnell (CSA) started 08/17/1988. She worked in Bows, Production Control, Packaging, Card Shop and Reproduction before transferring to her present department in 2006. Terry will receive her anniversary gift from David Millen on Thursday, August 15.

Gene Petrie (Production) started 09/12/1988. He worked in Card Scrap Separation, Packaging, Quality, Rotary Print and Foil Stamp before transferring to his present department. Gene will be honored with a coffee on Friday, September 13, open to the plant at 9:30am.

Eric Watts (LDC) started 09/12/1988. He worked in Card Scrap Separation, Bows and Foil Stamp before transferring to his present department. Eric will receive his anniversary gift from David Millen on Thursday, September 12.

Happy Retirement!

Jim Davenport (Topeka Fac Serv) retired July 8.

The following employees will retire on August 23: **Jack Barnett** (Greetings Creo) and **Kathy Johnson** (Topeka Prod Serv). Congratulations to all!