

# BCE News

## Homecoming Royalty 2021



**King  
Paul Gorsch**



**Queen  
Peggy Dempsey**



**Prince  
Bob Kriener**



**Princess  
Margaret Dyer**

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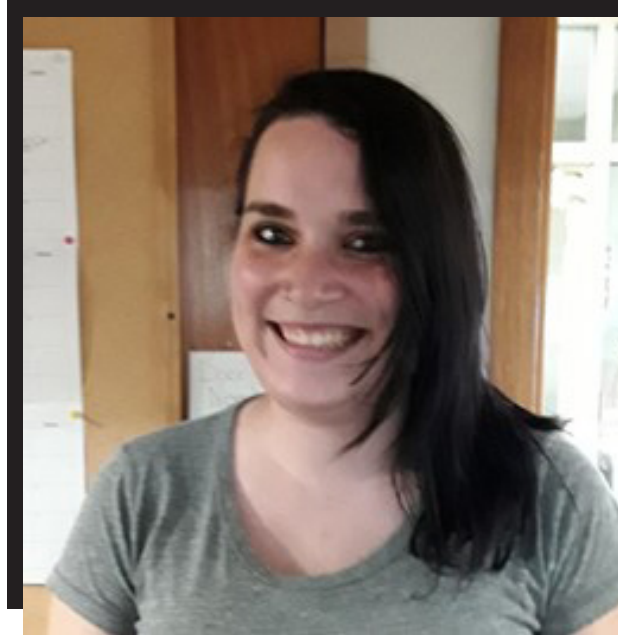
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# Employee Spotlight

## *Cassie Foels*



### **Cassie Foels – Activity Assistant**

Employee since November of 2018

Cassie has always wanted to travel to Greece, but for now, she will go wherever her little girl tells her to go.

Cassie said it was cute of us to think she has a life when asked what she likes to do for fun. Eventually she came clean and told us she enjoys Sunday family dinners and spending time outdoors with her family.

Cassie is quite the picky eater, but if you want her to swipe right, offer to take her out for Chinese or for rolls at the local Texas Roadhouse.

When Cassie isn't two-stepping to Hank Williams Sr. or some 90's country, you'll find her crying herself to sleep listening to Johnny Cash. What you won't hear coming out of her speakers is classical music and rap. She finds them both frightening and tiresome.

Cassie loves a good comedy, especially if Jim Carrey or Ryan Reynolds are involved. What Cassie doesn't love are horror movies and anything with Angelina Jolie. She says they are both scary.

Cassie's favorite color is purple and her favorite smells are fresh rain and stink bait. What Cassie loves most about working here is the relationships formed with the residents.

The staff and residents appreciate everything Cassie does here and how willing she is to jump in and help. Not only is Cassie an activity assistant, she is also a CNA and is cross-trained in housekeeping, bedmaking and laundry.

# RESIDENT SPOTLIGHT

## BOB KRIENER

**Bob's favorite place to travel is Texas and said he does not like snow.**



**Bob says that he never has to wrestle Sue for the remote control because he will always give in to his wife – “If she’s not happy, I’m not happy.”**

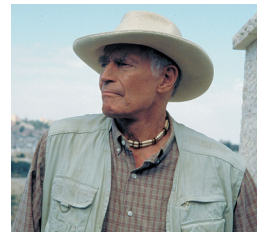


**He says his favorite people in the world are his wife Sue, his son Mike and his grandchildren.**

**Bob also enjoys listening to country music and his favorite holiday is Christmas and his birthday.**

**Bob said his favorite food is goulash and that he also knows his way around a grill – “I like my steaks cooked medium. I don’t put ketchup on my steak either, but I will put it on my fries like a normal man would and also on my mac and cheese.”**

**Bob said that he likes to watch good, old-fashioned westerns and always loved Charlton Heston movies. Bob’s favorite movie is It’s a Mad Mad Mad Mad World.**



**When asked to share his favorite hobbies, Bob said anything that has to do with baseball and he said, “Anyone who knows me knows I love the Atlanta Braves,” and “I used to like fishing and hunting but I’m too lazy for that now.” Bob remembers playing pitcher for both high school and town team baseball.**





### *RESIDENT BIRTHDAYS*

November 1  
Gary Freeman

November 18  
Johnny Slaymaker

November 4  
Doralee Beaderstadt

November 27  
Dorothy Bowman

November 4  
Patricia Hilligas



### **EMPLOYEE BIRTHDAYS**

November 3  
Deb Schmidt

November 3  
Linda Schultz

November 9  
Zelda Kramer

November 12  
Dena VanDee

November 17  
Kayleigh Holland

November 22  
Christina Kasal

November 26  
Deb Lalli

November 29  
Pam McKay

November 29  
Keri Hansen

## **Happy Anniversary**

November 5 - 33 Years  
Peggy Hilligas

November 5 - 1 Year  
Stevie Reed

November 16 - 1 Year  
Linda Schultz

November 20 - 3 Years  
Nancy Kephart

November 26 - 3 Years  
Veronica Stevens

November 28 - 3 Years  
Cassie Foels

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR YEARS OF SERVICE AND DEDICATION**



**We offer local meal deliveries at lunchtime Monday thru Friday. Please spread the word to anyone you feel may benefit from this service and give us a call at (641) 522-9263 or shoot an email to Andrea at [andrea.devilder@bcecares.com](mailto:andrea.devilder@bcecares.com) for more details!**

### **ACH Electronic Payments are available**

Just a reminder that invoices for resident care can be paid via ACH. A paper bill will still be mailed, but payments will be automatically paid on the 7th of each month via ACH. Contact Leslie by phone, (641) 522-9263 or email [leslie.kirkpatrick@bcecares.com](mailto:leslie.kirkpatrick@bcecares.com) if you are interested in this payment option.

Virtual visits are still available. Please call the facility to see if someone is available to assist you with this.

Indoor visits are being offered seven days a week with ten time slots available each day. Please call the facility at (641) 522-9263 to set up an appointment. As a reminder, we must continue the check-in process at the beginning of your visit like usual, so please wait for assistance before entering the building. We appreciate everyone's cooperation.

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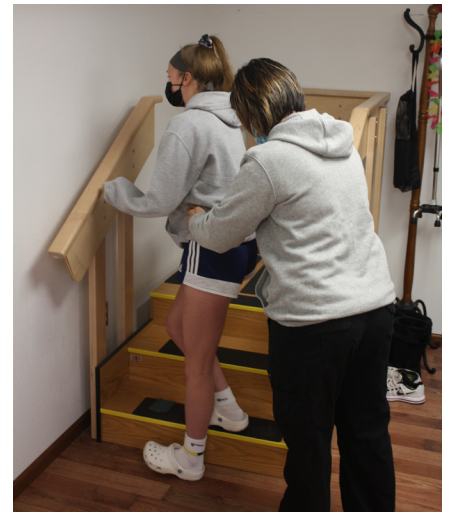
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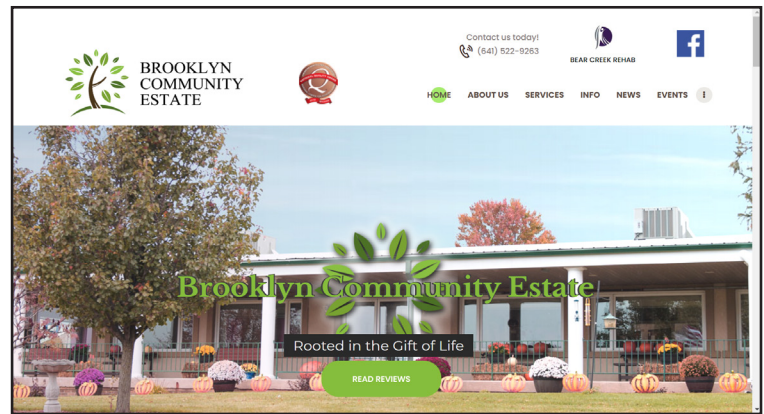


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in joining our team?

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