

# RNI Chatter



## HAPPY 2nd ANNIVERSARY RNI CHATTER!

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### RNI, Inc. held the first Inservice Day on October 14th at Eastbrook Center

RNI, Inc. brought all of the Crawford and Richland County employees together at the Eastbrook Center in Madison for an in-service meeting. The attendees received an opening welcome and remarks from Executive Director, Amanda South. The morning session included annual MUI training from Diana Haumesser and Best Practices presentation and trivia game. After a break for lunch the group was entertained with the Yes/No team building activity, self-advocacy speaker Joshua Anderson and we wrapped up the day with a team building activity with outcomes and goals. The meeting was well attended and enjoyed by the employees. Please see several photos from the day below and on Page 5.



### November 2019 Calendar of Events at RNI, Inc.

- 11/01 - Halloween Dance Crawford 6-8 PM - Fairway School Gym
- 11/01 - First Friday at the Element of Art with live music ~ 5pm-8pm
- 11/01 - RNI Pay Day
- 11/06 - Workers' Council 10:15 AM- Crawford location
- 11/12 - Community Connections @ Glo-n-Dark putt putt 5pm ~7pm
- 11/15 - RNI Pay Day
- 11/20 - Aktion Club Meeting 1:30 PM- 4th Street location
- 11/25 - People's First Meeting 1:30 PM- 4th Street Location
- 11/28-29 - CLOSED ~ No Programs
- 11/28 - RNI Pay Day

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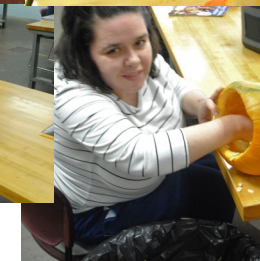
## Many outings taken by Social Integration Crawford in October

The Crawford Social Integration department continues to keep busy with local events, special seasonal trips, and of course volunteering and looking for ways to give back to the community. Some of the local events include participating in chair yoga at the YMCA and our very own Emily who comes once a month to do a class at the workshop, painting class at the Bucyrus Library, early morning breakfast to get the day started right, and all the awesome activities that our Council on Aging provides for the seniors in our county: movie and donuts, live bluegrass music, bingo and card making. They had a couple seasonal/special trips this month with the Synergy Conference, the festival at The Farm at Walnut Creek, and a special presentation of Metallica performing with the San Francisco Symphony viewing at Polaris. Our Acts of Kindness group is again making cards for HomeCare Matters to pass out to patients receiving hospice care and we have made some wooden pumpkins to give to someone as a “just because” gift. It’s also never too early to start thinking about Christmas, so we have begun to get in the spirit by having some craft making days with sing along to our favorite songs!



## Halloween Pumpkin Carving and Decorations around Richland

The RNI, Inc. activities area carved and decorated pumpkins during the month of October. There was also a lot of Fall and Halloween decorating being done by many of the different areas at our 4th Street location. Please stop in the activities area and enjoy some of their work. Here are some of the photos from around the 4th Street RNI location. Photos courtesy of Heather McLaughlin, RNI Chatter Photographer.



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## November Employee Anniversaries

<b>Denise VanMeter</b>	<b>11/21/2019</b>	<b>31 Years</b>
<b>Tammy Bond</b>	<b>11/25/2019</b>	<b>27 Years</b>
<b>Jill Boyd</b>	<b>11/29/2019</b>	<b>26 Years</b>
<b>Charles Jeffries</b>	<b>11/19/2019</b>	<b>7 Years</b>
<b>Tonya Crall</b>	<b>11/29/2019</b>	<b>7 Years</b>
<b>Leeann Means</b>	<b>11/24/2019</b>	<b>5 Years</b>
<b>Anna Salas</b>	<b>11/23/2019</b>	<b>3 Years</b>
<b>Krista Grove</b>	<b>11/18/2019</b>	<b>3 Years</b>
<b>Molly Adkins</b>	<b>11/07/2019</b>	<b>1 Year</b>



## Element of Art—Class Schedule for November

**Acrylic Painting class with Sarah Stickney** (Community Welcome) Cost is \$20 per class which includes instruction and materials needed. Classes will be held on **Mondays** from 10:30 am – 1:30 pm. Class dates will be **November 4th, 11th, 18th, and 25th**.

**Ceramics Class with Suzanne Madden** - (Community Welcome) Cost is \$35 per class for instruction, firing and materials. Class will be held **Tuesdays** from 10:30 am – 1:30 pm. Class dates will be **November 5th, 12th, 19th and 26th**.

**Photography Class with Sarah Stickney** - (Community Welcome) Cost is \$20 per class for instruction and developing. Class will be held **Tuesday evenings** from 3:00 pm – 8:00 pm. Class dates will be **November 5th, 12th, 19th and 26th**.

**Glass Class with Alisha Coleman** - (Community Welcome) Cost is \$20 per class for instruction, materials and firing. Class will be held **Tuesday evenings** from 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm. Class dates will be **November 5th, 12th, 19th and 26th**.

**Jewelry Class with Noah Evans** - (Community Welcome) Cost is \$15 for the instruction and materials. Classes will be held **Wednesdays** from 10:30 am - 1:30 pm. Class dates will be **November 6th, 13th, 20th and 27th**.

**Mixed Class with Diane Googins** - (Community Welcome) Cost is \$15 per class for instruction and materials. Classes will be held **Wednesday evenings** from 5:30 pm – 7:30 pm. Class dates will be **November 6th, 13th, 20th and 27th**.

**Expressive Illustrative Class with Noah Evans** - (Community Welcome) Cost is \$15 for the class, instruction and materials. Workshop will be held **Thursdays** from 10:30 am - 1:30 pm. Class dates will be **November 7th, 14th and 21st**.

**Wild Turkey Clay Workshop with Noah Evans** - (Community Welcome) Cost is \$15 per class for instruction and materials. Class will be held **Thursday evening** from 6:30 - 8:30 pm. Class dates will be **November 7th and 21st**.

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**RNI, Inc. Team: Let's increase our presence on Social Media and increase our LIKES on Facebook. LIKE and SHARE us on Facebook to invite your friends to LIKE us too. UPDATED 10/29/19; we are at:**

City Garden Café is at 292 LIKES, can we get to 500 LIKES, 208 LIKES to go ??

Element of Art Studio/Gallery is at 1,676 LIKES, can we get to 2000 LIKES, 324 LIKES to go ??

Richland Newhope Industries is at 1,549 LIKES, can we get to 2000 LIKES, 451 LIKES to go ??

Trillium Event Center is at 531 LIKES, can we get to 1000 LIKES, 469 LIKES to go ??

Please help us increase our Social Media exposure by liking and sharing our four (4) Facebook pages. City Garden Café, Element of Art Studio/Gallery, Trillium Event Center and Richland Newhope Industries !!



## RNI eCycle partners with Celina Insurance Group to host Community eCycling Day

On September 28th RNI held an eCycling event partnering with the Celina Insurance Group. They had an amazing turnout, bringing in 13,000 pounds of material. 106 towers, 30 laptops, 12 tablets, 131 hard drives, 63 monitors, 94 printers, 135 tv's, 5 pounds of batteries, 326 pounds of stereo equipment, 204 keyboards, 997 pounds of IT equipment! Members of the community were greeted with coffee and donuts upon pulling through to drop off their electronics. Joey Valerio accompanied Marsha, Gavin, and David to help out with the event. Soon after the event started we had filled an entire trailer full of computer towers, printers, TV's and much more. We even had to call Chuck in with the box truck for backup! We want to thank Celina Insurance Group for funding this wonderful event as well as Rinehart-Walters Danner Insurance Agency for partnering with us and allowing us to have the event at their site.



## Many outings and events held at RNI in October

There were many outings and events held at RNI throughout the month of October. The Community Connections group went to Apple Hill Orchard. Outings were planned to Kingwood Center and RNI had a Breast Cancer Awareness Day as well as Domestic Violence Awareness Day at all locations. Many people participated by wearing pink and purple!





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## More photos from the RNI, Inc. In-service Day on 10/14



A Warm Chatter Thank You to Heather McLaughlin for taking and sending the photos over to The RNI Chatter!!