

IN THE FAMILY

KenCrest Staff Newsletter

August/September 2021

SunnyBrook Ballroom, a New Employee Partner

The last few months have been full of professional achievement for Danny, Allyson, and Kevin. These three people began working at SunnyBrook Ballroom around the same time and have grown to love their work and contributions around the venue.

Danny cleans the bridal suites and ballroom by vacuuming, sweeping, and mopping. Allyson completes loads of laundry and keeps the silverware nice and shiny. Kevin greets guests and helps to set up and tear down for events.

Do you know of a company or organization who may be interested in becoming an Employee Partner? Don't wait and email Allison Smale, Director of Employment, asmale@kencrest.org.



KenCrest Merch: Mugs, Shirts, Totes, & More



The KenCrest Store is officially open! Drop by our online shop to purchase a shirt at bonfire.com/store/the-kencrest-store. By making a purchase today, you can help support our mission of exploring possibilities, mobilizing resources, and empowering dreams.

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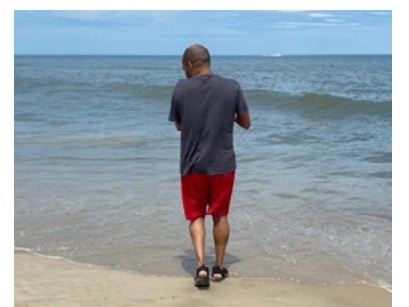
Thought Leadership On-the-Go



KenCrest dedicated a webpage for Thought Leadership! On it, we will feature blog posts, published articles, speaking engagements at conferences, and more regarding topics at the heart of our mission. Come see what our CEO, Marian Baldini and other KenCrest leadership members are doing to influence change in the human services industry! kencrest.org/thought-leadership

Making the Best of Summer 2021

Summer 2021 was a step toward normalcy. One of our favorite parts of the season was seeing the journeys of the daytrips and vacations many of the people we support took during the last several weeks. From the Philadelphia Zoo to the Delaware State Fair, Ocean City, Maryland, Wildwood, New Jersey, and more!



Have a story? Send an email to kencrest.communications@kencrest.org

Get Involved: Good Neighbors Time Bank



Time Banking is for everyone! Come on board to participate in this non-monetary economy with members dedicated to helping each other and their communities. Join us as we create a culture where everyone has something to offer. Contact Allison Smale to sign up or learn more at asmale@kencrest.org!

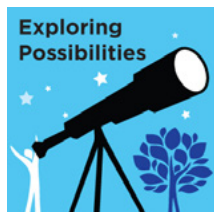
KenCrest Introduces “Ticket to Work”

KenCrest is participating in a new employment initiative through the Social Security Administration called Ticket to Work! Ticket to Work connects people ages 18 to 64 who receive Supplemental Security Income or Social Security Disability with free supports to help them decide if working is right for them, prepare for work, find a job, or increase their monthly income while maintaining funding and benefits.



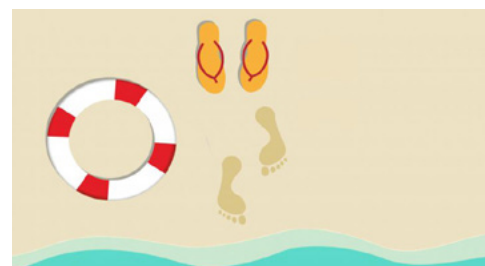
If someone you know could benefit from the Ticket to Work program or would like more information, please contact Wendy Pollock at wpollock@kencrest.org or call her at 215-407-1086.

Nominate a Teammate for a Mission Pin



KenCrest Missions Pins are awarded to staff in recognition of [exploring possibilities](#), [mobilizing resources](#), and [empowering dreams](#). Encourage and acknowledge those around us who exemplify our mission and bring it to life! Each pin is a reflection of how KenCrest supports community development. Anyone can nominate another to receive a Mission Pin for their contributions of initiative, ingenuity, creativity, support, generosity, etc. Please contact Sierra Force at sierra.force@kencrest.org or Lauren Tilghman at kencrest.communications@kencrest.org to submit your pin nomination stories and to receive your pin.

August & September Updates



August is Back to School Month, Family Fun Month, and Children’s Eye and Safety Month.

September is Self-Care Awareness Month, National Preparedness Month, as well as Childhood Cancer Awareness Month.

August 17th: National Non-Profit Day
September 6th: Labor Day
*960 Office is Closed for Observation
September 7th: Rosh Hashanah
September 22nd: First day of Fall

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