



THE GLENN GAZETTE

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Welcome Amelia Heath: Community Life Coordinator



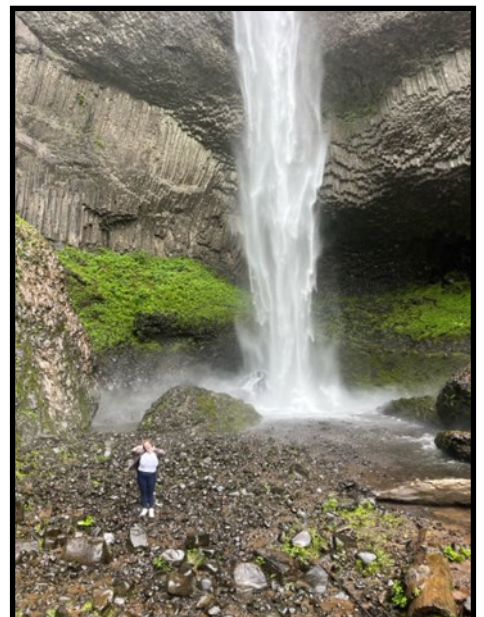
**Hi-
I'm Amelia!
I'm 20 years old
and live in
Plymouth with my
dad and 3 sisters. I
love animals and I
had a bunny named
Blaze for 8 years
and even 2 ducks. I
love doing arts and**



crafts like painting, clay, ext. I also am a barista so I'm very into making different coffee drinks with fun flavors and making syrups. I love to travel and go to new places and I'm trying my best to continue doing that into my adulthood. My family was a road trip family so we've driven most places and that's why I love driving and my car to this day. I love photography and I collect old cameras. My collection slowed down a bit



but I'm still always finding new ones at antique shops. My favorite hobby is going antiquing and thrifting, I like buying second hand but I also find all my fun jewelry there which is also something I really love.



SEPTEMBER RESIDENT BIRTHDAYS

- 9/7: Harvey Redepenning
- 9/8: John Becker
- 9/9: Mary Schmit
- 9/11: Marlys Evans
- 9/15: Jim Liska
- 9/19: Celine Watters
- 9/20: Linda Lord
- 9/24: Eda Altringer
- 9/26: Barbara Boe
- 9/26: Herbert Livingston
- 9/27: Maxine Holm
- 9/28: Anita Wilharm



SEPTEMBER STAFF BIRTHDAYS

- 9/7: Plunell Beer
- 9/8: Vince Nyaosi
- 9/9: Alissa Dvorak
- 9/11: Paul Retterath

Farewell Alicia



To the residents and the families that I didn't get to say goodbye to: Thank you for being some of the greatest people I have ever met.

Dearest Glenn Residents and all, I have some news to share with you.

As many of you already know, I will be leaving The Glenn on August 29th.

Reflecting on my time here, it has been an amazing journey, and I am incredibly grateful for all the opportunities and experiences I have had, as well as for the residents and their families I have been fortunate enough to bond with during my time here. I truly adore each and every one of you as if you were part of my own family.

I am so thankful for the chance to get to know many of you. Each of you has a fascinating background, and I feel like I have learned a lot about life from the stories and advice that you have shared with me throughout my time here. Every one of you has taught me a valuable lesson in life.

I also want to take this opportunity to express my heartfelt thanks to each one of you for showing me so much support, friendship, and love since the day I arrived nearly 2 years ago. The memories we have created together will always hold a special place in my heart. Words cannot express my gratitude towards you for welcoming me into your community and making me feel like a part of your family.

Although I am excited about my next adventure, leaving this team and this community is not easy. I will miss all of you so much, but I do plan to come back and visit.

This will not be our last goodbye.

Looking forward to seeing you all again,

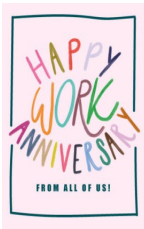
If I could leave you with one important thought, it would be this: never underestimate the power of a smile. Your smile is powerful and contagious, with the ability to brighten someone else's day. So, go ahead and be the reason someone smiles today!

Thanks for everything!

Alicia Mack
Community Life Coordinator

Happy Anniversary to Our Staff

- **Celebrating 3 Years:**
Sandra Katz
- **Celebrating 2 Years:**
Amanda Bochet & Alice Barmon
- **Celebrating 1 Year:**
Linnet Gomez, Kashana Jenkins, Nanginyi Mollel, Vince Nayosi, Bendu Snyder, & Sarah Stockhausen



Welcome New Staff Members

Housekeeping:

Alivia Birdsley

LPN:

Alice Kiaye

Community Life Coordinators:

Amelia Heath & Shelley Bergman

Resident Assistants:

Winda Wright & Kimberly Williams



FAMILY COUNCIL

Families have the right to meet with other family members at The Glenn Minnetonka.

We have reserved the Chapel every second Wednesday of the Month at 5:00pm.

Please note this meeting is not attended by a staff person, unless requested by the families participating.

Amanda Bochet is the designated staff member to provide support and follow-up as needed. She is happy to assist with coordinating a speaker if there is interest in a particular topic. Please contact Amanda at 952-345-4408 or at ABochet@greatlakesmc.com if you have any questions. Thank you to all of our families!!!



Meet Our Leadership Team

Jen Zinnel

Executive Director

Amanda Bochet

Assistant Executive Director

Quinn Glessing

Director of Nursing

Cheri Boeser

Business Office Manager

Mona Lindemoen

Senior Business Office Manager

Alissa Dvorak

Community Life & Volunteer Director

Pam Lane

Marketing Director

Deacon Michael Nevin

Pastoral Care Director

Paul Retterath

Maintenance Director

Pam Polus

Housekeeping Supervisor

Heidi Lerman

Unidine Dining Services Manager

Rose Stenberg

Salon Director

If you have any concerns or feedback, please reach out to any of the staff above to receive assistance and follow-up

Attention Residents

In order to best serve each of you, it's important that we are aware of all residents who use oxygen and/or power recliners. In the event of an extended power loss, we need to ensure we know of the folks who may need additional support. Please check with the front desk to ensure you are on our list.