



CWTC

Where people with disabilities  
live, work and grow.

# CWTC Insider

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## Consumer Spotlight



Heather is this month's Consumer Spotlight! Customers and co-workers at the Lariat Steakhouse in Peoria know they can count on two things when Heather is working. The job gets done and her engaging smile brightens their day. Heather joined the Lariat Steakhouse team in 1995 while she was still in high school and continues to blossom. Her work ethic, attention to detail and love for people have made their partnership a success.

## A Message From Patti

Dear friends,

March is developmental disabilities awareness month. As we celebrate all the accomplishments of our consumers with disabilities, we also would like to thank some of our community partners.

We have worked with over 100 businesses in the area placing consumers with community jobs. CWTC appreciates all the employers that have hired our individuals and welcomed them into their work families.

CWTC would also like to thank Caterpillar and Rome Industries for providing work opportunities to over 200 adults with disabilities on a daily basis at our main facility in Peoria. Our consumers are improving their work skills, becoming more independent and more self-sufficient.

It is because of the support that we have received from our community partners that individuals with disabilities are maximizing their potential for independence and becoming successful in their daily lives.

With gratitude,

Patti Gratton



## Inspiring Art Abilities Art Show Soon!

### Friday, March 31

CWTC presents a stirring exhibition of art, Friday, March 31st at the "Inspiring Art Abilities Art Show." The show will be held at the Mt. Hawley Country Club and begins at 6:00PM.

This event is to show off the many talents of our CWTC consumers through art. Artwork will be on display this evening and will be for sale during our silent auction. Sales from this event will go to the artist and back to CWTC's Inspiring Art Abilities Program. This program is partially funded through a grant from the Fritz and Doris S. Reuling Charitable Fund of the Community Foundation of Central Illinois.



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**Community Workshop & Training Center, Inc.**

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Tickets are \$25 in advance and \$30 at the door and available [HERE!](#) See

## Employment!

CWTC is seeking employees that are looking for a rewarding job. Available positions are listed [HERE](#) and you can download an application [HERE!](#)

pictures from last year's event [HERE!](#)



## MARCH IS DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES AWARENESS MONTH

CWTC thanks our Central Illinois businesses for giving adults with disabilities employment opportunities!

## WISH LIST!

We appreciate everyone who has taken the time to check out our "Wish List" every month. If you haven't seen our Wish List yet, please take a moment and [check it out today!](#) If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us. Every bit helps!



## DONATE!

CWTC depends on the generosity of individuals in the community to help people in need and much less fortunate than most. Click [HERE](#) to donate today!

Thank you!

## Take a Tour



If you would like to take a tour of CWTC and see what our staff and consumers do on a daily basis, we would love to show you. It takes about 30 minutes and we think you'll find it very rewarding. Contact [Rick Stephenson](#) for more information.

## Mission Statement

Our Central Illinois organization provides programs and services to adults with disabilities; enriching their quality of life, promoting social change, and optimizing their potential for independence.



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