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## PI & PCRC Employees Participate in Special Olympics

The Person County Arts & Parks Department and Special Olympics Person County held their 2023 Spring Games on May 10, 2023 at Person High School. Person Industries' employees participated in the day's activities. Our employees received the following:

50 Meter Dash: 1st place—Marquis B. and Mickey B.; 2nd place—Darlneisha P. and McArthur E.; 3rd place—Alvin W. and Sandra S.; 4th place—Samuel W.

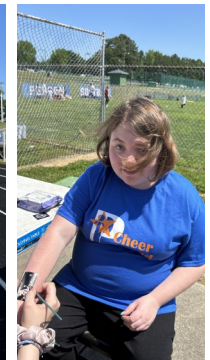
Standing Long Jump: 1st place—Marquis B., Alvin W., Sandra S., and



John R.; 2nd place—Emily V., Samuel W., and Mickey B; 3rd place—Darlneisha P. and McArthur E.

Softball Throw: 1st place— Sandra S., Samuel W., Alvin W., John R., and Marquis B.; 2nd place—Emily V., Darlneisha P., and McArthur E; 3rd place—Mickey B.

We also had the PI Cheer Squad: Wallace C., Felice J., De'Ronta V., Melinda G., and Wendy V.



We are very proud of all the hard work and training that these individuals put in to participate in these events. Thank you to the volunteer students from Person High School that assisted the athletes, as well as PI staff members Bailey Hunt, Michelle Morales, Michael Stephens, and LaKesha Jones for their assistance. Congratulations on a job well done!



### What does SAFETY mean to you?

This month's Safety Corner comes from Samuel W. at PCRC. Samuel, what does safety mean to you?

“Safety means following the rules to work safely. Looking after your coworkers and letting them know when things are dirty on the line so they don't put their hand on it.”

Safety plays a huge part in our day to day operations at PI & PCRC and we are happy that so many individuals take it seriously.



# Kim Morgan Pursues Dream Away From PI



Kim Morgan ran our Innovations Program for 6 years. During that time, we got to know Kim on a deeper level than just co-worker—we learned of her love for animals and nature. Not only did she efficiently run a great program but she was our snake charmer, spider saver, rodent guardian, and anything else that dealt with animals and reptiles alike. Due to this love of hers, her childhood dream was to work in nature, focusing on conservation of endangered species. She was



offered and accepted a job with the Virginia Department of Wildlife where she will participate in surveys to find, protect, and relocate freshwater mussels.

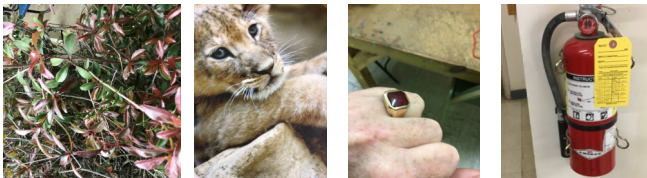
Although Kim will be greatly missed, this opportunity is extremely exciting and she is able to pursue a life long dream her dream.

Congratulations Kim, PI/PCRC will always be a home for you!



## Healthy Living Program—Back Up and Running!

We are super excited that our Healthy Living Program is now back up and running. As we get back into the swing of things, more classes will be offered and more participation will be available. Currently, we are working on Healthy Mind and Body, focusing on Aerobics and Photography. Here are some photos from the current class:



# STAFF TRAINING DAY

Friday, June 9, 2023 has been scheduled as an annual day of training for all PI staff. This annual training event will be held at the Mayo Environmental and Education Center from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. (See *Staff Training Day Agenda*.)

To accommodate training needs, PI Main and PCRC will be closed to all program employees. Gates of the Person County Recycling Center will remain open.



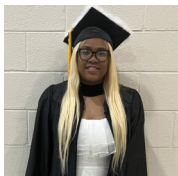
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8:00 – 8:30	Breakfast	All Staff
8:30 – 9:30	Announcements, CPI Disengagement Skills, CARF Review Updates	Amanda Everett, PI Director
9:30-10:15	Accessibility Plan	Lisa Jeffreys
10:15 – 10:30	Break	All Staff
10:30-10:45	Drug-Free Workplace	Amanda Everett
10:45-11:15	Corporate and Ethical Compliance	Michael Stephens, Asst. Director
11:15-12:00	Disability Awareness/ADA Training	Amanda Everett
12:00—1:30 pm	LUNCH	All Staff
1:30—2:00	Communications—Know Your True Color	Amanda Everett
2:00—4:00	Team Building	Jody Blackwell, PCC

## Up Close at Person

Person Industries sends their condolences to staff member Tanya Palmer, in the loss of her sister, Denise Ellis Suggs. Denise. Denise passed away on May 11, 2023 at her home in Brooklyn, NY.



On a positive note in the Palmer family, we would like to send congratulatory wishes to Habilitation Assistant Tanya Palmer and her daughter Syreeta Hunter, who both graduated from Southside Community College the weekend of May 13, 2023. Tanya received her associates degree in Applied Science in General Studies with a major in Human Services. Her daughter, Syreeta, graduated with an associates degree in Applied Science in General Studies. Hard work and dedication is the key to success—congratulations ladies!



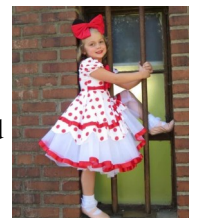
*Congratulations to these sweet little girls on their performances at their dance recitals:*



*Miss Bailey Carr, 5 year old granddaughter of Lead Program Manager Lisa Jeffreys, danced her heart out the weekend of May 20th with Fabulous Feet Dance Academy.*

*Miss Harley Rae Clayton, 5 year old granddaughter of retired Director and current Consultant Wanda Rogers, leaped her way across the stage with Christi's Dance Center the weekend of May 13th.*

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Prayers for one of our very own, Rhonda Gentry, as she begins a courageous battle. Rhonda, you have an entire team beside and behind you!



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