



Patrick shows the spring bunny he made in a class with guest instructor Lauren Delaney.

Stephen Quintin Memorial Enrichment Fund Will Continuously Improve Lives

By NEV Staff

Stephen Quintin, the brother of New England Village resident Marilyn Quintin and NEV Board member Diane Dufault, passed away in January 2024. The Quintin family has a deep history with NEV as active Board and Family Association members and long-time donors. Stephen's obituary generously asked that donations in his name be made to NEV.

It read, "After losing his parents at a young age, Steve helped raise his younger siblings in the family home until the youngest started college. As Marilyn's guardian, his proudest achievement was securing a lifetime home for

Marilyn, who has intellectual and developmental disabilities. Marilyn leads a fulfilling life at New England Village, where she has lived for over 50 years."

Steve's long-time friend, Frank Wisneski, later contacted both the Quintin family and NEV leadership to inform us that he would donate the initial amount to establish the Stephen Quintin Memorial Enrichment Fund, and requested that these funds be used for enrichment programming. The fund is restricted in perpetuity in NEV's Endowment, with the annual earnings from the fund to be used towards programming such as all-abilities yoga classes or nutrition/ cooking workshops. In addition, Frank asked if other contributions made in memory of Stephen Ouintin could also be used towards enrichment programming.

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FROM THE OFFICE OF THE CEO

Leadership Transition at New England Village - A Message from the Chair of the Board of Directors

We extend our heartfelt gratitude and best wishes to Stephanie Costa, who will be stepping down as President & CEO of New England Village (NEV) at the end of June to take on an exciting new role as President & CEO of the Association for Developmental Disabilities Providers (ADDP). In her new position, Stephanie will lead Massachusetts' foremost advocacy organization for community-based providers, working to strengthen agencies like NEV and ensure the continued quality, access, and support for individuals with disabilities. Her new role will begin on July 1, 2025.

Stephanie has been an invaluable leader at NEV, guiding our organization with passion and dedication over the past six years. While we will miss her leadership, we are incredibly proud that she will continue advocating for the entire provider community in this new capacity.

The Board of Directors has begun working on a transition plan, with the support of NEV's experienced senior leadership team to ensure stability. A search committee will be formed in the coming weeks to guide the process of selecting NEV's next leader.

We will continue to provide updates as this transition unfolds. Please join us in congratulating Stephanie on this exciting new opportunity and thanking her for her years of dedication to New England Village!

- Sabrina Nicholson, Chair

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A Season of Renewal and Transition - From the Office of the CEO

Spring is a season of renewal, and at New England Village (NEV), it is always a wonderful time of year. The arrival of warm weather means that the people we support are able to enjoy the fresh air, take walks, and participate in outdoor activities that bring them joy. Seeing everyone out and about on these nicer days is a reminder of the vibrant community we have built together. Yet, as I take in these moments, I am also struck by the challenges ahead and the critical work that still needs to be done to protect and strengthen services for individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities (I/DD).

Advocacy for human services is more important now than ever. In the Fall 2024 edition of Scoops, I shared exciting news about the increases we received this year in our contracts with the Department of Developmental Services (DDS) for Adult Long-Term Residential services. These much-needed increases allowed NEV to raise wages in the fall, contributing to both

recruitment and retention. As a result, we have seen positive momentum, with vacancy rates declining across all positions. This is not just a win for NEV but for the entire community that relies on dedicated professionals to provide high-quality care. Anyone connected to this field knows that these roles require more than just skill—they require heart. The individuals who work in this sector must be compassionate. patient, and deeply committed. They must also possess significant specialized knowledge in areas such as medication administration, medical protocols, and behavioral supports. Their work is invaluable, and they deserve to be recognized and supported.

Yet, despite this progress in addressing workforce shortages, securing long-term stability for I/DD services remains a challenge. NEV, along with many other organizations, continues to advocate for strong, sustainable funding and policies that support individuals with I/DD. At the core of this effort is Medicaid. which remains the foundation of these essential supports, enabling people with I/DD to live full and independent lives in their homes and communities. Any shifts in funding or policy changes at the federal or state level can have significant ripple effects, impacting not only NEV but the entire network of services that individuals rely on every day.

Medicaid funding for I/DD services is a partnership between state and federal governments, ensuring that providers can continue delivering high-quality supports. Any reductions "I encourage all families and friends of our community to stay informed, get involved, and help safeguard these essential supports for the future."

or restructuring of these funds can place additional strain on already stretched resources, potentially leading to limitations in essential programs. Even when changes are not directly targeted at I/DD services, the broader financial pressures can create challenges for sustaining the support systems that individuals and families depend on.

Now, more than ever, we must remain engaged and proactive in advocating for these vital services. Ensuring the stability of Medicaid and other critical funding sources means protecting the rights, dignity, and well-being of individuals with I/DD. NEV remains steadfast in its mission to champion these needs, and I encourage all families and friends of our community to stay informed, get involved, and help safeguard these essential supports for the future.

This message is especially meaningful to me as I prepare to transition from my role as President & CEO of New England Village at the end of June. It has been a deeply rewarding experience to be part of this incredible community,

working alongside such dedicated staff, families, and supporters. While this change is bittersweet, I look forward to continuing to advocate for individuals with I/DD in my new role as President & CEO of the Association for Developmental Disabilities Providers (ADDP). ADDP plays a crucial role in advancing policies and advocating for resources that directly impact NEV and organizations like ours, and I am honored to continue serving this field in a new capacity.

As the Board of Directors begins the transition process, I have no doubt that NEV will remain in strong and capable hands. The senior leadership team, along with the dedicated staff who make NEV such a special place, will ensure that the organization continues to thrive. I am incredibly proud of what we have accomplished together and am grateful for the support, collaboration, and passion that define this community. As I step into my new role, I will carry with me the lessons, experiences, and deep appreciation I have gained at NEV, and I look forward to continuing to support this incredible organization and the people it serves.

I hope you enjoy reading the rest of this edition of Scoops, where you'll find inspiring stories, exciting updates, and highlights of the many great things happening across our community. NEV is a place of growth, resilience, and joy, and this newsletter is a testament to all the ways the individuals we support, their families, our staff and supporters make a difference every day. Thank you for being part of this journey.

Community Based Day Services



NEV residents bring cards to residents of Wingate at Silver Lake.



NEV residents bring cookies to our friends at the Pembroke Police Department.

The Living Center is Giving Back to Our Community

By Lan Baker

TLC participants enjoy contributing their time, skills, and resources to improve the wellbeing of the people and environment in their community. Within the past four months, TLC participants delivered cookies to the Pembroke Police, and holidays cards to the residents at the Wingate at Silver Lake in Kingston and All-American Assisted Living in Hanson. In February, Valentine's cards were delivered to Brockton VA Hospital for the veterans to enjoy.

Giving back to the community is important because it has a positive impact not just on those who are giving, but those who are receiving, and it improves people's quality of life within the community. Social connection is so important to all of us; it helps us build relationships with neighbors and fosters a sense of belonging in the community. It also allows for personal growth, and helps with the development of new skills, enhances empathy, and provides a sense of purpose.

I asked few of the TLC members why giving back to the community is important. Some of the replies were:

Michele said, "It makes me feel good to help others" and "I would want others to do the same for me."

Peter said, "I got to meet new people in the community and be friends with them. I like that."

Irene, who signed in ASL, said, "I like passing out cards."

Bookmarks for Local Libraries from CCEC

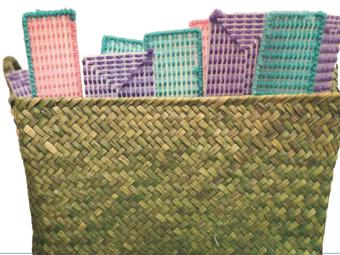
By Keith Escandel

For a while now, we have had individuals who enjoy sewing bookmarks at our program during their free time and have accumulated quite a few of them. Karen LaSalle and Melanie Robbins, specifically, have been rock stars, showing their sewing skills.

In January we were informed that several local libraries wanted to carry our bookmarks, which would be free to the public to take as needed. We put together baskets to hold the bookmarks for the libraries, along with cards to tell them a little about us here at NEV. Bookmarks can be found at the Plymouth Library, Plympton Library and the Pembroke Library.

To date, we have donated over 130 bookmarks and they seem to keep flying out of the baskets! We have plans in the upcoming month to distribute these to other libraries in the area that would be interested

in having them
available to their
patrons. So, if you
find yourself at one
of those locations
checking out
a book, don't
hesitate to grab a
bookmark handcrafted by the
individuals at CCEC.



Day Habilitation



ECE members help out at the Pembroke Firehouse Food Pantry.

Efron Center for Enrichment Gives Back

As part of curriculum during fall offerings, members talked about the importance and health benefits of giving back to the community. ECE members participated in two local community service drives.

In November, the annual Food Drive was held to benefit the Pembroke Firehouse Food Pantry. Members collected and delivered the donations of food, pet supplies and toiletries in time for families to celebrate Thanksgiving.

In January, members held a "Mitten Tree Drive" to benefit the Plymouth Area Coalition for the Homeless. Donations of hats, mittens, scarves, socks, clothing and coats were collected and donated so that everyone had the opportunity for warm clothing.

Thank you to all of our members and their families for contributing to support local families in need and giving back to your community!

Bistro and Enrichment Happenings

By Donna Clifford and Jen Luther

In October, members of The Bistro and Enrichment homerooms visited CN Smith Farm in East Bridgewater to enjoy the Fall festivities. Members explored the Halloween display, farm stand, pumpkin patch, green houses and fresh fall mums. They also visited with a variety of farm animals and enjoyed fresh apple cider and homemade apple cider donuts!





In January, members of the day program created these fun snowman crafts as a winter project. They came out great!



ECE staff broke out their favorite sweaters for "Ugly Sweater Day" prior to the December holidays. They know how to get in the spirit of the season!

Enrichment & Community Services

Unified Basketball

By Ginger Comeau

The New England Village/Pembroke Titans entered their 10th year of partnership with the Pembroke Recreation Department, offering individuals with and without intellectual and developmental disabilities the opportunity to compete on the court together. This year's roster was our largest ever, boasting 13 athletes, five unified partners and three coaches.

We were very excited to be able to practice weekly from November to March at the brand-new Pembroke Community Center. Our record of 1-7 does not capture the overall progress we made throughout the season. This team worked hard to improve and it definitely showed. The team hosted a home game on a recent Friday night, and the crowd was electric! We are looking to carry this excitement to the State Games in April. Go Titans!



New England Village's Little Free Library

By Melanie Rose-Zagwyn

It official - New England Village in on the Little Free Library map! This spring, New England Village installed a Little Free Library sharing box on the side lawn at the Sollar Wellness Center. This beautifully constructed and shingled library



was handmade and donated by ECE's Office Manager, Jonathan Weinman and his wife, Hope. NEV invites all residents, employees, families and community visitors to take or leave a book, a mini work of art or jigsaw puzzle.

Currently there are a selection of fiction and non-fiction books for all ages and mini masterpieces created by the artists of New England Village. A charter plaque dedication and grand opening is planned for May, during National Little Free Library month! For question or donations, please reach out to Melanie Zagwyn, NEV's Little Free Library Steward. New England Village and other officially registered libraries can be located on the website or app: https://littlefreelibrary.org/map/

Aktion Club Honored

By Ginger Comeau

The honors keep coming for Aktion Club! The Hanson Aktion Club recently received a Distinguished Club award in the New England & Bermuda District for its outstanding achievements over the past year. The club was also recognized as the second place International Winner for our digital scrapbook submission showcasing our club activities and service projects. Congratulations to this hard-working group who continue to strive to make a difference in their community.



Residential Services



We had some special visitors from WCVB Channel 5 in January.

Their "5 for Good" segment, featured the Plymouth County Sherriff's canine officer,

Deputy Dennis Desroches, his wife, Stacey, and their comfort dogs - Great Danes named Starr and Jersey, who are halfsisters. Dennis and his dogs are frequent visitors to New England Village, and the individuals here at NEV love to interact with these furry companions.

624 School Street



Janice
was looking
fabulous when
she attended
a recent family
wedding.

Our 624 School St. location recently had a beautiful new ramp installed for the use of the residents who live there. What a great final result!



House 2 Out and About!

Kristen and Karen went to see the Plymouth Philharmonic with staff on March 9 for the Looney Toons Cartoon Classics show at Memorial Hall in Plymouth.

Phil went to The Company Theater in Norwell with his sister on February 16 for a production of "Love Notes: A Swingin' Affair Big Band in Concert."

John went away with his sister for a long weekend in New Hampshire in early February.

Residential Services

Apt 7



We celebrated our annual Apt. 7 Christmas party with Sue and Sarah from clinical along with Molly.



Lisa celebrated her 40th anniversary here at NEV with her family AND... celebrated her 65th birthday with a surprise birthday bash in Ray Assembly Hall!



Duplex



Sarah receives a baking kit monthly which she shares with her housemates.



Patrick also baked muffins for his housemates.



The gentlemen (Patrick, Joe, and Paul) enjoyed the swing after making ice cream sundaes.









Joy and Lisa, with staff Angie, enjoyed some weekend activities on the Plymouth waterfront.





Residential Services

Nursing Program

Laboure College student nurses recently finished their semester of clinical practice at NEV. Our staff and residents enjoyed having them and getting to know them. The students, in turn, learned to familiarize themselves with the needs of the individuals we support, and gained experience in their clinical care, as well as their physical, emotional, and social wellbeing.





Valentine's Day Party!

Our annual Valentine's Day party was the place to be on February 14. The Ray Assembly Hall was filled with partygoers who were excited to dance and celebrate with their friends. While some spent the evening on the dance floor, others chose to work on creating giant Valentine hearts at their table.













FEATURE STORY CONT.



DSP Dennis Scoyne helps Josh cut vegetables.

Because some enrichment activities such as art, music and cooking classes are not covered by state funding, we greatly appreciated the generosity of Frank, and his decision to establish the Stephen Quintin Memorial Enrichment Fund. The fund supports opportunities for high-quality enrichment programming that will continue to enhance the lives of all those we support.

Several activities have already taken place, including a four-week culinary nutrition series for some of our residential homes who were looking to empower staff and residents in the kitchen. With education on healthy eating habits being a desired outcome.

"This is really going to help keep me on track with my Weight Watchers meal planning. I'm even going to share the recipes with my group," said resident Jessica S. after attending the first week of the "You're the Chef" series.

A concert with local musician Matt York took place in March. Matt's musical program brings the songs and stories of Johnny Cash, Willie

> Nelson and Waylan Jennings to life. "He was amazing. He can come back anytime he wants," resident Marisa R. said. In May, Sarah Troxler, from the South Shore Conservatory, will join us for a sing-along performance

The fund has also provided the opportunity for residents to work directly with artists from the community, especially during the recent confining and precipitationfilled months of winter. Art educator and business owner, Keely Farrell of Made in Manomet (a local business that offers a variety of creative art workshops) visited the Sollar Wellness Center recently to instruct residents in the art of metal embossing. Keely's years of public-school classroom instruction combined with her expertise in metal embossing, was a huge success for NEV's residential artists. Participants were completely captured and engaged in the multi-step techniques which working with metal requires, and were quite impressed with their own beautiful results!

NEV was also visited by artist-inresidence Lauren Delaney, owner and artist of "Creative Touches." Residents designed life-sized bunnies and lighted patriotic home decorations. The inclusion of community artists and creative business owners in the evening enrichment program provides the opportunity for creative-minded residents to enhance their already artful practices with new and exciting art mediums. Using a variety of art tools, techniques and mediums invigorates creativity, reinforces and expands hand-eye coordination skills, and provides multiple levels of social engagement.

"The Stephen Quintin Memorial Enrichment Fund will allow us to explore and offer a more diverse catalog of programs for the men and women we support," said Director of Enrichment & Community Services, Ginger Comeau. "Having access to opportunities that are outside of our typical program budget is very exciting and will have a huge impact on our community. The feedback on the programs we've offered so far have been nothing but positive."

We are so grateful for the generosity of the Stephen Quintin Memorial Enrichment Fund, and will continue to use it to enhance and improve the lives of those we support.



Terry cooked up some delicious veggies.



Marilyn Quintin is the sister of Stephen Quintin, whom the fund was named for.



Shanna Dooling

Shanna Dooling passed away on February 2, 2025. She celebrated her 20th Anniversary with New England Village just last year. Shanna was diminutive in stature, but she more than made up for it with her larger-than-life personality. She was a woman who knew what she wanted and had no problem making it clear.

Being in front of a camera was a foolproof way of getting Shanna to smile. She knew how to strike a pose, and loved to show off her outfit, her "muscles," her dance moves, or whatever she was working on at the time. Shanna was quite the fashionista and had themed outfits for just about every holiday. On her birthday each year she would wear a dress to work, which she very much looked forward to – it was often a topic of conversation for months before AND after the occasion. Shanna was a master

of ASL and enjoyed teaching to anyone willing to learn.

Most of all, Shanna loved people, and expressing that love. Each morning she paused to cheerily tell friends and staff, "Good morning!" and wish them a happy day. She adored her friends; whether she knew you for years or minutes, her standard greeting was waving enthusiastically with a huge smile and offering a handshake – which she used to quickly pull you into a hug with strength that belied her appearance. It should be no surprise that "friend" was the most-used sign in her repertoire, as that's what she used to describe most everyone she encountered. If you experienced even a fleeting second of her joy and warmth, there was no doubt that she truly meant it.

While she is gone far too soon, she has left us with countless memorable moments and hundreds of photos to remember her by. She is truly unforgettable, and her absence will be felt for a long time.



Kevin Shanahan

Kevin Shannahan passed away on January 6, 2025. Kevin was a cherished member of the New England Village community for 24 years, and his presence left an indelible mark on everyone who had the privilege of knowing him.

Kevin was a man of impeccable style and undeniable charm, taking great pride in his appearance. Staff fondly recall times in years past where he was dressed in a suit for parties, radiating confidence and sophistication. His sharp attire was a reflection of his personality and his love of looking his best.

He had a natural charisma that endeared him to many, and he had a remarkable ability to form close, meaningful connections with his preferred staff and housemates in House 4. His easygoing and warm demeanor made these relationships truly special.

Beyond his charm and sense of style, Kevin had a passion for swimming and found great joy in the water. The pool was his happy place, offering him relaxation and contentment. He also cherished shopping trips, hikes, outings to McDonald's and weekly visits from his loving parents.

A strong self-advocate, Kevin had an extraordinary ability to communicate his wants and needs demonstrating determination and resilience in making his wants known. This determination was as remarkable as his charm.

Kevin will be deeply missed, but his legacy of charm, and unforgettable style will forever remain in the hearts of all who knew him.



Linda Berkovich

Linda Berkovich passed away on November 15, 2024. Linda was a resident of NEV for over 50 years, and her presence left an indelible mark on all who knew her. Fiercely

independent and a strong advocate for herself and others, Linda exemplified determination, strength, and an unwavering zest for life.

She was a vibrant member of the community, known for her love of the social atmosphere at The Efron Center for Enrichment and her active participation in the Aktion Club. Linda also took pride in helping train new staff, ensuring they understood the importance of honoring schedules and meeting the needs of others.

Linda embraced life fully, always eager for travel and a packed social calendar. She never missed an opportunity to have fun or be an engaged member of her community. A lover of the Beatles, a math wizard, and a true foodie, Linda relished good meals at restaurants and had a special fondness for rainbow sherbet.

Her courage and resilience were unmatched; no obstacle could keep her from living life on her own terms. Her inspiring will to live a meaningful and fulfilling life will remain in our hearts forever.

ORGANIZATIONAL NEWS

Development



Thank you Jersey Mikes!

Many thanks to our amazing friends at the Doug Flutie, Jr. Foundation for Autism for donating lunch from Jersey Mike's Subs to the people we support and staff on March 3. Some of our individuals had lunch at the Pembroke location and then brought delicious subs back to NEV. Thank you also to the friendly and welcoming crew at Jersey Mike's. We are so grateful to have such wonderful community partners!

Ft. Meyers Trip

NEV's good friend Paul Sullivan, VP of Sullivan Tire & Auto Service, once again generously sponsored a trip to Ft. Myers for several of our individuals and staff to see the Boston Red Sox take on the Baltimore Orioles on St Patrick's Day where they got to go out on the field and yell "Play Ball." Everyone had a fantastic time! Thank you to Paul, Mike and Dru at Sullivan Tire for once again being amazing hosts.









Pete, Hillary, and Chuck, along with staff, had a blast in Ft. Myers.

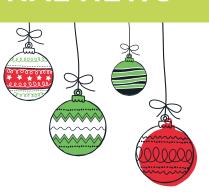
Save the Date! NEV Family & Friends Day Saturday, September 13th (Rain Day, September 14th) NEV welcomes guests to our School St. location for food, entertainment, prizes, the State of the Village address and more!

ORGANIZATIONAL NEWS



Annual Holiday Party!

We had an absolutely amazing Holiday Party at Indian Pond Country Club in Kingston in December. There was food, music, so much laughter and, of course, dancing! This was our biggest holiday event yet, and our individuals and staff had an incredible time. Many thanks to our great friend, Paul Sullivan, and his staff of volunteers from Sullivan Tire & Auto Service. We appreciate them so much for funding this event each year to celebrate those we support.





Employee Event

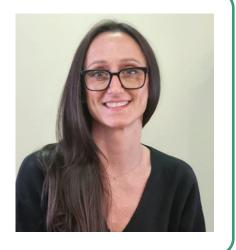
Employees were treated to an evening of fun and games in March at the Courtside Bar & Grill at The Wolves Den in Pembroke. Our hardworking staff enjoyed good food, pool, darts, cornhole and lots of laughs! It was a great venue and a well-deserved opportunity to unwind and socialize outside of work. This event was organized by the Employee Recognition & Engagement Committee.





Congratulations!

Lead Behavior Specialist Sarah Carpenter completed her Master's in Science degree in Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) from Arizona State University. Way to go, Sarah!



Welcome New Hires!



Rob Lever

Senior Director of Operations

Rob Lever joins NEV as our new Senior Director of Operations. Rob brings over 15 years of combined human services experience, and began his career as an Information Technology Professional. Along the way, he developed a passion for working with individuals with disabilities.

Over the years, Rob has worked in all facets of the human services world which include Marketing, Quality Assurance, ABI (Acquired Brain Injury), Advocacy, Program Development, and Day Services. This includes a strong background in systems development to improve agency services. Founder of the "We Love to Fish" program, Rob has taken over 200 individuals with disabilities on over 600 trips to find their perfect day on the water.

As the Senior Director of Operations, Rob supports the COO in overseeing program operations, responding and triaging emergent operational issues. He provides leadership and oversight of program resources, budgetary requirements, and compliance with all licensing and regulatory bodies.

STAFF UPDATES

Additionally Rob will serve as NEV's Shiftboard and HCSIS Administrator primary point of contact for relief and contracted staff, ensuring their scheduling and trainings complies with all organizational policies and training requirements.

Rob can be reached at E: rlever@ newenglandvillage.org, P: 781-293-5461, ext. 126



Jamie Olson

Director of Residential Services

Jamie Olson joins New England Village as Director of Residential Services. Prior to joining NEV, Jamie served as the Director of Operations for BAMSI. He brings 20 years of progressive leadership and management experience, of which the past 11 years have been directly within the human services field.

Jamie is a graduate of Johnson & Wales University (2004), and holds master's degrees in Sports Leadership from Northeastern University (2010), Masters in Public Administration from Suffolk University (2023). Jamie was also a LEND Fellow graduate (Disability & Health Policy) in 2022.



We extend a warm welcome to the following employees who have joined New England Village since the last edition of Scoops was published.

Assistant Residential Director

• Leslie LeBlanc

Behavior Specialist

Robert Roxburgh

Direct Support Professional

- Jasmin Andrade
- Clarens Aristide
- Gisa Barbosa Teixeira
- Jayda Benitez
- Mackenson Bien-Aime
- Rebecca Darius
- Emma Fernandes Cardoso
- Marc-Ridel Francois
- Jenifer Geffrard
- Dyamond Goins
- Emelson de Barros Gomes
- Eric Guillory
- Daleen Jean Louis
- Rachelle Jean Louis
- Ereze Jean Pierre
- Jean Journal
- Lindsey Kane
- Victoria McFadden
- Melissa Monexant
- Elisandra Monteiro
- Keren Rateau
- Dennis Scoyne
- A !!
- Alies Spinola
- Cleusa Tavares

Direct Support Professional-Relief

- Alexandra Altenor
- Tony Bazile
- Jocelyn Saintinor

Director of Residential Services

James Olson

LPN

- Priscilla Anderson
- Susan Moore

Office Assistant

Heather Turner

Paraprofessional

- Christy Barros
- Jennifer Galvin
- Lauren Keefe
- Melissa Mendes
- Kayla Pires
- Amy Prendergast

Relief-Paraprofessional

Tyler Solomon

Sr. Director of Operations

Robert Lever

Outside of work, Jamie volunteers for Sigma Alpha Mu Fraternity as a Chapter Advisor and Chairman of the Alumni Engagement & Philanthropy/Community committees and President of the Rhode Island Alumni Association of Sigma Alpha Mu. He remains a faithful Red Sox fan and season ticket holder and an avid fan of hiking and kayaking.

Jaime can be reached at E:jolson@ newenglandvillage.org, P: 781-293-5461, ext. 124.







NOURISH & flowish

Help us reach our goal of \$25,000!

This spring, join us in ensuring everyone we support has access to nutritious meals, no matter their dietary or medical needs. Your gift will help provide:

- essential nutrition & culinary education
- · personalized nutrition plans
- special equipment

Together, we can empower individuals to reach their health goals and live their best lives through a well-balanced diet.

Donate today and make every meal count!





- 1. Send a check to: Development Office, 664 School Street, Pembroke, MA 02359
- 2. Donate online at https://give.donationpay.org/newenglandvillage/SpringAppeal2025/
- 3.Or







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By including New England Village in your estate plan, you're doing more than just donating - you are creating a legacy that will transform lives for generations to come.

Whether through a bequest, trust, or other planned giving options, your commitment will continue to support our vital work for years to come and make a real difference in the lives of those who need it most.

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