

TERRY HOME

there's hope inside



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Wish List: How You Can Help

During this season of celebration and generosity, will you consider sharing your time and/or resources with Terry Home? Your support ensures that we can hire qualified staff and pay them well so they will stay with Terry Home, creating continuity for residents. It means we can provide higher quality meals and continue to ensure residents feel valued with decorated rooms and engaging activities. And it means we can maintain a beautiful home where residents also have the resources and space they need to thrive.

Thank you for considering how you can help.

Give a Tax-Deductible Donation:

Contribute to the Fun Fund. Terry Home residents receive state funding for their living costs, but no funds are available for them to participate in field trips, ball games, meal outings, local fairs, or other events. The Fun Fund helps ensure residents can get out into their community and enjoy activities they themselves cannot afford.



Donate Your Time:

- Spend time with the residents
- Help during resident outings
- Help maintain Terry Home yards
- Be a "handy person" around Terry Home
- Share a talent with our residents



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- New or gently used dressers
- Plates, forks, spoons
- Bowls
- Glasses—10 oz.
- Colored pencils
- Markers
- Dry erase markers
- Deodorant, body wash, shampoo
- Toothpaste, and floss
- Electric toothbrushes
- Electric shavers, beard trimmers
- Nail files, nail clippers, nail polish

- Tape, wrapping paper
- Pancake griddles
- Large white boards/cork boards
- New or gently used recliner
- Puzzles—300 -750 piece
- Painting easels
- Adult coloring books
- Wash rags
- Kitchen wash rags
- Kitchen dish rags
- DVD players
- Meat thermometers

- Epsom salts
- Shower curtain
- Pillows
- Umbrellas—large
- Laundry soap/fabric softener
- Hair rubber bands/head bands
- Movies—comedy/drama
- Leg weights--5 & 10 lbs
- Tickets – movies/games/zoo

Meet Terry Home's Residents: Pacific Home

Thank you for your Terry Home support, which helps residents to thrive in a secure, comfortable home environment. We hope you enjoy their stories.

Trish

As autumn days grow shorter, Terry Home lights up with the décor of the season: Outside, homegrown pumpkins and cornstalks decorate the entrance. Inside, handmade paper pumpkins and silk red and orange leaves grace the walls.

Seasonal touches are just one reflection of how Terry Home residents work to make their house a home.

Among those residents is Trish, who has lived at Terry Home in Pacific for nine years. She's one of the residents who helps keep the garden flourishing during the summer and into the fall. She's also an enthusiastic participant in Terry Home's Horticulture Club, nurturing small plants until they are strong enough to sell at various Terry Home events.

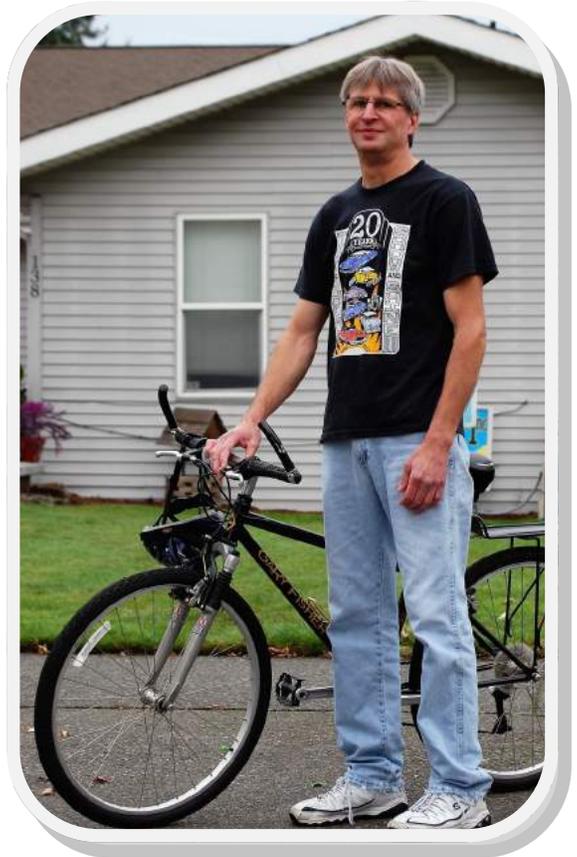
"My mother liked gardening a lot—I get that from her," Trish says, her eyes sparkling with pride. Her favorite plant to grow is the avocado—the same plant that was her mother's favorite.

For Trish, Terry Home is the only home she remembers. "I never had a home of my own," she says. "I was an incorrigible youngster. I only remember living in foster care and group homes."

Today, there's nothing "incorrigible" about Trish. She looks for ways to help other Terry Home residents. She attends church, foregoes time in front of the television to listen to her collection of Bible CDs, and participates in Bible studies when a local pastor visits Terry Home.

"Christ is all that matters," she says with a smile.

As Christmas approaches, holiday music fills homes, churches, and stores. But Trish, who is looking forward to spending the holiday with her sister, says that Christmas music isn't just for Christmas. "I play Christmas music all year long," she explains. "It's very cheerful."



Ross

Ross came to Terry Home a few years ago and quickly became known as one of the guys who was always ready to lend a helping hand. "If anyone needs anything I try to help out," he says.

So when Terry Home celebrated its 20th-year anniversary last summer with an open house, Ross was there to pitch in. He also likes to serve by washing dishes after meals and assisting with barbecues, in part because he's thankful to live at Terry Home.

"It's very peaceful here," he says. "There's no animosity. People aren't mean or in competition with one another."

Ross likes attending sporting events, but he's just as likely to be found in a local park, riding one of Terry Home's bicycles with a caregiver. He also is a regular participant in Bible studies.

This time of year, Ross--like many of the residents --is starting to look forward to Christmas. He'll divide the holidays between his family in Belfair and his friends at Terry Home.

"At Christmas, we decorate inside and out," he says. "It's a festive environment and everyone really likes being together."



Brian

Brian has lived at Terry Home for 18 years, so he knows the ropes and is always willing to help out when asked. He mows the lawn, takes out the trash—whatever needs to be done, he says. Brian also has a food handlers card, and he's proud to bake goodies for himself, other residents, and staff.

More independent than some Terry Home residents, Brian also rides the bus to local malls. But the achievement he is most proud of is his work at Pacific's Senior Center. Located down the street from Terry Home, the center serves lunch to senior citizens Monday through Friday.

"I load up the bread truck, set up and break down tables, and clean up after lunch," Brian says with pride. For more than three years, he has walked to the senior center each weekday to serve. He likes getting out of the house and knows his contribution is appreciated.

Brian also is looking forward to helping out during the holiday bazaar at the Pacific Community Center. And when Christmas day arrives, he'll be home with family in Belfair. "I'll have a good time," he predicts.

Living in Terry Home for nearly two decades, Brian knows how to navigate the day-to-day ups and downs of living in a community of 10 adults. He laughs at the occasional disagreements among residents over which television show to watch. "I think it's free entertainment," he says with a grin.



2016 Show and Shine Sparkles

The thermometer reached 96 degrees during the 2016 Show and Shine classic vehicle show August 20 in the City of Pacific Park, but no one was sweating it. Thanks to two misting stations, everyone had the opportunity to cool down despite record temperatures.

Some 250 people braved the heat and were rewarded with a day filled with music, laughter, food, raffles, awards, and story swapping. The highlight, of course, was the opportunity to steep in the nostalgia of the 81 gleaming classic cars and trucks and to chat with the owners.

DJ Robin Summerize set the tempo for the day with excellent music. Stacks Burgers and KettleKorn were among the popular food options. And three Auburn Junior City Council representatives provided an assist throughout the seven-hour event.

When the day was done, the 2016 Show and Shine raised some \$5,500 to support the ongoing needs of Terry Home residents. Thank you to all who participated in the 24th year of this classic event! Here's what's in store for next year:

2017 Show and Shine

Save the Date: Saturday, August 19, 2017

Come celebrate 25 years of remarkable Show and Shine classic vehicle shows. These annual events were instrumental in launching the first Terry Home—and still provide critical support to residents today!



IT TAKES A COMMUNITY TO MAKE THE DIFFERENCE

Thank YOU for supporting the great work Terry Home is doing. Because of your donations, we are able to offer hope and a future to Traumatic Brain Injury survivors. Donations provide housing, caregivers, therapy and activities for TBI. Terry Home programs are funded by the generosity of individuals, businesses and community organizations that donate their time, money, goods and services. These contributions allow Terry Home to provide much-needed housing and therapy to young adults who have the desire to live at Terry Home, but don't have the means to do so. This Wall is a celebration of our contributors who make all the difference!

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