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The Rehoboth Christian Ministries Newsletter



“ So neither the one who plants
nor the one who waters is anything,
but only God, who makes things grow. ”

1 Corinthians 3:7

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INTRODUCTION

In Genesis 26, we learn of a famine that fell on the ancient land of Gerar. Isaac planned to escape famine's hardships and deprivation by traveling to Egypt, but the LORD instructed him to remain in Gerar. The LORD wanted Isaac to trust Him. Isaac did, and he stayed put.

Later in the chapter, we read the following:

Isaac's servants dug in the valley and discovered a well of fresh water there. But the herders of Gerar quarreled with those of Isaac and said, "The water is ours!" So he named the well Esek, because they disputed with him. Then they dug another well, but they quarreled over that one also; so he named it Sitnah. He moved on from there and dug another well, and no one quarreled over it. He named it Rehoboth, saying, "Now the Lord has given us room and we will flourish in the land."

Rehoboth means "a broad place" in which one has capacity to live a full life.

Rehoboth Christian Ministries takes its direction and inspiration from that. From spirited beginnings of providing room for the disabled to flourish on a ranch near Stony Plain and in a modest home in Coaldale, the LORD has made room for Rehoboth's clients across Alberta. With His blessings, we have helped the disabled to flourish in some 50 group homes across Alberta with staffing in Grande Prairie, Stony

Plain, Three Hills, Calgary and Coaldale. We have a blessed and storied history.

And now we open new chapters of helping people flourish under an exciting, bold new look for Rehoboth Christian Ministries!

Our new logo and colours represent an ongoing commitment to our biblical roots and rich past, as well as a progressive and dynamic view to the future. We believe it celebrates the dedicated work of our staff and the outstanding support of our community in the past, present and future.

In addition to the new Rehoboth brand, the newsletter you are reading is our inaugural issue of its new face and title. We hope you enjoy reading about the people we serve and support in the words and pictures of the new *Flourish!* newsletter.



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Annual General Meeting: June 14 in Three Hills

The Board of Directors invites the membership of Rehoboth Christian Ministries to attend its Annual General Meeting on Saturday, June 14, 2014 at the Rehoboth Three Hills facility.

Highlights of the agenda items will include:

- Presentation of the Annual Audited Financial Statements for the year ended March 31, 2014
- Presentation of the Annual Operating Budget for the fiscal year 2014-15
- Proposal to revise select bylaws
- Nomination/election of new board members
- Recognition of retiring board members
- Presentation of Employee Length of Service Awards
- Rehoboth: the Year in Review

The following board members have completed terms of service:

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|----------------|-------------|
| Bobbie Bauer | Three Hills |
| John Bekkering | Coaldale |
| Carl Price | Calgary |
| Annie Visser | Lacombe |

We thank these retiring board members for their commitment and dedication to Rehoboth Christian Ministries and the clients we serve.

Call for Nominations

Mr. Johan Knol of Coaldale had been appointed to the board on an interim basis in late-2013. He

will now let his name stand for election at the June 14 AGM.

Nominations will be accepted via mail from the membership for the four vacant positions, or on the floor of the AGM, as long as the nominee is a member in good standing and has given written confirmation of his/her willingness to accept the nomination.

Written nominations must arrive at the Rehoboth Administration Office no later than May 23, 2014 in order to be included on the ballot mailed to the membership.

Rehoboth Administration Office
3920 - 49 Avenue
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Proposed Bylaw Changes

At the June 14 Annual General Meeting in Three Hills, the Board of Directors will present proposed changes to the Bylaws of Rehoboth, A Christian Association for the Mentally Handicapped of Alberta. The proposed changes are described as follows:

Bylaw No. 5 – Meetings

Change a portion of Section A of this bylaw that currently states:

“Notice of the time and place of the Annual General Meeting shall be mailed to each member at least thirty days before the holding of such meetings.”

to

“Notice of the time and place of the Annual General Meeting shall be **communicated to the membership body** at least thirty days before the holding of such meetings.”

(change marked in bold italics)

Change a portion of Section C of this bylaw that currently states:

“A written notice of the time and place of any Special General Meeting specifying the nature of the business to be transacted thereat shall be mailed to each member at least seven days prior to the date for such Special General Meeting.”

to

“A written notice of the time and place of any Special General Meeting specifying the nature

of the business to be transacted thereat shall be **communicated to the membership body** at least seven days prior to the date for such Special General Meeting.”

(change marked in bold italics)

Bylaw No. 6 – Board of Directors

Change a portion of Section F of this bylaw that currently states:

“Meetings of the Board shall be held at least six times in each year at such times and at such places as the Board may from time to time determine.”

to

“Meetings of the Board shall be held at least **four** times in each year at such times and at such places as the Board may from time to time determine.”

(change marked in bold italics)

Bylaw No. 9 – Officers

Change a portion of Section A of this bylaw that currently states:

The Officers of the Association shall consist of:

1. The Past President
2. The President
3. The Vice-President
4. The Secretary
5. The Treasurer
6. The General Alternate

to

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The Officers of the Association shall consist of:

1. The President
2. The Vice-President
3. The Secretary
4. The Treasurer
5. The General Alternate

(Removes Past-President as an Officer of the Association)

Change a portion of Section D of this bylaw that currently states:

“The Board of the Association, by resolution, may, as deemed necessary and expedient, fill the positions of Treasurer and Secretary by appointment for one year terms renewable indefinitely, to serve in those capacities as ex-officio members of the Board of Directors. The Past President will serve one year in addition to his/her regular term as ex-officio member of the Board of Directors of the Association.”

to

“The Board of the Association, by resolution, may, as deemed necessary and expedient, fill the positions of Treasurer and Secretary by appointment for one year terms renewable indefinitely, to serve in those capacities as ex-officio members of the Board of Directors.”

(Removes Past-President’s role on the Board)

2013 Annual Membership Campaign

A big thank you to everyone who contributed to last year’s annual Membership Campaign. The goal of \$125,000 in donations was surpassed with a grand total of \$137,211 in donations from across Alberta. Our membership results did not quite meet the goal of 5000, coming in a bit shy at 3973.

Thank you to all our church contact people and canvassers who so willingly gave up their time to contact and collect on behalf of Rehoboth!

If you have not been contacted for this year’s annual membership campaign, but would still like to become a Member or renew your membership, there is still time!

You can donate online by going to www.rehoboth.ab.ca, and click on “Donate Here”.



“Camp”

For nearly 40 years Rehoboth Camp Ministry has served campers and families with vacation and respite services. The reason that this can occur is because of the volunteer commitment. What happens is that campers and volunteers for one incredible week at a time get to make memories. For the campers, families, and volunteers this out pouring of love and support is simply called “Camp”.

“Camp” is one of those words that have special meaning in the lives of those who experience it. It brings back all the emotions and feelings that were so special. “Camp” is timeless. “Camp” is ageless. “Camp” is more than an event; “Camp” is an emotion, a feeling, a memory, a smile, and even a tear.

“Camp” means something to our clients as well. In particular we have two clients that have a special relationship with “Camp” that has developed over the past several years.

These clients are John McRea and Jack Feth. These men love camp and if allowed would spend their entire summer at “Camp”.

John works in our Stony Plain office as a Maintenance Person. John was challenged to come to camp one year to help out with the Maintenance and upkeep of Camp during a week of Client Camp several years ago. John

reluctantly agreed and the rest as they say is history. John fell in love with “Camp.” During the past five years John has assisted the Camp Program in many ways in his capacity as a Maintenance Person. He has been onsite to welcome the Work Bee Participants from West High school and Parkland Immanuel from Edmonton. He has also worked at our R&R Week. John is always ready at moment’s notice to come to Camp to work on odd jobs and pitch in. We thank John for his love of “camp” and look forward to many more years.



Jack was a Camper at Independent Week for several years. As Jack learned about Camp one of his personal goals was to become a Counselor in Training. Since that time he has worked at Camp as a Volunteer rather than a Camper. Jack has been part of the Camp Volunteer Staff now for five years. Jack enjoys the responsibility of helping our Campers to have a “good week at Camp.” We are proud of Jack and his accomplishments and look forward to having him be part of “Camp”.



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Mission Trip - No Fundraising Required!

An opportunity to make a difference, close to home! Come on down to beautiful Camp Rehoboth near Lacombe, Alberta. For one week you can leave the busyness of life behind and be a friend to a child or adult with developmental disabilities, show them the love of Christ, and help them FLOURISH in all they do! For many of the campers who come, it is the only Christian influence they will have all year. You can make a difference in their lives and enjoy a time of spiritual growth of your own!

Our camp weeks this year are:

R & R Week: June 30 - July 4

Adult Week One: July 5 - 11

Adult Week Two: July 12 - 18

Independent Week: July 19 - 25

Youth Week: July 26 - August 1

Please visit our website for details on the different weeks and to choose which week would suit you best! We look forward to seeing you at camp. Remember, you don't have to travel far to make a difference!

www.rehoboth.ab.ca/camp_program.html

Volunteers must be at least 14 years old to become a Counselor in Training (CIT). Application forms are available on the Rehoboth website.



New Joyful Noise Choir Recording

The next recording of the Joyful Noise Choir is only a few months away. The recording, *Many Voices - One Song*, will be the sixth presented by the choir on behalf of Rehoboth Camp. "We are now at the point where final mixing can begin in May," said Rein Selles, Choir Director.

The new recording will feature 14 songs performed and recorded live on November 23 and 24 at West End Christian Reformed Church in Edmonton as part of the choir's 35th Anniversary celebrations. An Irish ensemble of professional musicians on Celtic harp, pipes and drum created a unique blend of sound that accompanied the children of the Joyful Noise.



If you wish to reserve a copy, drop a note on the "Contact" page of the new Joyful Noise Choir web site (www.joyfulnoisechoir.ca) or contact Linda Rosendal at Rehoboth Christian Ministries: linda.rosendal@rehoboth.ab.ca or 780-968-8483.

Park Lighting/Cartwright Lighting

As part of their ongoing legacy of giving back to the community, Park Lighting (Edmonton) and Cartwright Lighting (Calgary) have chosen Rehoboth as one of the charities of choice to be the recipient of 100 percent of sales on Charity Day.



Rehoboth's Charity Day was held on Saturday, November 23rd at both locations. When the business day ended, Park Lighting and Cartwright Lighting donated \$78,692.39 in total sales!

Rehoboth Christian Ministries thanks the Johannesen family, the Park/Cartwright staff, and all those whose purchases that day made this a true blessing for Rehoboth.

Thank you, Park Lighting and Cartwright Lighting, for your continued faithful support of Rehoboth Christian Ministries!

Board of Directors 2013-14

- Bobbie Bauer, Director (Three Hills)
- John Bekkering, Vice-President (Coaldale)
- Jim Braaksma, Director (Calgary)
- Brian de Haan, Secretary (Edmonton)
- Johan Knol, Director (Coaldale)
- Carl Price, President (Calgary)
- Sherry Tenbrinke, General Alternate (Lacombe)
- Henry Van Steenberg, Director (Edmonton)
- Annie Visser, Director (Lacombe)
- Mike Wevers, Treasurer (Edmonton)

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Gifts Gratefully Received

Rehoboth would like to thank all those who contributed from August 8/13 - April 15/14.

Groups/Corporate Donations

- Abbey Drafting & Consulting
- Atco Gas - Epic
- Atco Pipelines
- CanadaHelps.Org
- Canon Western Constructors Inc. - Supreme Winter Gala - in support of Camp Project
- Christian Stewardship Services
- Coaldale Auxiliary - Fund Raiser
- Coaldale Tim Hortons - proceeds of Smile Cookie Campaign
- Edmonton Community Foundation - Lammerink Family Fund - in support of Camp Kitchen Project
- EOG Resources - in memory of Mr. Case Boot
- Gibbard Insurance Brokers Inc.
- Horizon Players Association - Spruce Grove
- Husky Group of Companies
- Kletke Insurance & Portfolio Strategies - Three Hills
- Park Lighting/Cartwright Lighting Charity Day
- Parkland Celebration Choir Society
- R C Appraisals Ltd.
- R. Dykstra Trucking Ltd. - Burdett, AB
- Scotia Bank - Donation for the new kitchen

facility at Camp Rehoboth

- Southern Drip Irrigation Ltd.
- Supreme Steel LP - Supreme Group - proceeds from Supreme Winter Gala - in support of Camp Project
- Supreme Steel LP - Supreme Group - proceeds from Leder Hoedown - in support of Rehoboth Stony Plain Capital improvement
- The Leder Charitable Foundation
- United Church of Stony Plain - Men's Group
- United Way of Alberta Capital Region
- United Way of Burlington & Greater Area
- United Way of Calgary & Area

The Joyful Noise Choir \$35 For 35 Campaign - since July, 2013, the 35/35 Campaign has raised \$20,469.00 in support of the new kitchen facility at Camp Rehoboth.

Rebecca Hofstede, Esther Hofstede & Ian Van Assen - "This year we went to Adult Week 2 at Rehoboth Camp, and Linda and Marianne told us about the 35/35 Mess Hall Project. We decided to do a bottle drive in Neerlandia and we raised \$904.00 for the new mess hall." - Thank you Rebecca, Esther & Ian! Your contributions have helped us raise a new roof at Camp!

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Church Donations

- Barrhead Christian Reformed Church
- Bethany Chapel of Calgary
- Bethel Christian Reformed Church - Lacombe
- Bethel Christian Reformed Community Church - Edmonton
- Bethel United Reformed Church - Calgary
- Burdett Christian Reformed Church
- Calgary Canadian Reformed Church
- Centrepointhe Community Christian Reformed Church - Edmonton
- Coaldale Canadian Reformed Church
- Covenant Christian Reformed Church - Calgary
- Covenant Christian Reformed Church - Edmonton
- Ebenezer Christian Reformed Church - Leduc
- Emmanuel Christian Reformed Church - Calgary
- Emmanuel Reformed Church - Neerlandia
- Faith Fellowship Christian Reformed Church - Fairview
- Fellowship Christian Reformed Church - Edmonton
- First Christian Reformed Church - Edmonton
- First Christian Reformed Church - Lethbridge
- First Christian Reformed Church - Medicine Hat
- First Christian Reformed Church - Red Deer
- High River Christian Reformed Church
- Hope Christian Reformed Church - Stony Plain
- Inglewood Christian Reformed Church - Edmonton
- Iron Springs Christian Reformed Church
- La Glace Christian Reformed Church
- Maranatha Christian Reformed Church - Calgary
- Maranatha Christian Reformed Church - Edmonton
- Neerlandia Canadian Reformed Church
- Neerlandia Christian Reformed Church
- New Life Fellowship Christian Reformed Church - Red Deer
- Nobleford Christian Reformed Church
- Orthodox Reformed Church - Edmonton
- Ottewell Christian Reformed Church - Edmonton
- Parkland Reformed Church - Ponoka
- Providence Canadian Reformed Church - Edmonton
- Redeemer United Reformed Church - Lacombe
- Rimbey Christian Reformed Church
- River Park Christian Reformed Church - Calgary
- Sonlight Christian Reformed Church - Regina

Rehoboth Financial Policy

Spending of funds is confined to programs and purchases approved by the Rehoboth Board of Directors. Each donation that is designated toward an approved program will be used as designated with the understanding that when any given need has been met, designated donations will be used where most needed. All donations are acknowledged and receipted with a tax-deductible receipt.


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- Sonrise Christian Reformed Church – Ponoka
- Taber Canadian Reformed Church
- Taber Christian Reformed Church
- Trinity Christian Reformed Church – Edmonton
- Trinity Reformed Church – Lethbridge
- West End Christian Reformed Church – Edmonton
- Woodynook Christian Reformed Church – Lacombe

Estates

- Estate of Mr. Jakob Kits
- Estate of Mr. Gerald Woudstra

In Memory of:

- Mrs. M. Hoetmer
- Mr. Chris Dickieson
- Mr. Thomas Paterson
- Dr. Hinton
- Ms. Sonia Partlow
- Mr. Case Boot
- Mr. Robert Nimigon
- Mrs. Grace Fernhout
- Mr. Hendrik Schuring
- Mrs. Anna Degner
- Mrs. Harriet VanderLeest
- Mr. Jack Zutz



Monthly Giving Program

The Monthly Giving Program is a convenient method of making charitable contributions to Rehoboth Christian Ministries. By choosing to make a monthly gift by credit card or automatic funds transfer from your bank account, you are providing valuable financial support to Rehoboth and allowing the individuals we support to “FLOURISH” in their communities. For more information on this program, please contact Linda Rosendal via the following email address – linda.rosendal@rehoboth.ab.ca



Monthly Giving Form - Credit Card or Automatic Funds Transfer

☐ \$10 ☐ \$15 ☐ \$25 ☐ \$50 ☐ Other amount: \$_____ (please specify - \$5 minimum)

I would like my donation to be processed on the first day of each month beginning on the following date: _____ (MM/DD/YYYY)

I would like my donation credited to: _____ (specific region or program)

☐ **Please debit my bank account** (attach VOID cheque)

Signature: _____ Date: _____

☐ **Please charge my credit card** (complete the information below)

☐ VISA ☐ MasterCard

Card Number: _____ Expiry Date: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Donor Information (Please print)

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Province: _____ Postal Code: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Once completed, please return this form to:

Rehoboth Christian Ministries
3920 - 49 Avenue
Stony Plain, AB T7Z 2J7
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Email: provincial_admin@rehoboth.ab.ca

Terms and Conditions

This authority is to remain in effect until Rehoboth has received written notification from me of its change or termination. This notification must be received **at least 30 days in advance of the next pre-authorized debit** at the address below. To obtain a sample cancellation form, or for more information on my right to cancel a PAD agreement, I may contact my financial institution or visit www.cdnpay.ca.

I/We have certain recourse rights if any debit does not comply with this agreement. For example, I have the right to receive reimbursement for any debit that is not authorized or is not consistent with this PAD Agreement. To obtain more information on my recourse right, I may contact my financial institution or visit www.cdnpay.ca.

All gifts are eligible for a charitable tax receipt.

Charitable Registration
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GRAND PRAIRIE

Connecting Across The Miles

In more recent years modern technology has opened up a brand new world of communication. This has resulted in families who are separated by distance to be able to keep in touch via email, and now the wonderful world of Skype.

Many of our individuals in Rehoboth programs have family members who live far away, or even in other countries. We actively support individuals who desire to retain close family ties. Many want to have opportunities to communicate with their parents and siblings in a meaningful way. The advent of iPads and tablets has enabled individuals to learn a new skill, and be able to communicate face to face electronically across the miles. This experience has added a lot of excitement and a new dimension to their desire to have “face time” and flourish in their family relationships. Connecting across the miles certainly enhances the individual’s emotional well-being and ability to keep connected with their family members.



STONY PLAIN

An Individual Overcoming Challenges

Blessed is the man who perseveres under trial, because when he has stood the test, he will receive the crown of life that God has promised to those who love him. – James 1:12

LeeAnne is proof that with perseverance and tenacity, obstacles can be overcome. LeeAnne re-started services with Rehoboth in December of 2005. At that time she lived with a roommate in a duplex, but for various reasons the two had to move from this location. Changing living environments is tough on any of us, but for an individual who struggles when routine is interrupted this becomes particularly challenging. The roommates moved to an apartment in Stony Plain, where LeeAnne lived for some time. But as time went on, LeeAnne struggled to live with a roommate; she was not happy and very anxious, and it became evident that being around people all the time did not suit her character. It was decided that LeeAnne would be better off living on her own, and so she moved in to a single apartment.

Over the years LeeAnne has grown and learned techniques and skills that helped her to deal with situations that bothered her, and living alone gave LeeAnne the opportunity and the space to let these skills sink in and develop. Reducing stress for LeeAnne has allowed her to focus on other areas of her life, vocationally and socially, and to flourish.

Since LeeAnne moved into her own apartment, she has enjoyed two vacations with her family, and she interviewed and obtained a position with Rehoboth as our Edmonton Medication Delivery Person. LeeAnne is responsible to gather the medications for six programs from the office, along with any other medical supplies that have been ordered during the week, and deliver them to each program. LeeAnne is very professional and a valued member of our team; she takes her job seriously and is very good at it. LeeAnne has been successful over the last few years because of her determination. May God continue to bless her.



STONY PLAIN

Walmart Donates To Help Our Clients Live Better

Recently, Rehoboth Stony Plain received a generous donation from the Spruce Grove Walmart. The store donated five computers (one personal computer and four laptops) to our Vocational program. The computers will be used to enhance the skill development for our clients, allowing them to develop typing skills and fine motor skills. The computers will also enable our clients to complete job searches by using many Internet sites. Thanks to Walmart for their support of our clients!



CALGARY

Calgary Vocational Program

Rehoboth Calgary Vocational Program has been busy over the last few weeks. Some Rehoboth t-shirts were in need of a new look, and our clients were more than happy to improve them! Many clients have already been spotted proudly sporting their creations around the community. Some of the themes that emerged included spring flowers, Special Olympics, peace, love, faith, and Canada!



One Friday each month, the Calgary Vocational program facilitates a special Hot Lunch for the clients. Clients often look forward to Hot Lunch as a highlight of the month. Residential clients are welcome to attend as well, and this is a great chance for Rehoboth Calgary to come together. In the past, these have been order-in-style lunches such as pizza, burgers, or Chinese food. However, after the addition of a full-sized fridge and a new stove to the kitchen, Hot Lunch seemed like a prime opportunity for Vocational clients to work on a variety of skills including preparing food, using appliances,

interacting in a work task, and learning about nutrition. For the last two months, Hot Lunch has been set up, cooked, and served by clients! This has been a successful addition, as it is both fun and delicious! Check out some of our chefs working on spaghetti sauce and salad.



With spring weather eluding us for the moment, Calgary needed a colorful endeavor to help raise spirits higher than outdoor temperatures. Collages on large artist canvases seemed like the perfect fit! With paints, feathers, sequins, stickers, cutouts, foam and a lot of imagination, clients went to town on this project! The finished results were truly amazing. Nature scenes featured the sky, tulips growing, and birds in flight. Some added their names or the names of family to personalize their artwork. The conclusion? More artwork is on the way! The next project? Paintings to decorate the Rehoboth Calgary administration walls!



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THREE HILLS

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When I hear the word “flourish” I think of my grandfather’s garden. When I was a child my family would travel to the coast to visit my grandparents. My grandfather was a retired farmer but what I remember most was his beautiful garden. He worked the ground until it was a soft brown powder that poofed between your toes when you stepped into it. Not a weed was in sight. Grandpa’s garden was unusual; he didn’t grow beans and squash or cucumbers. His garden was row upon row of large colorful flowers. They were bright and abundant. They flourished.

The individuals we serve are bright and colorful in personality and abundant in talents, dreams and purpose. Rehoboth Christian Ministries has the opportunity to provide the supports individuals need to flourish in their independence, well-being and social participation. In Three Hills we are restructuring and enhancing our current programs to meet these goals.

In our Vocational Program individuals will explore employment and volunteer options, develop skills and then choose employment or volunteer placements in the community. We are actively recruiting community volunteers to partner with us in our Vocational Program. Our “New to You” thrift store will be a place for individuals and community members to work together and nurture relationships as well as

develop and use vocational skills.

Our focus in Community Participation is now interpersonal relations and social inclusion. We facilitate community activities and support individuals to participate in a variety of community events. We want to assist individuals to develop friendships with others in the community by overcoming barriers and pursuing opportunities to connect.

Our Residential Program supports individual’s physical and emotional well-being, and it fosters independence and self-determination. We can now offer more variety in our Residential Program with the approval of the Support Home model. We are developing the Support Home model with the hope of implementing it this year.

As we focus our supports on independence, well-being and social participation we hope individuals flourish with the security of healthy life choices and confidence as they engage their community and enjoy the company of others.



COALDALE

Flourishing Partnerships

John Krahn has been with Rehoboth Christian Ministries since 1993. Before that, he was with several different organizations. John has flourished since coming to Rehoboth. He is stable and satisfied and happy with his life.

What Rehoboth means to me

I am the legal guardian for my brother John. There is so much I appreciate about Rehoboth. Some of the specifics are that I am fully satisfied that John is getting as good care as I could wish for him. The staff are always very courteous in my dealings with them. I am kept informed regarding John's status at all times. I am given the opportunity to participate in planning for John's short and long term needs. With the partnership I feel with Rehoboth in looking after John, the responsibility of being the legal guardian for John is something I enjoy doing, rather than dreading.

What Rehoboth means to John

Rehoboth looks after all of the physical and developmental needs for John. John is very well looked after for all of his daily physical needs, as well as periodic medical and dental appointments and checkups. In recent years, it became necessary for John to receive some dental surgery. With the trust that Rehoboth has built up with John, he did not dread the dental work, and recovered quickly from it. Similarly, he had some medical work that was required. This was

looked after very well, and he recovered quickly.

How John has grown

John is well cared for physically, emotionally and spiritually. John is by nature a quiet man, and prefers a quieter environment. He also has a soft nature and a good sense of humour. Rehoboth staff are sensitive to all of this, and accommodate his needs and moods to maximize his well-being and enjoyment. John's parents have recently moved into Coaldale, and the staff are diligent in taking John to visit them very frequently. John really appreciates this. Whenever John is with family or other function, he always looks forward to going home. This is especially noticeable when John has been with family for a full day.



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