







"YOUR VISION IS OUR MISSION"

JULY 2021

Let's Celebrate and Eat at Oaks Park!!

On July 24th Exceed hosted our annual barbeque at Oaks Park for the participants that are working towards their goal of community employment in small group and employment path paid opportunities. The festivities started at 12 with Hamburgers, hot dogs, potato salad, watermelon, chips cookies, water, and soda. Some participants were so excited to ride on the rides courtesy of Exceed that they did not want to eat until later others just wanted to hang, eat and visit; it was fun for all and a beautiful day to celebrate being back together and the accomplishments that have happened over the past year. NICE JOB **EVERYONE!!!!**



So many Achievements to Celebrate!!

Tyler Tanz works at Lowe's in Tigard; this was his target goal for employment. Tyler filled out his application with the help of his job coach Karla Parrish and went to his interview with employment consultant from Exceed Amanda Cook. Tyler works in the lumber department as an associate. He help's customers by



cutting lumber, placing products on the shelves, and keeping everything clean and safe by spotting forklifts.

Lowe's partners new employees with another lead co-worker to learn the job which enables a natural support environment. The manager also took their time to teach and listen to questions to help Tyler learn the job. Karla gives verbal reminders during his shifts if something is forgotten. She helps to bridge the communication with the managers when Tyler needs vacation time and ensures that all training is completed.

Because Lowe's is so close to Tyler's home, he can ride his bike. When weather is not the best, his mom or dad will drive him. Tyler says his favorite part of his job is" Being able to help people as best as I can. As well as having a conversation about what they need for their project. I offer my time to find what products they are looking for."

Tyler's goal is to become forklift certified, he has already passed the computer test once but will need to retake the computer assessment due to timing issues and then the hands-on test later this month. Both assessments need to be completed within 30 days. Wish him luck everyone!!



Derek Chan	7/1
Marisa Yancey	7/1
Julie Goldsmith	7/8
Adrian Villanueva	7/11
Sarah Houck	7/12
Chris Young	7/13
Pamela Allen	7/14
Sharon Pitts	7/15
Adam Caudle	7/18
Peter Schmitz	7/12
Jordan Flemming	7/23
Christian Chalupnik	7/25
Jason Schmuck	7/25
Erin Wheeler	7/26
Pam VanDyck	7/26
Rogelio Martinez	7/28
Patrick Wilson	7/29
Angel Machado	7/31
Kevin Daugherty	7/31



New Employment Path Job Opportunity

If you are interested in working at Wild Mike's Pizza in Clackamas, please reach out to Gina Leatherwood at ginal@exceedpdx.com