

Volunteer News

For the volunteers of Charleston Area Medical Center and its affiliates



Charleston Area
Medical Center

January 2026

W= Women & Children's

G= General

M= Memorial

T= Teays Valley

Ashleigh Lewis G

David Bailey T

Ashley Williams G

Nancy Hill T

Emma Miller M

Kelly Gilbert G

Linda Quigley G/M

Dwayne Merritt G

Patch Lyman G

Elizabeth Casto G

Stephen Lewis G/M

Melissa Milam W

Reagan Smith G

Liseth White T

Gene Rose W



February 9 TVH Books R Fun Sale

February 10 WCH Masquerade Sale

February 10 General Auxiliary Meeting

February 10 Red Cross Blood Drive General Hospital

February 10 TVH Auxiliary Meeting

February 17 Memorial In the Bag Sale

February 18 Memorial In the Bag Sale

February 18 Memorial Auxiliary Meeting

February 19 WCH In the Bag Sale (Cancer Center)

February 23 General Masquerade Sale

February 24 General Masquerade Sale



March 2 Auxiliary Connection

March 5 TVH Masquerade Sale (OPC)

March 10 General Auxiliary Meeting

March 10 WCH Uniform Sale

March 11 WCH Uniform Sale (Cancer Center)

March 12 TVH Uniform Sale

March 16 Memorial Books R Fun Sale

March 16 WCH Auxiliary Meeting

March 17 Memorial Books R Fun Sale

March 18 Memorial Auxiliary Meeting

March 23 General Books R Fun Sale

March 24 WCH Candy Sale



The new Vandalia Health Mission, Vision, Values strives to capture what Vandalia Health has become over the last few years, and reflects what we strive to be every day, to every patient, in each of our communities.

OUR MISSION: *Enhancing the health of our communities through clinical excellence one person at a time.*

OUR VISION: *Vandalia Health brings the highest quality health care to our communities through:*

- Being the compassionate patient-centered provider of choice.
- Being the employer of choice
- Leading in education and training

OUR CORE VALUES: *Integrity, innovation, Compassion, Accountability, Respect, Excellence.*

This framework will guide our actions and decision, ensuring we remain aligned with our purpose and aspirations. These guiding principles will inform every decision we make and every action we take, creating alignment across all teams and driving our commitment to patient care and our communities.

We encourage you to thoroughly review our new shared mission, vision and values, and actively integrate them into your daily service.

ATTENTION VOLUNTEERS!!! PLEASE REMOVE THE GREEN BADGE FROM YOUR BADGE REEL. The information on the green card is outdated, and it is important that you are not using that information.

ALSO, PLEASE BE SURE YOU ARE WEARING YOUR STRONGLINE/PANIC BUTTON ON YOUR BADGE REEL. These are important for the safety and security of our workforce.

If you have questions, please let us know!

AWVHA Volunteer of the Year Award

Information and Guidelines for Submitting a Nomination

Each year, the Auxiliary to the WV Hospital Association, AWVHA, takes 1 submission from each eligible hospital auxiliary to be considered for the AWVHA Volunteer of the Year Award. CAMC hospitals are members of the AWVHA.

At CAMC, we are encouraging the employees or volunteers who know our volunteers best, to submit nominations for volunteer of the year. These employees and volunteers are best able to determine if volunteers meet the criteria to be submitted for consideration for this award. Nominations will be submitted to the auxiliary who will select one volunteer to submit to the AWVHA for consideration for the AWVHA volunteer of the year.

Before you submit a recommendation, please consider the guidelines and eligibility criteria below.

Eligibility:

To be considered as a recipient of the award, the volunteer must:

1. Have at least 3 years of service to CAMC (**Check the attached list for volunteers at your hospital who meet the 3-year criteria.**)
2. Have made a significant contribution to volunteerism as evidenced by regular service to the hospital.
3. Be able to be supported and endorsed by the Chief Executive Officer of the hospital and 3 additional references. (These endorsements will be obtained by the Auxiliary on the nominee who is selected. ****This is not necessary for your submissions and will only be done by auxiliary if your nominee is selected.**

Criteria:

****** The nominee should meet most of the following requirements:

1. Volunteer has participated in a heroic act.
2. Volunteer has exercised extraordinary judgment to prevent a major problem.
3. Volunteer consistently performs above and beyond his/her regular duties without being asked to do so.
4. Volunteer establishes good relationships with patients, employees, other departments, volunteers, medical staff, and the general public.
5. Volunteer exercises leadership ability and assumes responsibility readily.
6. Volunteer provides innovative suggestions that are practical and useful to the job and hospital.
7. Volunteer consistently performs superior quantity of work at high quality.
8. Volunteer has outstanding attendance history and superior dependability.
9. Volunteer puts forth an outstanding cooperative effort with co-workers, supervisors, and department managers.

Once all nominations are received, CAMC Volunteer Services will disseminate the nominations to the appropriate Auxiliary for review and selection of volunteer of the year for the hospital. The selected candidate will then be submitted to AWVHA for consideration for AWVHA Volunteer of the Year.

Application for Volunteer of the Year for CAMC

Please circle CAMC Hospital:

Women's

Teays

Memorial

General

Nominee Name: _____

In what role or what department does nominee volunteer? _____

Nominator Name: _____ Hospital Department: _____

Nominator Contact Phone: _____ Email: _____

In what capacity do you know the nominee? _____

Please provide the names of 2 individuals who can be contacted to verify the scope and extent of the nominee's volunteer activities. These should be people familiar with the volunteer's accomplishments for which the person is being nominated but may not be anyone related to the nominee.

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Email: _____

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Email: _____

Please tell us why you believe this volunteer meets the criteria for selection outlined in the guidelines for this award.

(Feel free to use an additional page if needed to share your thoughts about this volunteer. If this volunteer is selected as the nominee for the hospital, the auxiliary may contact you for input as they write a 500 word essay for their nomination.)

Please send this form

CAMC Volunteer Services

501 Morris Street

Charleston, WV 25311 (or send through interdepartmental mail)

THIS APPLICATION AND ATTACHED STATEMENT SHOULD BE RECEIVED IN THE VOLUNTEER OFFICE.

NO LATER THAN JUNE 1, LATE OR INCOMPLETE SUBMISSIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

For questions regarding this process, please call Volunteer Services at 304-388-7426.



Volunteer Sewing Bee



Purpose: To bring CAMC volunteers together for a time of creativity and socializing to learn and create eye glass cases for patients in our hospitals.

Goal for this Sewing Bee: Minimum of 60 eye glass cases

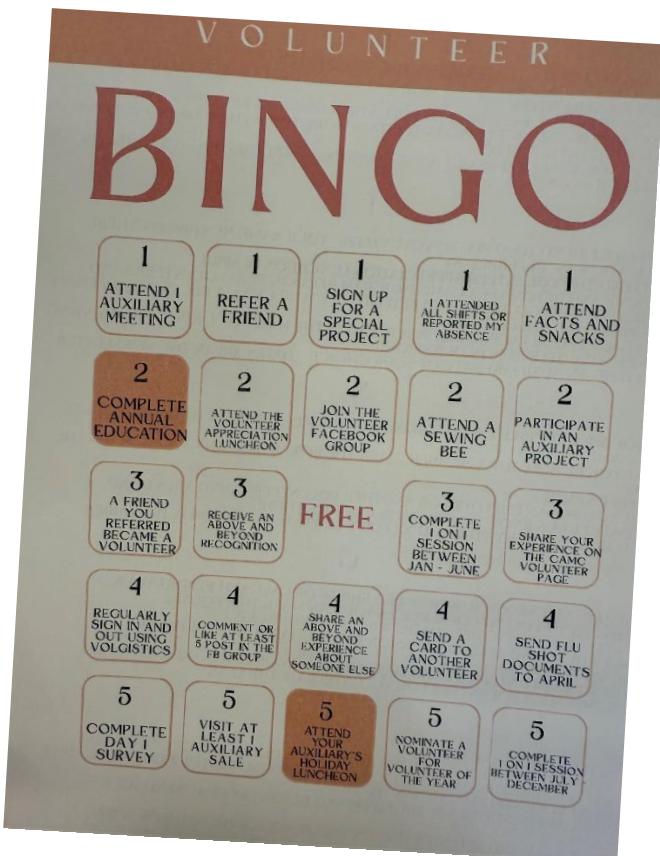


How you can help: The sewing bee is for everyone, not just sewers. We need people to cut, iron, turn fabric, individually bag and label. **No experience is required! Call and RSVP!**

SEWERS!! We do need 5-6 sewers with their sewing machines. PLEASE CALL AND RSVP and be sure to tell us you are a sewer and will be bringing your machine!

This is our second sewing bee, and we want to be successful! Please RSVP and then come enjoy an afternoon of making eye glass cases for our patients while meeting new people and having fun!





2026 VOLUNTEER BINGO

We hope you have already started marking your BINGO cards for things you are doing as a volunteer. We hope that this will stir up a little fun throughout the year and maybe encourage you to step out from your normal activities just a bit.

