



**EBEN EZER**  
Lutheran Care Center

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# Assisted Living Newsletter

## CEO Report—JULY 2025

*"The Lord is not slow to fulfill his promise as some count slowness, but is patient toward you, not wishing that any should perish, but that all should reach repentance." ~ 2 Peter 3:9*

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Message from the CEO	1	We are thrilled to share some exciting news with all of you—Eben Ezer has received a <b>\$1.6 million gift</b> to support the purchase of the Fort Morgan Harmony Home assisted living building! This incredibly generous contribution reflects the deep trust and confidence <b>Alan and Polli Dahms</b> have in the Eben Ezer community and the work that is done each day to serve and care for the neighbors.
Resident Services	2	This gift is designated specifically for a major asset or project—in this case, the acquisition of the new building.
Alzheimer Support Group	2	Eben Ezer hosted an open house to show the new kitchen that has been remodeled at the Fort Morgan building and recognize and announce this very generous gift from Alan and Polli. This will also be the unveiling of the new name, <b>Dahms-Talton Legacy Living</b> , for the Fort Morgan community.
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Adopt a Garden	5	Please join me in celebrating this remarkable moment for our organization. This gift is a powerful reminder of the value we all see in our mission—and the trust others have placed in the Eben Ezer organization and the team.
East Morgan County Library Book Delivery	6	Eben Ezer is also beginning an important process to review and refresh our mission, vision, values, and purpose statement. It has been quite a few years since this has been done, and with the many changes, it warrants our time to ensure these guiding principles are still relevant.
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These guiding principles shape who we are as an organization, what we do, and how we serve—and your voice is a vital part of this effort. Please take a few minutes to complete this brief survey and share your perspective:

<https://survey.elder dynamics.com/zs/UxMRym>

Your valuable input will help ensure our organization truly reflects our shared commitment and direction.

Thank you

~Shelly



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## *Life Enrichment Extensions*

*Kendra Carlson, Regional AL Director ext. 9905*

*Carrie Webb, Pines AL Administrator ext. 9260*

*Vanessa Pursley, Case Manager & Activities ext. 9241*

*Gina Rocha, Case Manager ext. 9808*

**We care for your loved one, let us care for you too!**



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## *Alzheimer's Caregivers Support Group Meeting*

### **Alzheimer's Support Group**

**TUESDAY, August 12th, 11:30 am—12:30 pm — Eben Ezer's Activity Room**

**122 Hospital Rd., Brush, Colorado**

**Please enter on the West side of the Eben Ezer campus**

**Kindly RSVP at (970) 842-2861 x 9246 or text 970-370-0856**

- **Would you like to gain a better understanding of Alzheimer's Disease and dementia?**
- **Be around those who understand your struggles or who have similar experiences.**
- **Learn more about caregiving resources and options available.**
- **Ask questions about specific caregiving struggles.**
- **Take this opportunity to be a part of a supportive community whether you wish to share your experiences or simply listen.**

**This support group can provide emotional support for individuals with a loved one that lives in a nursing home, at your home, or for those who provide care from a distance.**

## The Eden Alternative Domains of Well-Being

**Well-being is a human right.**

**IDENTITY** - being well-known, having personhood, individuality, having a history

**GROWTH** – development, enrichment, expanding, evolving

**AUTONOMY** – liberty, self-determination, choice, freedom

**SECURITY** – freedom from doubt, anxiety, or fear, safety, privacy, dignity, respect

**CONNECTEDNESS** – belonging, engaged, involved, connected to time, place, and nature

**MEANING** – significance, heart, hope, value, purpose, sacredness

**JOY** – happiness, pleasure, delight, contentment, enjoyment

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**JOY**



## EBEN EZER

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CALLING ALL COMMUNITY GROUPS,  
CLUBS, YOUTH GROUPS OR  
FAMILIES LOOKING FOR A  
COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT  
PROJECT

**THE EBEN EZER NEIGHBORS  
INVITE YOU TO THEIR CAMPUS  
TO BE PART OF ADDING BEAUTY  
TO THE PLACE CALLED HOME**

You could be part of -

Serving others

Connecting with Older Adults

Intergenerational engagement

Bringing JOY to neighbors on the campus



**HORTICULTURE  
OPPORTUNITY**

**ADOPT AN  
EBEN EZER  
FLOWER BED**

FOR MORE INFORMATION  
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# EMCLD Book Delivery Schedule 2025

# Pines Off

January 8<sup>th</sup> Trevor & Ginger

January 15<sup>th</sup> Megan & Lori

February 5<sup>th</sup> Trevor & Ginger

February 19<sup>th</sup> Megan & Ellen

March 5<sup>th</sup> Trevor & Ginger

March 19<sup>th</sup> Lori & Ronita

April 2<sup>nd</sup> Trevor & Deb

April 16<sup>th</sup> Megan & Ronita

May 7<sup>th</sup> Trevor & Deb

May 21<sup>st</sup> Lori & Ellen

June 4<sup>th</sup> Trevor & Ginger

June 18<sup>th</sup> Megan & Ronita

July 2<sup>nd</sup> Lori & Ginger

July 16<sup>th</sup> Megan & Ellen

August 6<sup>th</sup> Trevor & Deb

August 20<sup>th</sup> Megan & Ronita

September 3<sup>rd</sup> Lori & Deb

September 17<sup>th</sup> Megan & Ellen

October 1<sup>st</sup> Trevor & Deb

October 15<sup>th</sup> Megan & Lori

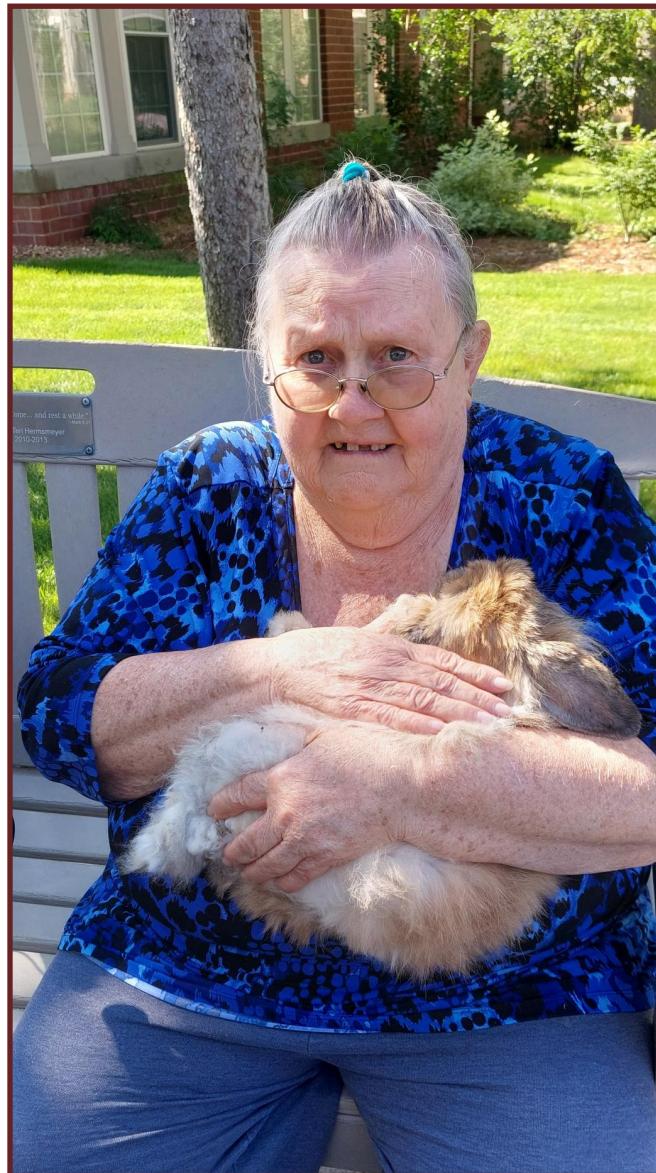
November 5<sup>th</sup> Trevor & Ronita

November 19<sup>th</sup> Megan & Lori

December 3<sup>rd</sup> Trevor & Lori

December 17<sup>th</sup> Megan & Lori

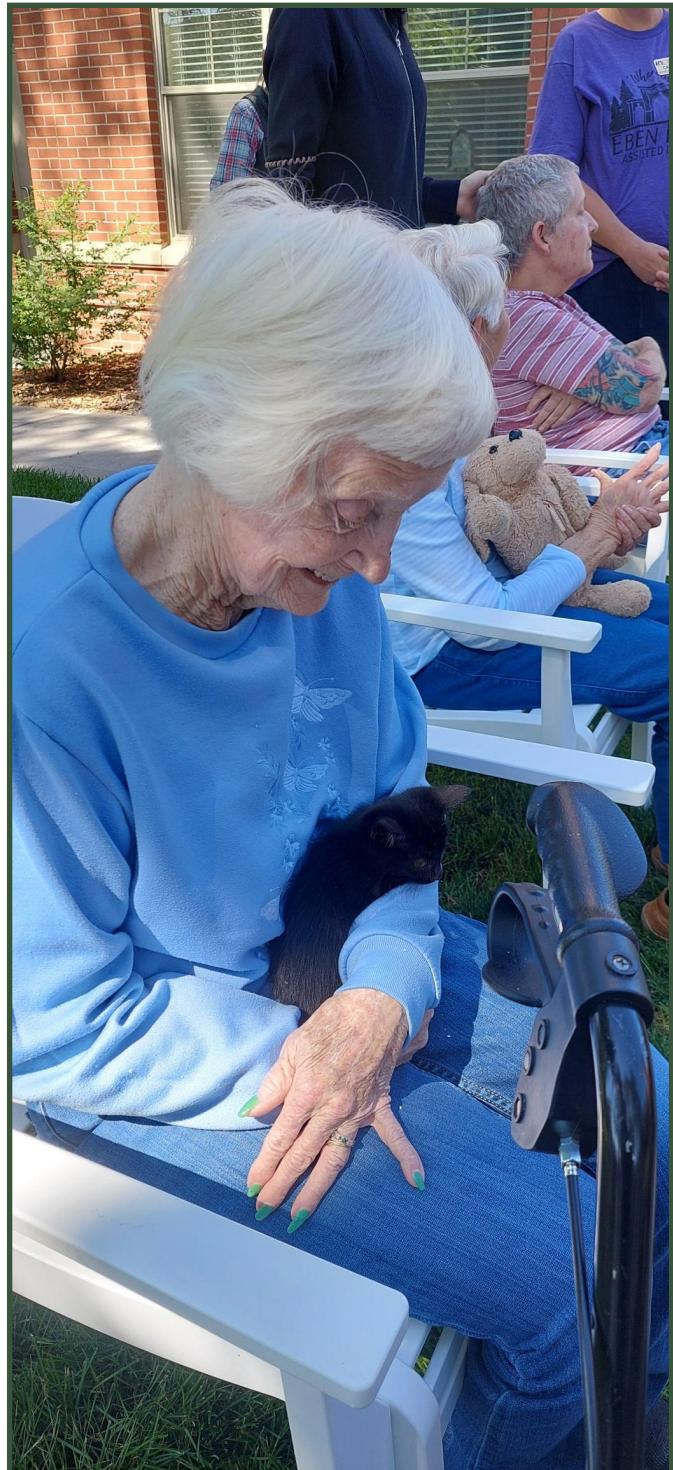
Library Phone Number: (970) 842-4596 Lori Rodarte



## **The Petting Zoo Plus Ice Cream**



**More Petting Zoo**



**Kittens, kittens and  
more kittens**