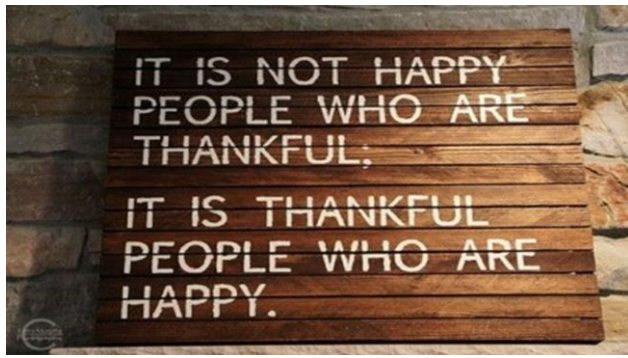


RECOVERY HAPPENS

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Restoration Society, Inc. programs are rehabilitation communities founded upon the recovery vision that all individuals can lead active lives filled with hope and satisfaction and make valuable contributions to our community.

A recovery, wellness and life achievement focus promotes and supports the development of new meaning and purpose in one's life as one grows beyond the challenges.

Mission Statement

Illuminating pathways toward opportunity, possibility, wellness and independence.

Values

The values came from the dynamic collaborative partnership among customers, staff, administration and the Board of Directors, all of whom comprise the agency.

Respectful - Holistic - Ethical - Optimism -
Supportive - Peer Advocacy - Team Work
- Empowerment - Opportunity - Resiliency -
Integrity - Nurturing - Growth

Help to form our foundation which drives all Restoration Society, Inc. endeavors.

**RECOVERY REQUIRES
ACTION**

step up!



**The Community's
Recovery Center**



716-832-2141
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Helping to build successful and satisfying lives one step at a time

**Restoration Society, Inc. is #1 In NYS State
in the # of people we serve
and # of referrals we get for
Home and Community
Based Services**

These are the services we are currently offering
Erie, Genesee, Niagara, Monroe and Orleans County:

- Psychosocial Rehabilitation
- Habilitation
- Family Support and Training
- Education Support Services
- Empowerment Services- Peer Supports
- Pre-vocational Services
- Transitional Employment
- Intensive Supported Employment (ISE)
- Ongoing Supported Employment

Please contact these staff people for more
information on Home and Community Based
Services at Restoration Society, Inc.

Genesee, Orleans and Monroe County - Heather
Kemp, [585-343-9162, ext. 301](tel:585-343-9162)

Erie and Niagara County -Fran Gullo, [716-884-5216, ext. 407](tel:716-884-5216)

**WE ARE OPEN FOR
THANKSGIVING DAY
AT EMPOWERMENT ACADEMY
327 ELM STREET, BUFFALO
10:00 am- 2:00 pm**

For more information, please call
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**Restoration Society, Inc. is a Certified
Ticket to Work Employment Network**

- ✓ Whether you are seeking full or part-time employment, we can help.
- ✓ Employment Services include advisement by certified benefits advisors and career consultations are FREE of charge!
- ✓ It only applies if you are on Social Security benefits!!!
- ✓ On or off site support, YOUR Choice

Please Contact:
Michelle Hovey (Erie County)
(716)884-5216 ext. 406
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**ACE Employment Services
Informational Session**

**November 10, 2017 at 1:30 pm
November 20, 2017 at 10:00 am**

327 Elm Street Corner
of Elm and Genesee

Having a Disability Does
Not Mean You Can't Work

Introduction to The Three Different
Employment Services ACE Provides

Please Contact:
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Got Questions? Why do I need to work? Do I have enough experience? What do I want to do?
Where do I start? What if I fail? How do I commit to making a change?

WE HAVE ANSWERS!!!!

Work Readiness Workshop

Tuesdays & Thursdays

10:30 -12:00 pm

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FREE Coffee Provided

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For more information, Call Kate at (716)884-5216 ext. 410

NO Class on November 14th and 23rd

Recovery **By, Rashene**

I was getting sick with my illness at the age of seventeen. The kids on the school bus made fun of me because my hair wasn't combed right. My father was on me about my grades and didn't understand it. I called my grandmother in Buffalo and said he was getting on my nerves. I said I'm going to Buffalo and he drove me to Buffalo. My grandmother put me in the hospital. When I got out I sat at the edge of the bed and would say I can't well here. I ended up moving back to Charlotte and got my diploma. I ended up knowing more about my diagnosis. I ended up moving to a group home.

Motivational: Be Your Own Motivation **By, Carl**

Sometimes doubts about yourself can cause your motivation to be low but you have to remember who you are, spiritually, mentally, and intellectually. You'll remember who you are, what you're going through, and realize the good parts of it and it drives you. Mentally you are smart and can't be fooled by a joker.

Pharmaceuticals **By, John S.**

Pharmaceuticals not only saved my life. They made my life enjoyable. I have peace of mind for the first time because of advances in medical science.

Friendship **By, Derrick**

Friendship can keep you alive and happy and can make you feel good.

How I Make Friends **By, Jeremy**

When I feel most comfortable I make friends.

Hopefully, Some Anticipation for Wellness **By, Brian**

As for the fall will be upon us, this will include the season on reflection. October happens the start of Autumn. Then the days will change to be shorter and the holiday seasons come such as Thanksgiving. Some people celebrate holidays, got the most important would be Thanksgiving. There are many reasons for being thankful. Then daily, no matter these holidays could be most thankful for in every way. It is a daily exercise to be grateful.

My life History **By, Michael**

1. I am engaged to my girlfriend Susan for six years.
2. Getting married.
3. I go to the Regal a lot, every day.
4. I love playing bingo, horseshoes, bowling, and other sports.
5. Can't wait to move into our new home.
6. Tonight I go to the Harbor House at 9:00pm.
7. City Mission for breakfast
8. Then back to Empowerment Academy to make new friends.
9. I volunteer at North Buffalo Community Center and Holy Spirit Church.
10. I belong to Sanders Leisure Club first and third Thursday.
11. I belong to Free Spirit Club every Thursday of each month.

A Comfort Zone

By, Keith

For next week I'll be trying to find an apartment where I'll feel comfortable. For apartments, I'm looking for something small, clean, and reasonably priced. Apartments I'm not interested in are high rent and run down. Also where it's located, their surroundings. I am proud to write that I was born in Washington, D.C. not only the national Capital of the world's greatest super power but one of the world's well-functioning democracies.

Step Out of my Comfort Zone

By, John

Next time I go to the Erie County Fairgrounds rather than take a cab I will take an Uber.

Legal Clinic

at the Empowerment Academy
Fourth Wednesday of Every Month
9:00 am -12:00 pm

Services for the Legal Clinic

- Social Security [Disability](#)
- Supplemental Security Income
 - Housing Laws
 - Family Law
 - Consumer Law
- Public Assistance Matters

For more information, please call
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Save the Date

**Mental Health Awareness
Information Fair
& 6th Annual Flash Mob
May 3, 2018 10-1pm At
Buffalo Central Library
Please Contact Michelle S
At (716)832-2141 ext. 230**

Thanksgiving Day

By, Tim

Thanksgiving Day is a special day for us to rejoice and count our many blessings and to thank God for this special day. This is a day that we can be with our loved ones, a day of cheerful jubilation. A special day that's devoid of all scornful consternation. A special day that's set aside to indulge in a delicious variety of pies and turkeys with all of its trimmings and the pleasure of watching the annual Thanksgiving Day football game as well as watching the annual Macy's Day Parade on television. It's a sight to behold and while the chilly November winds and the colorful falling leaves that are so prevalent and bright. Thanksgiving Day a time of reflection and hope that needs no introduction because it's a day like no other because its Thanksgiving Day a festive time like no other.

Increasing Self-Esteem

By, John

My goal is to loose twenty pounds before Christmas.

Need Help Making Ends Meet at The Holiday's? The WNY Holiday Partnership is Here!

**Families who are eligible for SNAP
Can receive toys and gifts for
their children 12 and younger!**

**Applications will be accepted
October 23- December 8
For Information about how to apply, and
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