

McLAREN BAY REGION GIVES BACK TO OUR COMMUNITY

McLaren Bay Region donated \$500 to the Bay City Noon Optimist Club for their 2nd Annual Camel Races.

The races take place on November 10th. For more information please visit: http://www.baycitynoonoptimist.org/

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PHP OPEN HOUSE







Thank you to everyone who stopped by our Partial Hospitalization Psychiatric (PHP) Program Open House on Monday, October 1st!

We are proud to offer this service to the community, which is the only one of its kind in the Great Lakes Bay Region.



Special thanks to all the McLaren Bay Region team members who have helped make this program a reality.

To learn more about how this program helps people in our community who struggle with mental health issues, please visit www.mclaren.org/bayPHP.



BAY REGION

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9 WAYS TO PROTECT YOUR PATIENTS

Keeping patients safe from infection is everyone's responsibility



Clean Your Hands Before and After Providing Care



Stay Home if You're Sick



Know If Antibiotics are Appropriate



Follow all Posted Precaution Signs



Use Personal Protective Equipment



Get Vaccinated



Use Safe Injection Practices



Keep Patient's Environment and Equipment Clean



Educate Patients on Infection Prevention

McLaren Bay Region Infection Preventionists:

Katie Roberts (989) 894-9581 Karen Frahm (989) 894-9503 INTERNATIONAL INFECTION PREVENTION WEEK

October 14 - 20

SHOPPING MADE EASY

October 2018

October 18th

Agnes & Dora Discounted Lobby Sale

7 a.m. - 6 p.m. Foundation Wall

Proceeds will benefit the McLaren Bay Region Auxiliary. The Auxiliary provides volunteer service and financial aid to McLaren Bay Region and its subsidiary corporations. Cash, checks, credit/debit cards and payroll deduction are accepted.



\$1 CANDY GRAM SALE!

The Rewards and Recognition Quality Impact Team brings you another great way for you to recognize and show how much you appreciate your fellow employees! For just \$1 you can purchase a Candy Gram card and a treat that will be presented to a coworker of your choice. Candy Grams are available for purchase on the following dates:

Monday October 22nd

Main Campus Lobby 6 am – 8 am 11 am – 1 pm

Tuesday October 23rd

West Campus Lunch Room 11:30 am - 1 pm

Wednesday October 24th

Main Campus Lobby 6 am - 8 am 11:45 am - 1:30 pm

If you purchase a Candy Gram, you can take the Candy Gram that day and personally deliver it to your coworker, or we can send it on your behalf via interoffice mail.



FOUNDATION IN FOCUS

SAVE THE DATE!

The McLaren Bay Medical Foundation's Dinner Around the World event will take place on **Thursday, March 14, 2019** at The Grand Banquet Center from 5:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. Ten countries will be showcasing their delicious cuisines. The event also includes

a silent auction and wine raffle. Tickets will be on sale soon and all proceeds will support the purchase of a 3D Mammography machine for the Bay Diagnostic Center located in the McLaren Health Pavilion. Please contact Alysa Matthews at the Foundation office with any questions.





ANNUAL HALLOWEEN CELEBRATION & PUMPKIN DECORATING CONTEST

Wednesday, October 31st

2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Main Campus and West Campus

Trays of goodies will be delivered to the floors for night shift by 7:00 p.m. Offsite employees are invited to attend either celebration, if they are unable to attend however, orders are due no later than October 26th for off-site goodies for staff. Join the contest! Each department may pick up a pumpkin at the loading dock anytime after 8:00 am on Friday, October 12th. Using the jack-o-lantern, create your display and bring it to the Main Campus cafeteria by noon on the day of the Halloween Celebration, Wednesday, October 31st. Judging of the four top pumpkins will commence at 12:00 pm. Judges this year will be Mitch Southwick, Marc'L Neumann and Darcey Palumbo. The top four department winners will receive bags of goodies, ribbons and, best of all, StatLine fame!

Questions? Contact Sarah Foster at (989) 894-6503



DOING WHAT'S BEST.

OPEN ENROLLMENT FOR 2018

Open Enrollment will be conducted Monday, October 22, 2018 – Monday, November 12, 2018 and it will be a "changes only" enrollment this year. A "changes only" enrollment means that an employee needs to complete a paper open enrollment ONLY IF one or more of the following situations apply:

- You want to start or continue participation in either, or both, the medical or the dependent care portion(s) of the Flexible Spending Account (FSA) programs (the IRS requires annual enrollments for FSA plans)
- You want to make a change

to your coverage from one offering to another (examples: change from MyChoice Premier to MyChoice Premier Plus or pick up life insurance, disability, dental and/or vision coverage)

- You want to make a change to your coverage level by adding or removing dependents from coverage (for example, change from single coverage to 2 person coverage because of a marriage, or move from 2 person coverage to waiving coverage because your spouse obtained coverage through his/her employer)
- You are enrolling in coverage for the first time
- You want to add or remove a dependent

NOTE: Employee assistance labs will be scheduled to answer questions, enroll in voluntary benefits (Accident, Critical Illness, Hospital Indemnity, Whole Life) or help complete paper forms. See the schedule listed below.

If none of these situations apply, you will not need to complete the open enrollment process, and your 2018 elections will be rolled over to the 2019 plan year.

Employees adding a spouse or a dependent must provide Human Resources with appropriate documents for coverage to be initiated (ie, marriage licenses, birth certificates, etc).

November 12, 2018 at 5:00 p.m. is the absolute last day for you to make changes to your benefits for the 2019 benefit year.

Be watching your home mail for further communication from Corporate Benefits regarding Open Enrollment.

Open Enrollment Labs Schedule

Monday, October 22 – 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Tuesday, October 23 – 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Wednesday, October 24 – 7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Thursday, October 25 – 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Friday, October 26 – 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Monday, October 29 – 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Tuesday, October 30– 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Wednesday, October 31 – 7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Thursday, November 1 – 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Friday, November 2 – 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Monday, November 5 – 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Tuesday, November 6 – 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Wednesday, November 7 – 7:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Thursday, November 8 – 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Friday, November 9 – 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday, November 12 – 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.



MARKETPLACE

For physicians, employees, volunteers and retirees. To submit a listing, choose one of the following:

- 1. Visit www.mclaren.org/bayregion and click on "For Employees," then "McLaren Marketplace"
- 2. Fax to (989) 891-8185
- 3. Email emma.miller@mclaren.org
- 4. Send by interoffice mail to Emma in marketing

AD DEADLINE

Two weeks before publication date (StatLine is published every Tuesday). Repeated ads are on a space-available basis. Home or cell phone number must be included in ad.

FOR SALE

- Weber Grill. Like new, used twice. Comes with cover and half full gas tank. \$350. Call (989) 893-2227 if no answer, leave message.
- White Larson storm screen door. Like new. With dog door. \$165. Call (989) 893-2227 if no answer, leave message.
- White toilet. Excellent shape. \$75. Call (989) 893-2227 if no answer, leave message.
- Two bedroom, one bath house for rent in Bay City. Fenced yard. No pets. \$650.00 a month plus utilities. Call (989) 220-6444