

# KANDU Connection



*December 29, 2016*

## KANDU Christmas Concert



On Thursday, December 15th, KANDU clients and staff were invited to celebrate the holiday season with a complimentary dinner and show at The Armory. The space was transformed into a winter wonderland, resembling a beautiful Christmas card depiction of the North Pole. Best Events prepared a delicious waited dinner and dessert, while special guest Lannette Calhoun performed holiday favorites. Lannette teaches in the music department at three local colleges and recently completed a production of Little Women - her 50th musical! After dinner, everyone participated in holiday sing-a-longs and dancing, the highlight of the evening and the epitome of holiday cheer. Thank you to Lannette Calhoun for volunteering your time and talents, and to everyone else who made this memorable evening possible.

AT THE ARMORY



*New Year's Eve*  
at THE ARMORY  
**December 31**

*Featuring live music by*

**Shotgun Jane**  
&  
**DRUMRAVE**

*Along with...*

*A 5-Course Dinner | Dancing  
Hors D'oeuvres | Champagne*

*Tickets and additional information available at [JanesvilleArmory.com](http://JanesvilleArmory.com)*

## Thank You, Data Dimensions



KANDU's Day Services/Memory Care Program recently received a generous item donation, collected and delivered by Data Dimensions. This bountiful donation contained a variety of useful (and fun!) items including snacks, games, puzzles, activities and much more. These donations were received in response to a Christmas tree displayed in the lobby of Data Dimensions, decorated with ornaments listing items that would benefit clients participating in our adult day care program. Thank you, Data Dimensions for implementing this wonderful fundraising idea and we greatly appreciate the generosity of everyone who contributed.

KANDU's Day Services/Memory Care is an activities-based day program that emphasizes improvement in physical, mental and social well-being through expert care and an understanding of each participant's individual abilities. For more information, visit our [website](#) or call Julie at (608) 755-4123 to schedule a tour.

## A Holiday Celebration



KANDU clients and staff celebrated the holiday season with food and fun on Thursday, December 22nd. Staff served lunch to clients at both Adel Street and Barberry Drive locations. Best Events prepared the delicious holiday feast, fit for Mr. Claus himself. Speaking of Santa... He happened to find time in his busy schedule to drop by for a visit! Along with loads of holiday cheer, each client received a gift card as a Christmas gift.

*KANDU and Best Events would like to extend the warmest of season's greetings to everyone who supports our mission. Whether you are a donor, sponsor, volunteer or customer, your contributions have a profound impact on our community. We hope your holidays were merry and bright and your new year is filled with good health and happiness.*

## CommuniTree Results Are In!



The winners of Pontiac Convention Center's Christmas CommuniTree Competition & Show have been chosen! Local businesses, organizations and groups set up and decorated trees to promote their mission and creativity to the public. The trees were available for public viewing December 5th through the 23rd and visitors were asked to vote for their favorites. Congratulations to Golden K Kiwanis for winning all three categories, including "Most Creative", "Best Theme" and "People's Choice", earning them the \$300 cash prize! Thank you to all who participated in this fun event!

## Grapes & Hops 2017

# GRAPES & HOPS



A Celebration Of Wine and Beer  
February 10th - The Armory

Preparations are well underway for KANDU's popular celebration of wine and beer, Grapes & Hops. Slated for Friday, February 10th, this annual tasting event features local celebrity pourers, delectable food pairings and beautiful live music at The Armory. Guests will have the opportunity to learn proper tasting techniques from professionals Alice Blue and Mark Miller of Badger Spirits, while soloist Duane Worden returns to provide the perfect ambiance with his remarkable vocals and acoustic stylings of adult contemporary hits. Extravagant live and silent auction items will also be available throughout the evening. Tickets are available [online](#) or by calling (608) 755-4123. They can also be purchased at Badger Spirits or from any of our wonderful Celebrity Pourers. [Click here](#) to view the up-to-date list of Pourers.



## Volunteer of the Month



## Russ Allen

*Thank you, Santa, for  
volunteering your time  
to spread Christmas  
cheer to our clients!*

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