

# **Community Life and Pathways to Employment**

CL made a visit to observe the wood carved sculpture that Stephen King had made from the remnants of a massive ash tree in his front yard.



Pathways to Employment continues to volunteer at a number of sites, including the Good Shepherd Food Bank. Each volunteer works as a team to put together food boxes for anyone in need. Pathways packages an average of 150-200 boxes weekly! Pathways participants are honored to participate in this wonderful opportunity to give back to their community.



# **Penobscot Valley Industries and Ralph Leek Elders**



# **PVI and RLE**

October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month! We partnered with Northern Light Lafayette Center, in Brewer, to paint pink themed pumpkins to decorate their building's walkway. We had a wonderful time doing this for a great cause! Community Life has moved from The Lodge, in Brewer, back to 96 Thirteenth Street, in Bangor. Amicus Ralph Leek Elders will be utilizing The Lodge during their building's upcoming renovations. The Lodge with its warm, welcoming atmosphere will remain a space for all Amicus programs to use.

PVI and RLE come together every Wednesday to participate in a Kahn Academy class. They are doing fantastic and really excelling in their art skills. Here is a beautiful interpretation of a Vincent D. Smith painting done by one of our RLE program participants.



# **Bouchea Center for Learning**



A group of participants and staff from the Bouchea Center for Learning recently visited RJ's Family Farm in Corinth where the owners generously donated over 30 small pumpkins to us! A fun harvest day was planned where our program participants were provided opportunities to decorate pumpkins, to join in on the fun of the Snail's Pace Race game and Apple Toss, and, to enjoy the delicious tastes of donuts, apple cider, and homemade hot cocoa!







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<ul> <li>Penobscot Valley Industries</li> </ul>	Rep Payee Services
Ralph Leek Elders	Home Supports
Community Life	Behavioral Consultation
<ul> <li>Pathways to Employment</li> </ul>	MHCPV Housing (Section 8)

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Hannaford, located on Stillwater Avenue in Bangor, has selected Amicus to be the October recipient of funds raised from purchasing a Community Bag.



You can also support Amicus programs through Hannaford Community Bags with the following steps:

#### Step 1:

At ANY Hannaford purchase a \$2.50 Community Bag that has an attached Giving Tag, at ANY time.

## Step 2:

Follow the instructions on the Giving Tag to go online and direct the \$1 donation to Amicus.

Hannaford will send a check to Amicus whenever \$5.00 in donations has been directed.

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