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Volunteer Highlight—Meet Bob Edwards!



ob, a Registered Nurse, began volunteering at Live Oak Clinic almost 5 years ago, shortly after moving to the Gulf Coast. Born California, he grew up in Oregon. He served in the military for five in Vietnam & Germany as a helicopter pilot. After discharge, he continued flying and had numerous interesting experiences such as training foreign pilots, fighting forest fires, and working with the U.S. Geological Survey during the Mount St. Helen's eruption.

For his next career, Bob completed nursing school at the Umpqua Community College in Oregon. He & his wife, Vicky, also an RN, lived and worked in Arizona for 17 years. After retirement, they were drawn to Brazosport where Bob has continued his interests in prison ministry and salt water fishing. In addition, he is an avid motorcyclist and a talented tinkerer.

Bob's humor and dedication have made him a favorite of all the patients & volunteers.

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Donations 2015

We especially recognize the continued vital support of these donors to all of our patients.

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These smiling faces greet each patient as they arrive and documents their visit information in the electronic records.

Back to front: Jackie Brewer, Linda Miles, Irene Standard and Maria Antunez

<u>2015</u>

- * 342 patient visits
- 35 clinic sessions
- * 26 clinic volunteers
- * 1248 volunteer hours

Our Volunteers give great care

Live Oak Clinic has recently been given another learning tool for our patients by Context Media. This is a company that partners with Healthcare professionals to deliver educational videos to people living with chronic conditions via smart television systems and interactive tablets in the waiting room and exam rooms. A service provided to us free of charge.

To the right - Carol Janes demonstrates to a patient how to navigate through a tablet.



Thank you Brazosport Rotary Club

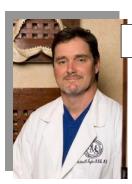
Live Oak received a \$4,500.00 grant from the Brazosport Rotary Club to purchase insulin for the diabetic patients in our care. Since the clinic's goal is to have our patients improve the understanding and care of their

diabetes, we feel an obligation to offer the insu- lin at no cost. People with limited means some- time must choose between the necessities of life and basic medical care.

Nathan Phillips, DDS



Lake Jackson Oral Surgery - continues to serve the area by volunteering oral surgery services on a monthly basis. This spring we upgraded our 3D conebeam scanner to provide the best imaging available. We have also extended our presence into social media. Check out our facebook page or website at lakejacksonorlasurgery.com



Richard Fugler, DDS, MD





When you shop at AmazonSmile, Amazon donates 0.5% of the purchase price to Live Oak Clinic of Brazosport.

Hours of Operation Live Oak Clinic Screening begins at 4:00 PM. Only a limited number of patients can be seen each session. 102 Yaupon, Lake Jackson (First Presbyterian Church - side entrance May 5 July 7 Mailing address: PO Box 3224 May 12 July 14 Lake Jackson, TX 77566 July 28 May 19 Phone: Clinic (ONLY during open hours): June 2 Aug 4 979-388-0809 June 9 Aug 18 *Fax 800-653-5179 June 23 Aug 25

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