

# DECEMBER 2023 CARING NEWS



Happy holidays from your CPC family!

*Dear CPC Family,*

*As we reflect on the closing chapter of this year, our hearts are brimming with gratitude for the incredible journey we've shared together. It is with immense joy that we extend our deepest thanks to the remarkable clients and dedicated volunteers who have been the heartbeat of our agency.*

*In 2023, your collective efforts have woven a story of compassion and impact. Thanks to your unwavering support, we proudly announce that our agency has had the privilege of serving over 250 clients. This remarkable feat would not have been possible without the dedication of the 80 volunteers who form the backbone of our organization. Together, you've contributed over 65,000 miles driven and nearly 6,000 services provided, making a tangible difference in the lives of those we serve.*

*As the year draws to a close, we find ourselves humbled by the strength of our community. Your generosity, kindness, and selflessness have been the driving force behind every milestone we've achieved. We are not just an agency; we are a family, bound by a shared commitment to making the world a better place.*

*With heartfelt appreciation, we express our gratitude to each and every one of you. Your support has been the catalyst for positive change, and we are profoundly thankful for the trust you place in us.*

*As the holiday season dawns upon us, we extend warm wishes to you and your loved ones. May the spirit of joy and togetherness surround you, and may the coming year bring even more opportunities for us to make a meaningful impact together.*

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## 2023 Wrapped

- 4,370 Hours Served
- 6,180 Services Provided
- 53,879 Miles driven
- 41 New Volunteers

## Spotlight: December's Inspiring Client Journey

Empowering Independence: Janet B.'s Journey from Ohio to Yoga with CPC Support

Meet Janet B., an Ohio native with a master's in English education humanities. After teaching English in Asia for over a decade, Janet faced transportation challenges despite having her friends' occasional help. Grateful for Community Partners in Caring (CPC), she now relies on them for transportation to her essential yoga classes, which are crucial for her physical therapy.

CPC's support allows Janet to stay active and maintain her independence, bringing a renewed sense of vitality to her life. She recommends the book "Breaking The Age Code" and extends special thanks to CPC volunteers for their safe driving and pleasant conversations.

Janet's story exemplifies the transformative impact of community support, showcasing how CPC enhances lives and fosters independence.



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## Hilda's Corner 'Tis the Season'

Thinking back this year on the many changes that we have each experienced – physical, emotional, financial, medical, any one of which can be life-changing, also brings us an opportunity to practice gratitude. And the biggest change for me in 2023, becoming the Executive Director for Community Partners in Caring, is also where my greatest sense of gratitude comes from.



I want to thank the Board of Directors for having faith in me, and the amazing staff of Community Partners in Caring.

Every day, they show me their special grace of caring, the folks we all serve, the donors who provide us with the financial resources to do our work, and our own “Partners in Caring,” the incredible volunteers.

May your season be filled with excitement for great things to come in 2024!

## ***Happy Birthday to our amazing November-Born Volunteers!***

***Happy Birthday Simba I. from Santa Maria!***

***Happy Birthday Courtney C. Guadalupe!***

***Happy Birthday James G. from Guadalupe!***

***Happy Birthday Bob B. from Orcutt!***

***Happy Birthday Melanie V. from Orcutt!***

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***Can't find the time to volunteer? Help our organization by sending us a donation. This enables us. to provide additional services to seniors as well as find more volunteers to keep our organization running.***

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