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Leo Club visits Pond Home

WRENTHAM, MA... A recent afternoon at Pond Home found members of the Leo Club at King Phillip Regional High School laughing uncontrollably over their antics as they regaled an audience of Pond Home residents with a game of charades.

The well-attended activity and the future monthly visits are thanks to the desire of current Leo Club President Elizabeth Williams to increase the service opportunities for club members.

According to Williams, the Leo Club at King Phillip Regional High School, which is the student version of the Lions Club service organization, has more than 200 members participating this year. With so many members and limited opportunity for service she looked to expand their impact and provide service to more local organizations.

"The Leo Club already hosts an annual Senior Senior Prom and everyone has fun at that, so I thought additional service with elders was a perfect fit," said Williams.

Williams approached Pond Home's Activity Director Barbara Larsen who happily agreed to the monthly visits from club members.

"It's great for our residents to make community connections, and these high school students bring so much energy," said Larsen after the last visit.

The most recent visit found the following club members in attendance: Freshman Christine Balquist; Juniors Kristan Parkinson and Dana Vasty; and Seniors Lauren Nicherson, Colleen Puzas, and Daniel McCormick.

About Pond Home

Pond Home offers Residential Care and Supportive Nursing Care in a beautifully maintained colonial home on Route 140 in Wrentham, providing all meals and 24 hour nursing care. It is a non-profit corporation run by a volunteer board. The property is managed by Rogerson Communities, a Boston based non-profit recognized as a leader in the management and development of elder housing and services. To learn more about Pond Home contact Becky Annis at 508-384-3531, ext. 225 or visit www.pondhome.org.