

Employee Spotlight

Craig Pratt

Maintenance

As an employee who says the most fulfilling part of his job is making his co-workers and residents of Galena-Stauss Assisted Living happy, Craig Pratt must feel like a very rewarded man. In his official maintenance role, Pratt takes care of buildings, grounds and equipment. But it is his unofficial role as 'caretaker' of co-workers and residents that is perhaps even more valued. Gwen Harwick, a grateful co-worker, cited his recent actions during the winter's most brutal cold snap as just one example of his many acts of thoughtfulness. "Craig went out of his way to gather keys and move cars in the parking lot so that it could be more completely plowed and safer for employees, residents and visitors. His kindness also meant others didn't have to go out in the nasty weather."



Pratt enjoys the non-routine nature of his job and the challenges it presents. "Anything can happen at any given time and I really enjoy that," Pratt said. He says he enjoys his work so much that he can't pick just one favorite memory from among many. He did readily admit, however, that he enjoys hunting and fishing in his off-hours.

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