

TRAINING UPDATE

We have a new group of Bingocize<sup>®</sup> leaders who are students at Western Carolina University. The number of students trained to date is 52 and they are actively involved in facilities near campus. A total of 51 facility staff have received training links with the majority whatever you need to feel ready. having completed training. Michaela from Clay County Nursing and Holli and Leah from White Oak Manor of Kings Mountain have recently completed their training.

#### PARTNERS IN FUN!

We are excited to have 23 facilities officially on-board: Abernethy Laurels, Autumn Care of Waynesville, Big Elm Retirement and Nursing Center, Clay County Care Center, Courtland Terrace, Emerald Ridge, Life Care Center of Banner Elk, Murphy Rehab and Nursing, NC State Veterans Home-Black Mountain, NC State Veterans Home-Fayetteville, Peak Resources of Alamance, Peak Resources of Shelby, Saturn Nursing and Rehabilitation, Skyland Care Center, Skyland Terrace and Rehabilitation, The Oaks-Brevard, The Oaks-Sweeten Creek, Trinity Ridge, Tsali Care Center, UHC Fletcher, UHC Oxford, White Oak Manor of Kings Mountain, and Willow Ridge. Five more facilities are working on their paperwork.

## ATTENDANCE & CURRICULUM REINFORCEMENTS ORDERING

Please remember to use the latest attendance form and submit it at the end of the month. If you did not have Bingocize® for that month, please let us know. When you have about a month's supply of curriculumn reinforcements (prizes) left, use the ordering form to place your order. These forms can be found on the website on the Facility Resource page. BingocizeNC. wcu.edu or email slipscomb@wcu.edu and request the form needed.

Website: BingocizeNC.wcu.edu/Phone: 828-227-2893

### NEED START-UP ASSISTANCE

Nyou have completed your online training and need a pit of extra help getting comfortable facilitiating Bingocize<sup>®</sup>, reach out to us and we'll help you get started! We can meet online, do practice sessions...

#### WELCOME TO GAYLE!

We have a new staff member joining the team to help Bingocize facilities and leaders. Gayle Alexander is her name, so look for calls or emails from Gayle.



#### **FACILITY SPOTLIGHT**

Abernethy Laurels is located in Newton. Amy Carter, their activity director, reports a very high rate of participation with their residents. She said they are pleasantly surprised at how many are doing the exercises. They promoted the program with staff and residents and had everyone excited to start. She attributes that to their success. Amy also said it just took a couple times leading it to get comfortable as a Bingocize leader. Her words.... "They LOVE it!" Their incentive is to give a Bingocize shirt to those who attend 8 our of 12 classes.



# October Fun

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