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## **THE GOOD SHEPHERD HOSTS INTERGENERATIONAL DAY CAMP**

ASHLAND, Ohio – The Good Shepherd Rehabilitation and Healthcare Campus (TGS) is hosting its first intergenerational day camp for children ages 7 to 12. The camp, which started July 27 and will conclude July 31, runs from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. daily and allows attendees to interact with residents of the skilled nursing facility.

Twenty-six children attended the camp, which features a different theme each day. Thursday, July 30, will focus on exercise and nutrition while on the final day, Friday, July 31, children will play a variety of sports and games.

“We wanted to come up with a way that we could get kids involved with our residents,” said Joe Abraham, administrator. “The day camp allows them to play games, visit and just have fun with the residents. There are many life lessons to be learned from our senior citizens.”

There was no cost to participate in the day camp and children could sign up for one or all days. Lunch was provided.

The Good Shepherd Rehabilitation and Healthcare Campus, established in Ashland County in 1956, is dedicated to providing the finest healthcare services within an atmosphere of gracious hospitality. The facility specializes in comprehensive rehabilitative services and complex and skilled nursing programs. A member of Lutheran Social Services of Northern Ohio, TGS is proud to be Ashland County’s premier provider of specialized care to individuals with Alzheimer’s disease and memory related impairments. TGS is an approved provider under the Medicare and Medicaid programs and most insurance plans are accepted.