

PP4Alz Meets with Chelsea Meadows of Chatsworth at PGA National



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- PURPLE PASSION 4 Alzheimer's met with John Feoli, Director, Activities at Chatsworth at PGA National in Palm Beach Gardens, Florida, to collaborate potential events at Chelsea Meadows, the memory care unit at Chatsworth. We are excited about the ideas that we discussed, as PP4Alz continues its "Adopt a Memory Care Facility" mantra.

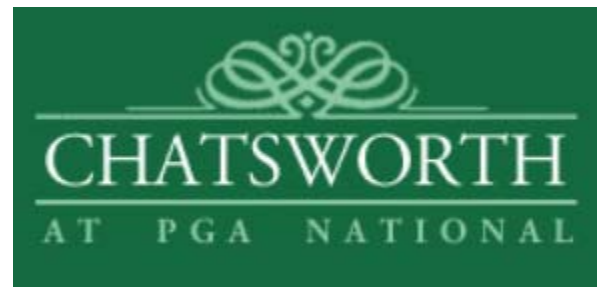
In previous discussions with Mr. Feoli, ideas had been thrown about and now was the time to put more details into our plans. In addition, we discussed the process at Chatsworth for individuals to become volunteers. We certainly have been encouraged by the warm welcome from John and the staff.


In connection with our PP4Alz Teens program, our sons Andrew and Taylor will visit Chelsea Meadows to sing some of their favorite songs from musicals that they have performed in before. Preliminary plans include Andrew singing from Jersey Boys (he has a mean falsetto) and Taylor performing a ballad. We are also convincing them to sing "Ice Cream" together from Music Man.



PP4Alz Teens is one of our programs that involves our youth in giving back to the community by visiting seniors and brightening their days through music, poetry, acting, and love and attention. Cynthia and Joe have been active in keeping their children grounded through community outreach.

While we were in Charlotte we were able to visit Atria at Merrywood where several teens entertained the audience of seniors. One young lady showed off her art while discussing her grandmother's battle with Alzheimer's. As she began to relive her memories and the loss of someone so special to her, she became especially emotional. There was not a dry eye in the place. THAT is why we believe PP4Alz Teens is so important – our children need venues to give back to their community using THEIR talents; and just as importantly, they need to be able to express their emotions in a secure and nurturing environment.





To learn more about PP4Alz Teens, or if you would like to join our program, visit: <http://www.pp4alz.org/teenDataEntrySQL.php>.

PP4Alz also encourages our young children to contribute to the fight against Alzheimer's, and to give back to the community, through our PURPLE Pennies program. Small containers are provided in places where children and their parents can donate their spare change.



To help us launch this program in our new community, our young children Grayson and Coles-Albert will participate in PURPLE Gardens at Chelsea Meadows. As John explained to us, residents will be able to plant and nurture small gardens consisting of purple flowers and (maybe) vegetables (Joe is looking into finding the Purple Peppers that we grew in Greensboro); Grayson and Coles-Albert will help the residents in this endeavor. As with our older sons, we emphasize with the young ones the importance of staying connected and grounded through community outreach.

We placed our PURPLE Pennies containers at baseball stadiums, shops, and other locations through-out the Charlotte area while we were based there. We are now looking to penetrate the South Florida market.

If you would like to take part in PURPLE Pennies, or know of a location where our containers could be placed, please visit us at www.pp4alz.org. You can also email Joe at cfo@pp4alz.org.

We sincerely appreciate Chelsea Meadows for welcoming us as we connect with Alzheimer's patients. We will provide more details about our programs with the Memory Care facility as they become more concrete. To learn more about Chelsea Meadows at Chatsworth at PGA National, visit: <http://www.chatsworthatpga.com/>.

Remember that you can follow Cynthia's [Mrs. Palm Beach America 2012 Facebook Page](https://www.facebook.com/pages/Mrs-Palm-Beach-America-2012/146944275418213) (<https://www.facebook.com/pages/Mrs-Palm-Beach-America-2012/146944275418213>).

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