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## PRELUDE CLUBHOUSE – THE START OF BETTER THINGS TO COME!

### *Holiday Greetings from North Texas, Collin County!*

We exist to provide a place for those living with mental illness, in Collin County and the surrounding area, where they can have a community of acceptance, build relationships, have meaningful work and experience a sense of belonging and ownership. We opened our doors on February 7<sup>th</sup>, operating two days a week, Tuesday/Thursday from 10 am- 2 pm. We have extended our hours to 4 pm and hope to add one more day in the new year. We hold to the standards of Clubhouse International and the Work Ordered Day model.



The day we opened, February 7, 2017

From Left to Right:

John Hoelzel, Board President, Jan Hoelzel, John's wife, Neta Davis, Prelude CH volunteer, Jim Davis, Clubhouse member, Joan Abrams, Board Secretary and CH volunteer, Diana McEwen, Interim Acting Director and CH volunteer

December 2, 2017, we celebrated our first Holiday Concert featuring 'ellen cherry' (lowcase intentional), Portraits in Song; we enjoyed the company and fellowship of our friends, family, Prelude Clubhouse Sponsors, Donors and guests! A great success, we hope to continue the tradition featuring other artists that share our passion for Clubhouses and the work we do.





**Chelsea Robinson – Prelude Clubhouse Executive Director, planned and organized fundraiser events and more, providing more revenue for our budget. 2017 was a year that we gained experience in fundraising and growing the Clubhouse. We couldn't do it without the efforts of our members, our stakeholders, and all of us who are passionate about the Clubhouse model that has proven to be an integral part of the rehabilitation and recovery for those with mental illness.**



**Enjoyed a visit from San Antonio Clubhouse!**

**Our November Sidewalk sale outside Prelude Clubhouse - A bit chilly, but great fun!**



**Prelude Clubhouse ES., Volunteer, guests and Clubhouse members**



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SNACK BAR: Vanessa, Christian, and Christina



*Wishing you a wonderful Holiday Season  
and a Happy New Year!*

*Quotes from Prelude Clubhouse Members:*

*"I can come here, be myself and relax. Everyone is happy, friendly, and kind"*

*"I felt like I was at home from the first visit"*

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