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BACK TO WORK

I am so happy to have a job! I'm working at Children First as an office assistant. Right now, I work on Wednesdays and Fridays, but my schedule will increase to three days a week after the new year. I do a lot of filing, copying, and creating labels. It's different every day which keeps it interesting. The people there are all really nice to work with.

I interviewed for the job back in October and, soon after, I was offered the position. It was a lengthy process to get all of the new-hire paperwork completed. I didn't want to tell anyone about the job until after I started because I was nervous that it wouldn't work out. But now, I have worked for three weeks and I feel very comfortable. It means a lot to me to have a job that gives me something to look forward to.



Carolyn Robinson

ON THE MOVE

In my new apartment on Osprey, one flight up, I am living alone. There's one-and-a-half bathrooms, a laundromat downstairs, and a covered parking lot. As for the view, it's as good as living in Central Park. Inside, some paintings help me settle my thoughts. As neighborhoods go, it's a nod to modernity and the culture of young adults; that is, brief but courteous encounters with the neighbors. Were it not for the Academy at Glengary, I might find it very lonely, but I've slowly built some routines of cooking, and ending the day by reading or writing, calling with friends or family and, in the morning, taking time to ease into my busy day. I recently invited my two brothers in to join me over the holidays - familiar and new are glad tidings for a new year.



Stephen Anderson

HOLIDAY MEALS PREPARED FOR DELIVERY



(left to right) Kevin Geyer, Lisa Hillje, and Ben Burnside
Stewie Bitterman

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