12 years ago, Hannah Salinger started as a dietary aide here at The Campus. She was a Sophomore in high school who worked her way through College and was soon promoted to Dining Room Manager. In 2019 she was once again promoted, to Assistant Manager and graduated from Penn State with a bachelor’s in management.

When you have a heart of gold, you tend to take things personally and that may be the hardest part of Hannah’s position here on Campus. She cares for the residents so deeply, that when they are not happy, she is not happy. But she will never give up trying, and that means the world to the residents; knowing they can count on her to be there for them.

“After the craziness of this past year, food is still the one thing everyone can enjoy. When we opened the PCH dining room I was able to see some of the residents who have known me all these years, for the first time in a year and it brought tears of happiness to my eyes. It did not hit me until I saw them, how much I missed them. The residents drive me. They always have. Seeing the smiles on their faces will always be my main focus. They deserve the best, so I try and give them my best.”

And THAT is why Hannah is such a valued member of our team. You don’t have to be a caregiver to make a difference. No matter the position, no matter the title, we can all strive to provide our best and know the little things we do, can make such a huge impact. For the smiles...