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Rockynol Certified as an Eden Home

Leslie Belfance, Executive Director of Rockynol received official notification this week that Rockynol has been certified as an Eden Alternative facility. The Eden Alternative is a not-for-profit organization dedicated to remaking the experience of aging. It promotes a living environment filled with variety and spontaneity, making it a life worth living rather than one for the frail and elderly. Their vision is to eliminate loneliness, helplessness, and boredom.

Currently, Rockynol is the only retirement community in Akron and one of only fifteen such communities in Ohio that are certified Eden Alternative homes.

“We began our Eden journey a number of years ago and are so excited and proud to have received certification, but our journey does not end here. Eden is really an environment and culture change that places decision making with the residents and those closest to them, giving them autonomy over their daily lives. I continually encourage my staff to create a warm environment that is infused with optimism, trust and generosity. Staff and residents working together create a better community, said Leslie Belfance.”

For more information about the Eden initiative go to edenalt.com. or call Rockynol at 330-867-2150.

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