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A Phantom Affair is an event that you don't have to attend... save the investment of a new dress. baby sitter, auction items, and send your donations to NEACCF - Attn: Phantom Affair, 404 Creath Avenue, All donors or "attendees" will be listed in the next edition of our newsletter. Donations must be received by July 2004 to be included in the printing. Please call 934.5109 for further details.

Fall Ball September 2004

3 on 3 basketball tournament for all ages Please refer to our website for updates date, location, registration forms. Don't miss this fun event!!



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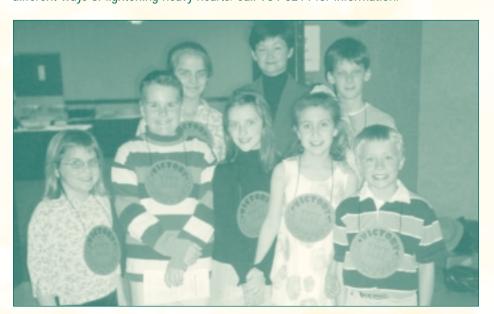
Duck hunting event in some of the best hunting locations in Northeast Arkansas. Please refer to our website for information as it comes available. Sign up early for this great event!

Victory Volunteers Are Kids Who Care!

Victory Volunteers are boys and girls ranging from 8 to 12 years of age who, through acts of kindness, hope to bring some happy moments to people who are battling disease, despair, loss or loneliness. The name of the organization was proposed by third grader Lauren Teague who discussed it with her grandmother, Lou Ann Clements, a cancer survivor. These boys and girls hope to help people win their battles by bringing positive acts to negative situations.

The group was organized in November 2003 when adults connected with HopeCircle expressed interest in establishing a group in which children could volunteer their time and efforts toward helping people. Several of the Victory Volunteers have family members who have dealt with catastrophic illness, faced serious illness themselves and coped with the death of loved ones. Since that time, the boys and girls have made Christmas decorations and baked holiday cookies for oncology patients, fashioned Valentine cards for residents of Craighead County Nursing Center and assisted at the HopeCircle community event.

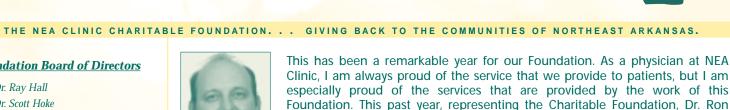
The group tries to meet monthly with new ideas for bringing smiles to faces and different ways of lightening heavy hearts. Call 934-5214 for information.



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noting that we were the only clinic in the state represented in this way. "MAP" as it is known, or Medicine Assistance Program, continues to make a tremendous impact in this region. MAP not only serves patients, but also serves area physicians by helping with the exhaustive paper work required by

Blachly was able to present four scholarships to medical students at UAMS,

pharmaceutical companies. Several thousand patients have been able to use this program, saving hundreds of thousands of dollars on prescribed medications. Besides providing needed medications, this program helps restore dignity and self-esteem. It raises the quality of life for people by improving health and saving money.

HopeCircle is a program with infinite possibilities for service. I think one of the great things about this mission (I hate to call it a program), is that it not only ministers to the physical challenges of serious illness but helps people draw strength, hope and peace from spiritual resources. The recent program, honoring some of our community heroes, along with the performance by David M. Bailey, had to be one of the most inspirational events that I have ever attended.

I would encourage all of our friends across Northeast Arkansas to continue to support this great Foundation. And I would challenge each of you to donate a little time to one of our programs or fundraisers this next year. Author Rick Warren says in The Purpose Driven Life, the best way to spell love is T-I-M-E.



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welcome to our Board of Directors, Cindy Thyer, Doug Doggett, Ted Fortenberry, Bobbi Fowler, Dr. Bruce Jones, Dr. Scott Hoke, Dr. Ken Chan, Ava Jane Duke, Ann Baxter. We bade farewell to Dr. Susan Hanrahan, Ed Way, Dr. Ken Beadles, Dr. Michael Isaacson, Chaplain Edward Pruett. We are sincerely grateful for their generous and committed support of special events and programs of our Foundation during their tenure.

NEA Clinic Charitable Foundation is truly a community effort. I would like to

NEA Clinic Charitable Foundation is off to a miraculous year. We have had two very successful fund raising events, are able to help over 4,500 patients through our Medicine Assistance Program and have opened our much awaited HopeCircle

Resource Center. We couldn't be more proud of the communities of Northeast Arkansas for their enthusiasm and support of our Foundation. As we build toward the future, NEA Clinic Charitable Foundation is fortunate to have the support

of those in our giving community who share our vision. Thanks to you - for being a part of something that truly makes a difference in the lives of so many.

Holly Acelo Executive Director

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plans now to participate this December.

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Woman to Woman Luncheon

"From She to Shining She!" was the theme of the third annual Woman to Woman Luncheon which was on Thursday, May 6, at The Colonnade. After enjoying a delicious meal donated by Outback Steakhouse, the three hundred and twenty-five people in attendance were inspired and entertained by internationally recognized speaker Emory Austin. Among her many tips for success was the suggestion that everyone discover their individual strengths by reflecting on their own life experiences.

The room was transformed with black tablecloths centered by royal blue tulle and multi-colored flower arrangements which were donated by Mid-South Nursery. Other generous sponsors gave away items at the interactive booths. A new feature which proved to be popular this year was the drawing for the "Pamper Me Package" valued at about \$1,000.

Thanks to the support of the sponsors, donors, volunteers, and attendees, the foundation raised \$15,000 to benefit the Medicine Assistance Program and HopeCircle. As it is with many charitable endeavors, the volunteers were delighted to help raise funds for worthy projects and to enjoy the camaraderie.



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HopeCircle Resource Center Opened!



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The newly created HopeCircle Resource Please stop by and visit HopeCircle Center has opened thanks to the generous Monday through Friday from 8am - 5pm. support of NEA Clinic for the in-kind Do not hesitate to call if we can be of donation of space on the 1st floor of NEA assistance to you. It is our goal to provide Clinic at 311 E. Matthews Ave. We are also supportive care to families of Northeast appreciative of donations from David Arkansas undergoing treatment for a Martin Inc, Claudia Shannon Design catastrophic illness. Thank you for your and many individual donors.

The Resource Center is open to the community at large and houses a lending library, corner boutique, HopeCircle volunteers, and the office of Brenda Wiseman, Director of HopeCircle and June Morse, volunteer Coordinator, The Resource Center is a healing environment to relax in, read, find educational materials and/or use the computer for research

Books in the lending library can be checked out on the honor system. A signout sheet can be found on the table near the bookshelves. We are continuing to add to the library and donations of books are greatly appreciated. We are looking for books that address specific diseases, symptom management, nutrition, wellness, spirituality and complementary therapies. This is just one way we are supporting mind, body, heart and spirit.

The Corner Boutique is stocked with wigs, hats, turbans and skin care products for individuals undergoing chemotherapy. All products in the boutique are provided free of charge to anyone in Northeast Arkansas thanks to many private donations. The American Cancer Society and St. Vincent's Hospital in Little Rock also contribute to our wig inventory. Many cosmetic companies are contributing skin care products. We are especially grateful to HopeCircle Volunteer, Jeanette Young of Hair & Body Works, for training our volunteers and coordinating services through the boutique. Please watch for specific hours that the boutique will be open with trained volunteers to offer assistance.

If you would like to make a donation to the Resource Center Library or Boutique. please call 870 934-5214. Tax-deductible donations can be made to NEA Clinic are experiencing the illness along with them. Charitable Foundation. Your support is greatly needed and appreciated!

support! Together we can "Keep Hope

Brenda Wiseman HopeCircle Director

HOPECIRCLE PROGRAMS

"A Family Affair" (Cancer Support Group) 4th Tuesday of each month 6:00 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

I'm Still A Parent A Program for Bereaved Parents Call for Session Times

Summer Circles Open to the community at Large **Brown Bag Lunch Series** July 8 - August 12

(Six Consecutive Thursdays) 12:00 Noon opics of Education, Enrichment and Exploration

HopeCircle Resource Center Open Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Jeanette Young available in the boutique on Tuesday morning

All Programs will be offered in the **HopeCircle Resource Center at** NEA Clinic - 311 East Matthews Please call 934-5214 for dates and times not listed.

HopeCircle is a comprehensive supportive care program, which expands the compassionate care already being provided in this region. Programs are designed to meet the needs of anyone diagnosed and LIVING with a catastrophic illness. This includes not only the person who is diagnosed, but also those who love the person and

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Our Medicine Assistance program continues to grow as the demand will always be there to assist patients throughout our region with their prescription medication. To date, we are helping well over 4,500 patients. These patients come from all over Northeast Arkansas and are referred to us by word of mouth or from the 455 physicians who have patients on the program. We currently deal with 205 different pharmaceutical companies who are so generous to partner with us to bring free medication to these patients who otherwise would go without. Thanks to all of you who support our program through sponsorship and donations - we couldn't continue to assist these patients



If you would like to refer someone to our program, please call our office at 870.934.5540 or go to www.neacfoundation.org and print the forms from our website.

Charlotte Grumbles

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Look us up on the web at www.neacfoundation.org

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3rd Annual Art Slam

The 3rd annual Art Slam was held on Friday, May 14th at the beautiful home of Mike and Cathy Mackey. This year over 50 artists were featured. A wide variety of artwork was available and included hand painted boxes, pottery, ceramics, jewelry, knitting, photographs, watercolors, collages, acrylics and oils. The artwork was displayed throughout the home and guests were provided a "gallery guide" identifying the artists showing in the various galleries.

Live auction items were displayed in the great room gallery prior to the auction. Board member, Doug Doggett, provided auctioneer services for the evening. Guests were treated to musical entertainment by pianists ______, Dr. Tomasz Majeweski, and Dr. Scott Hoke!

The menu for the evening featured smoked salmon with dill cucumber sauce, smoked pork tenderloin, shrimp, asparagus, strawberries, cheese ring, rolls, salsa, rocky road brownies, lemon bars, and cheesecake pops.

The record crowd of \sim 300 enjoyed the evening in spite of threatened rain. All of the hard work was worth it as fun was had by all and over \$22,000 was raised for the NEA Clinic Charitable Foundation.

Special thanks to this year's feature artist Piero Trimachi, and to all of the artists who donated time and talents. Signed, numbered prints of Piero's piece are available for \$50 unframed and \$100 framed. Contact Holly Acebo if you are interested in purchasing this wonderful print. The success of the evening was due to the organized and gracious hosts the Mackey's, and to the many volunteers who cooked, set up, painted, donated, parked cars, etc. As Cathy said, "It takes a village!"

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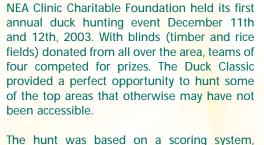
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points were allotted for types and amounts of ducks. Each team had a host/blind monitor to keep track of the scoring. A dinner sponsored by Outback Steakhouse and live and silent auction was included where each team was randomly selected and matched with some of the area's top hunting spots. Following the hunt, lunch was provided at the check in by Triple FM Radio Group with a live radio remote. The team with the most points and the earliest recorded score was awarded as the winner.

Teams of 4 sold for \$1000.00 or \$250.00 per hunter which includes tickets to the dinner and auction for hunter and guests, as well lunch on the day of the hunt. The Duck Classic is an annual fund raiser for NEA Clinic Charitable Foundation, Please watch website for updates on Duck Classic 2004 date and registration information.

The teams for Duck Classic 2003 were as follows:

First Place: Chad Waggoner Rusty Acebo Ronnie Norman Norbert Delacey Chris Akin, Crain Farm- Host

Second Place: Carey Smothermon Brad Simmons Michael Isaacson Eumar Tagupa Freddie Gahr, Extreme Waterfowl - Host

Third Place: Don Hubbard Mark Grubb **Duston Williamson** Kevin Hale Matt Whitlock - Host Fourth Place:

Justin Schaaf Ted Garv 7ane Moore Matt Holt Charles Snapp, Davy Crockett Guide Service - Host

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