
The AUXILIAN

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Dear Auxilian,

Thank you for your support and contributions. At our annual meeting in October, the Auxiliary proudly presented a check to Highland Park Hospital for \$200,000 toward our pledge of \$400,000 for the development of a Primary Stroke Center at the Hospital. This significant donation was made

possible through the hard work and dedication of our Auxiliary Board, our membership and the generosity of our community. Your contributions throughout the year have been invaluable to us; and with your help and support, we look forward to having another successful year.

As President of the Auxiliary, I am excited that our donations and programs are growing. Throughout the year I have had the opportunity to meet and work with many of you. It is always a pleasure to see so many familiar faces and to have the opportunity to hear the positive comments and feedback. We are always looking for enthusiastic volunteers and new members for the many programs we run and support through the Hospital and community. Let's build on our outstanding year to achieve even greater results for 2008.

If you would like more information about the Auxiliary or would like to contribute to our projects, please call our office at 847-926-5003. I also encourage you to visit our website at www.enh.org/auxiliary.

I look forward to seeing you soon

Nadine Woldenberg

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President
Auxiliary of Highland Park Hospital

Auxiliary Raises Funds for Primary Stroke Center at HPH

For many years, the Auxiliary of Highland Park Hospital has initiated mail campaigns that reach out to our community asking for support of projects that keep world-class healthcare close to home.

Our current project is to raise funds for the development of a Primary Stroke Center at Highland Park Hospital. The Primary Stroke Center will be available 24 hours a day, seven days a week for rapid diagnosis and treatment of Stroke. This Center will be the first of its kind in Lake County and is scheduled to open in 2008.

In June, you will receive our request for donations to the Primary Stroke Center. Please join together with the Auxiliary Board in this common goal of supporting excellence in healthcare at Highland Park Hospital. Remember, when seconds count, your response can make a difference.



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The Auxiliary of Highland Park Hospital Annual Meeting 2007



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On October 25, Auxiliary members and their guests attended the 2007 Annual Meeting and Luncheon at the elegant Northmoor Country Club.

The morning began with a boutique presented by the Alcove Gift Shop. The boutique featured unique jewelry, scarves, accessories, handbags and other gift items. Everyone enjoyed the array of delicious hors d'oeuvres as they shopped and socialized.

A beautiful luncheon followed the annual meeting. The Auxiliary's donation of \$200,000 to the Primary Stroke Center at Highland Park Hospital was presented to Jesse Peterson Hall, President of Highland Park Hospital and Dr. Dan Homer, Neurologist. The new slate of Board officers was approved.

Following dessert, event co-chairs Bobbie Hinden and Jill Hurwitz introduced the speaker: Stephanie Zimmermann, better known as "The Fixer." Stephanie entertained us with stories about her fascinating job as a columnist for the *Chicago Sun-Times* and the *Pioneer Press* papers. Stephanie, a graduate of Northwestern University's Medill School of Journalism, writes the column four times a week. She and her staff investigate and help readers solve problems often getting results where individual efforts failed. Stephanie shared a sampling of her more extreme and interesting cases. She also discussed outrageous letters that readers have sent, which were not selected for her column.

The Annual Meeting and Luncheon continues to be one of the highlights of Auxiliary membership. Please save the date for the 2008 Annual Meeting and Luncheon featuring Barbara Rinella at Northmoor Country Club in Highland Park on Thursday, October 23, 2008.



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The Many Faces of Mobile Meals Volunteers

Mobile Meals is a program of Highland Park Hospital that delivers meals to those unable to shop or cook for themselves. There are many unique faces among the volunteer drivers who donate time and talents weekly to this program. With 40-50 meals delivered daily, there are approximately 30 regular drivers and 25 substitute drivers.

Our drivers, from all walks of life, are quite diverse. There is even a young preschooler who routinely helps her mother deliver meals; she affectionately calls it 'visiting her grandmas'. College students, moms volunteering while their children are at school, businessmen delivering during their lunch hours, and retirees looking for an opportunity to stay active and give back to their community are all delivering meals. Mobile Meals has also partnered with the Adult Community Transition (ACT) Program which facilitates the integration of young adults with developmental disabilities into the community; the staff from ACT assists these young adults in picking up and delivering meals twice each week.

As coordinator of the Mobile Meals drivers, I have had the privilege of working with this incredibly generous "army" of volunteers. I am constantly amazed by their willingness to give their time – even when called at the last minute or when weather is less than ideal! Some Mobile Meals drivers have developed great friendships with clients and assist them with chores and a helping hand on their days off.

Thank you to all the drivers and the staff at Highland Park Hospital who have made my experience with the Mobile Meals program such a positive and rewarding one!

Submitted by Julie Hanley



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Lifesource Blood Drive

Highland Park Hospital is the host site for the Highland Park community blood drive. Blood drives are typically held the second Thursday of every other month. LifeSource, Chicagoland's Blood Center, collects blood and distributes it to area hospitals including Highland Park Hospital. If you'd like to schedule an appointment to donate blood at the Highland Park Hospital blood drive, call 847-803-7943.

Breakfast Club

On Monday, December 3, the Breakfast Club met to discuss *Water for Elephants*, by Sara Gruen. Judy Broderick, Highwood Library Trustee and Book Group Moderator, was the discussion leader. This program was so well received that the Auxiliary has invited Judy to review *Loving Frank*, by Nancy Horana,

Amazon.com review says of *Loving Frank*...

"... a rare treasure ... historically imagined novel ... fully versed in the facts and unafraid of weaving those truths into a story that dares to explore the unanswered questions. Frank Lloyd Wright and Mamah Cheney's love story is ... little-known and often dismissed as scandal."

This Breakfast Club will be held on June 9 at the home of Barbara Paget, 2160 Painters Lake, Highland Park. A continental breakfast will be served.

Save the date and watch for your invitation.

Holiday On Ice Decorating Contest

The 2008 Highland Park Hospital Holiday Decorating Contest was a great success. Each department showed great ingenuity, creativity, and holiday cheer. The amount of enthusiasm generated by the participants was most impressive. Ultimately the winner, the Radiology Department (\$100 winner), utilized the most basic of materials and their attention to detail truly reflected the holiday spirit and the theme of this year's contest, *Holiday on Ice*. The second place winner, Interventional Radiology (\$75), and the third place winner, Outpatient Treatment Center (\$50), also impressed us with their unique presentations and personal touches. We would also like to thank the other participating departments and commend them for their commitment to share the holiday joy. The Auxiliary of Highland Park Hospital would like to thank everyone who gave of their time and energy. Thank you for your wonderful displays.

Alcove Gifts

Alcove Gifts is thrilled to announce that the 2007 holiday season was a huge success with outstanding sales and happy customers filling the store. Funds raised through sales at The Alcove contribute to the Auxiliary's efforts to create a Primary Stroke Center at Highland Park Hospital.

Volunteering at the Alcove is very gratifying in many ways. The volunteers meet and greet customers, ready to help them in any way, knowing that each sale contributes to the funding of the Primary Stroke Center at Highland Park Hospital.

The volunteers at the Alcove are dedicated to making the store a wonderful place to shop, but the Alcove is very busy and needs more volunteers. If you have one morning or afternoon each week, you are invited to be a part of this wonderful group. Please call Marj Mead in the Volunteer Office at 847-432-2648 or Sheila Riebman at the Alcove 847-480-4170 to become part of this volunteer group. The Alcove staff will be happy to welcome you.

The Hana K Benefit

On a cold December 13 night, the newest Hana K store in Highland Park had a benefit for the Auxiliary of the Highland Park Hospital. Designer Hana K showed her exquisite collection of coats. While ladies tried on beautiful coats, others enjoyed wine and hors d'oeuvres. A fun evening with 10% of the proceeds benefiting our Auxiliary.

Key To The Cure – Charity Shopping Event

For the eighth consecutive year, the Auxiliary of Highland Park Hospital partnered with Saks Fifth Avenue – Highland Park and Mercedes Benz to raise funds for women's cancer research and treatment through the National Campaign, Key to the Cure.

This year's Key to the Cure featured a Tuesday morning breakfast and a Nanette Lepore fashion show. Thursday evening's kick-off reception included a silent auction and raffle. The proceeds from the shopping weekend, silent auction, raffle and other fundraising activities benefit Kellogg Cancer Care Center.

A special thank you to our Key to the Cure speakers, Dr. Elaine Lee Wade and Dr. Matthew Adess, Saks Fifth Avenue and their employees, Autohaus on Edens and the many individuals and companies who donated to the silent auction, raffle and the success of the charity event.

Alcove Gifts Holiday Boutique

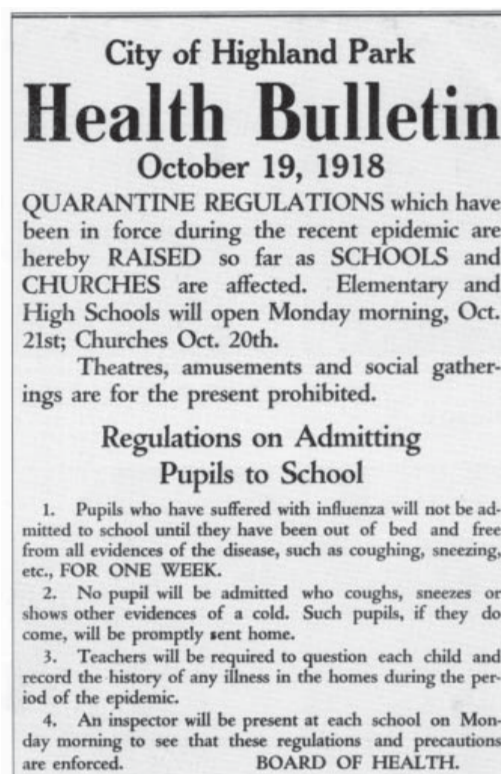
Mark your calendar for Thursday, November 6, 2008, The Alcove Holiday Boutique will be held in the Highland Park Hospital foyer in front of the Alcove.

The 2007 Boutique was a huge success, thanks to Andi Frishman; she has handed her responsibilities to Alice Strauss.

The Boutique is a one-stop shopping destination with talented vendors showcasing jewelry, personalized stationery, children's gifts, *American Girl* outfits, hostess gifts and many other one of a kind treasures.

Watch for Alcove Holiday Boutique invitations early this fall.

Looking Back...



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The hospital could not handle the number of influenza cases in Highland Park, estimated to be around 600 during the 1918 epidemic. The clubhouse at Exmoor Country Club was converted into a hospital where 125 patients were treated. Members of the Highland Park Woman's Club and the Ossoli Club served as nurses. There were approximately 50 influenza deaths Highland Park and Highwood during the epidemic, 25 during the first week of October. For years afterward, any sign of illness resulted in a flu scare in the shaken community. The bulletin of quarantine regulations was written by Dr. Frank M. Ingalls, Dr. Lloyd Bergen, Jesse Lowe Smith, and Richard L. Sandwick.

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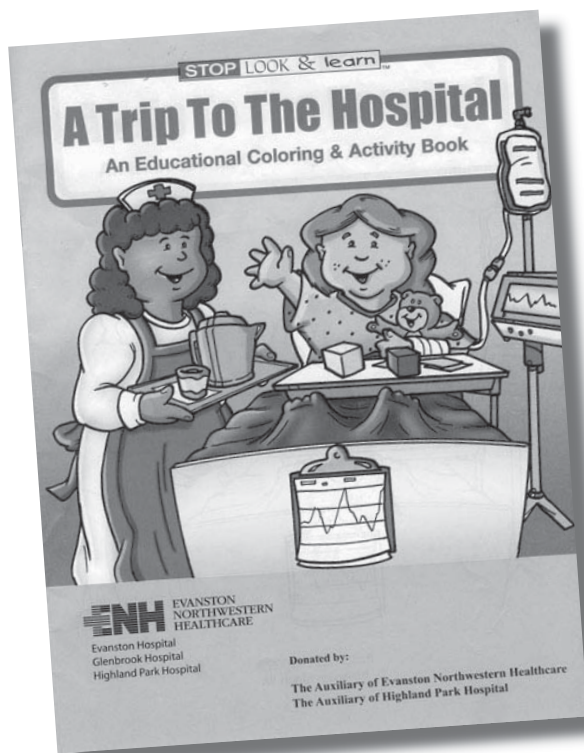


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Alternative Adult Day Service

Alternative Adult Day Service has received a donation from the Auxiliary of Highland Park Hospital.

The Alternative Adult Day service is a safe and secure drop-in service for older adults. The supervised daily program provides socialization, music and art activities in addition to exercise and recreational games. The Auxiliary is proud to donate to this program and does so through a scholarship fund earmarked for helping those in need. Located at 1936 Green Bay Road in Highland Park, the facility provides services Monday through Friday. For more information call the Alternative Adult Day Care Service at 847-480-3899.



The Auxiliary of Highland Park Hospital provides coloring books and crayons in the waiting area of the Emergency Room to help keep children busy.

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777 Park Avenue West, Room 1264

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Highland Park Hospital Auxiliary Remembrance Fund Report September 15, 2007 through March 4, 2008

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Remembrance Fund envelopes and donation card packets are available in the Alcove Gift Shop.