

Volunteer Corner

Special Needs:

HOHC Board is in great need of additional board members

If you are gifted in leadership with a heart to assist in our growth, please call HOHC Board President, Ruth Parker at 610-213-1809 for more information.

Thank You!

A warm thank you to supporter & volunteer, Jo Stauffer of Lititz!

We have been meeting with Jo Stauffer at her home since February to learn basic sewing and quilting. Our first project was a cloth grocery-style bag. Dominique (pictured below) has really enjoyed this project and is starting a baby quilt for her daughter Diamond. Jo has been very patient with us and generously shares her quilting resources.



Please call us if YOU also have special talents or hobbies to bless our residents!

Resident Update

Danisha Gave Birth to baby Damiare



In early July, after the fireworks had ended, our Coatesville maternity home celebrated the arrival of baby Damiare with his mother, Danisha. He was 9lbs and 22 inches long. Both mom and baby are healthy and happy.

While attending school and residing at Coatesville, Danisha had made the honor role for the first time! Please help us pray Danisha will continue to excel in her education and as a new mother.

Help us Welcome New Directors at HOHC

Matthew & Callie Neff have served as Lititz Houseparents since early 2006 and recently have accepted leadership roles for House of His Creation.

Matthew leads as **Executive Director** taking care of administrative responsibilities and office staff. Callie leads as **Program Director**, responsible for directing program details including resident enrollment & care and guiding the houseparents.

Both will uphold dual roles as houseparents and directors, until the Lord blesses us with another Godly couple to serve our Lititz teens.



Staff Openings

HOHC has the following positions currently available. Prayerfully interested candidates, please call our office, 717.442.4890

- Houseparents (Lititz)
- Houseparent Assistants
- Social Workers (Part Time) Lititz & Coatesville

1st Annual Creation Cruzin' Motorcycle Benefit Ride

Sunday, June 29th marked the first annual motor-cycle benefit ride for HOHC. Thank you to our participants, event sponsors and raffle prize donors! The event was a success with 48 bikes, 86 participants and a net revenue of \$4,600!

Get involved & mark your calendar for next year's Creation Cruzin' set for Sunday, June 28, 2009

Please support and help us THANK the following Sponsors & Contributors who offset event costs:

2008 Sponsors/Contributors

The Rug Beater
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The Family Center of Gap
Amish Country Gazebos
Trans Am Cycle
Stoltzfus Farm Restaurant
Musselman Lumber
J.S. Siding



Do you Golf?

JOIN US!

6th Annual **HOHC Golf Benefit**
Fri. September 12th
Moccasin Run Golf Course
Schoff Road—Atglen, PA

4 player team scramble
\$80 Entrance fee—incl. buffet lunch
Contests-Prizes-Raffle
Even a chance to win Harley Davidson Fat Boy!

Accepting Registrations by Sept. 5th
Please call 717.442.4890
or print out registration forms at: www.hohc.org

Golf Sponsorships Available—call for details

HOHC Lititz Home
YARD SALE
Aug 29 & 30 7am — 2pm
939 Lititz Pike, Lititz PA

- Volunteers Needed
- Some Large Item Donations Accepted (by 8/26)
Call Robin Leidy to arrange details: 717.442.4890

Come Shop! Spread the Word!

Appreciation Open House Events *Thank you to those who joined us!*

In appreciation of our loyal supporters, HOHC hosted two Appreciation Open House events to Thank YOU for your loving support & generosity.

HOHC **Coatesville Maternity Home** hosted a gathering on **May 18th** and HOHC **Lititz Mother-Child Home** hosted a picnic on **July 27th**

It was wonderful to fellowship together, welcome you to tour the homes, spend an afternoon with our teen residents & house parents *and* enjoy the delicious food from Nick's Chicks BBQ. We look forward to hosting these picnics again next year! Hope you'll join us!



Coatesville Houseparents, Rose & Isaac Munge with supporters Eleanor & Maurice Alexander.

Charitable Gift Annuities for House of His Creation

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A Charitable Gift Annuity (CGA) is one of the easiest forms of planned-giving. A CGA is a life income gift, of cash, securities or real estate, between you and a charity. In exchange for the gift to the charity, you, or a beneficiary, are promised a specified lifetime income, which is equal to a fixed percentage of the original gift. This percentage is dependent upon the age of the beneficiary, the rate of return the charity expects to earn, the amount of the gift and whether the payments will begin immediately, or be deferred until a later time. If you are married, the life income can be shared as a full joint-and-survivor option to you and your spouse. At the death of the last surviving beneficiary, the charity will use any remaining annuity assets to support its ministry.

In addition, there are several tax benefits to using a CGA. Regardless of your age or when income payments begin, you can deduct a portion of the gift in the year in which you gave it. Further, a portion of the income payments you receive each year may also be exempt from certain income taxes. Finally, if you donate long-term appreciated securities, you may even be able to reduce your capital gains tax.

As you can see, both you and your favorite ministry can benefit from a gift like this. If you would like to learn more about starting a Charitable Gift Annuity for House of His Creation call our planned-giving partner, Ambassador Advisors, and ask to speak to our **Executive Advisor, Drew Kavanaugh, at 800-395-7660, ext. 46** or call HOHC Development Director, Vegee Sardi at 717-442-4890

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