



## The Healing Power of Love

She took my hand and with tears in her eyes, she told me that she did not believe her father would have survived his stroke if her mother could not have been at his side during his hospital stay. Her parents live in Murphy, NC (a good 2½ hours from Asheville) and her mother does not drive. Every day for 3 weeks she said her mother took the hospital shuttle from the Rathbun Center to the hospital to be with her father and encourage him to fight to recover. It was her mother's strength and resolve that helped pull him through his crisis. She could not have been by his side if she did not have a safe, comforting place to come home to at the end of the day.

*This is the Rathbun Center story.*

Research has long documented the survival value of being with family members during extreme traumatic events. Perhaps the patient feels the responsibility to stay alive for the sake of the others, or is it the power of love that keeps them resilient?

Older people who are ill fair better when they are cared for with love and reassured that someone cares. Married men survive better than single ones who are in a similar state of health. People who lose the will to live often attribute it to a loss of a spouse and loneliness. Ginny Raviotta, Director of the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit at Mission

Hospitals, confirms that "families need to be close by and involved with their babies." These tiny infants pick up on the comfort level of their parents and instantly respond to the love of their family.



*Front row – Kenzie Gunter, Brayden West. Second row – Chandler Gunter, Devin West, Allison Wall, Brianna Postell. Back row – Cody Nalley, Hannah Matheson.*

Loving and being loved is life-enhancing. When we love others, we breathe life, hope and courage into them. The emotional and physical expressions of love are positive, life sustaining powers.

Individuals and businesses that contribute to the Rathbun Center do so because they believe in our mission of providing lodging, support and comfort to those who are caring for a hospitalized family member. You may never know who these contributors are but the message in the Rathbun Center story is that they care about you and your loved ones.

## God's Young Stewards

The Wednesday Night Youth Class from Red Marble Baptist Church in Andrews has just completed a series of lessons on the meaning

of stewardship. They learned to help those who are having difficulties by thinking how they might feel if they were in the same situation.

These young stewards made collection cups during the class and pasted information about the Rathbun Center on the

cups. A total of \$175 was collected for the

Center proving that even

children can be good stewards if they have the Lord's work in their hearts.

Their teacher, Marcy Bateman, said, "It always touches hearts when the Rathbun Center is mentioned because members of our church family have stayed there during times of family illness. We would like to thank you for all of the families you have been able to help."

*Ms. Bateman welcomes other churches to use her lesson plan as a fundraiser for the Rathbun Center. For more information, please call Susan at 251-0595.*



# Thank You to...

**Volunteers Joe and Judy Pawlick, Sue Crenshaw and Carolyn Weidner** for delivery of pastries donated

several times a week by **Greenberry's Coffee Infusion** on Hendersonville Road; **Cooperative Laundry Service** for our linens; **Mission and Thoms Security** for shuttle service; **Volunteers Joe and Barbara Brady** for delivery of pastries donated by **Starbucks** on Hendersonville Road; **Brittany Supply, Inc.** for their in kind donations; **Leadership Asheville Seniors-Barbara Plimpton, LeeOra Haring, Dorothy Schmid, Fred Plimpton, Kenn Haring, Pat Williams, and Barbara Wood** for stuffing the envelopes of over 8,000 No Show Garden Party Invitations; **Carrie Black-** our part-time housekeeper who goes above and beyond to keep things neat and clean around our 27,000 square foot house! **Volunteer Pauline Waldburger** for 12 years of homemade chocolate chip cookies every Thursday afternoon that are taste tested by staff first, then judged safe to serve to guests...; **Don Dossey** for updating/maintaining our website; former guest **Melanie Hahn and her students at Honea Path Elementary School** for their LARGE and generous donation of paper products; **Biltmore Baptist Church Ian & Esther Walker Bible Study Class** for their WEEKLY donations of Wish List items and/or cash; **our Volunteers**, who have been described by a visitor as our "Directors of First Impressions" for their hospitality and generous donation of time/energy to keep The Rathbun Center available to families in medical crisis; **our Referral Contacts** (chaplains, discharge planners, case managers, physician's office staff), without whom we could not provide the service we do to the families they encounter at their hospitals and offices.



1) Jack "Grillmaster" Hultin prepares lunch for our Referral Contacts with the culinary help of Karen Hultin, Kay Dossey, Linda Dunlop, Susan Everhart and Keith Beam



3) Volunteer Marge Christiansen welcomes Mountain Neurological Center Staff Margaret Dill, Rhonda Larimore, Donna White at the Referral Luncheon



## Welcome New Volunteers!

(since our last newsletter)

- Roger Winchell**
- Juanita Davis**
- Kiana Ahrens**
- Anne MacDonald**
- Renee Crain**
- Gladys House**
- Betty Young**
- Marilyn Smith**

# Volunteers Honored at DOVIA Luncheon

Joe and Barbara Brady were honored by The Rathbun Center at the Annual Directors of Volunteers in Agencies (DOVIA) Luncheon on April 28th. The luncheon recognizes volunteers from agencies and organizations throughout Buncombe County and the contributions they make to create a better community. Jeff Davis, President, The Rathbun Center Board of Directors and Ann Whisenhunt, House Director, accompanied the Bradys to the luncheon.

*"No one can imagine the pleasure we have had volunteering at the Rathbun Center these past Eleven years.  
 A home with a heart. A home away from home.  
 These two statements say a lot but there is no way to put into words all the good things that happen inside the walls of the Rathbun Center. It gives us a lot of pleasure to be there for the families of patients confined to the hospitals in Asheville.  
 Most of these families are a long way from home and have been able to help them through their difficult times.  
 Hopefully we will be here at least another eleven years."*

Joe and Barbara have been volunteers at the Center since 1995 and began at the suggestion of another volunteer and neighbor, Ting Douglass. They are here Wednesday mornings for the usual routine of greeting guests, taking requests and have been known to even fold a bed sheet or two when the fresh supply of linens arrives every Wednesday. On their way to the Center they also stop by Starbucks on Hendersonville Road and pick up a weekly donation by Starbucks of pastries for our guests to enjoy. They both support the Center in so many ways, including Joe's service on our Board of Directors as President and Vice-President in recent years.



l-r, Jeff Davis, Barbara Brady, Joe Brady, Ann Whisenhunt

## 2006 Board of Directors

- Jeff Davis, *Chair*  
*Radio Station Program Director*
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*Rathbun Center Volunteer*
- Barry Kampe  
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- Dr. Adelaide Daniels Key  
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- Ginny Raviotta  
*Director of Neonatal ICU,*  
*Mission Hospitals*
- Wade Saunders, MD  
*Retired Cardiologist*
- Dan Scannell  
*Financial Consultant*
- Eric Walburgh, MD  
*Pediatric Surgeon*
- Winnie Ziegler  
*Director of Invasive & Non-Invasive Cardiology,*  
*Mission Hospitals*

## House Staff

- Kay Dossey  
*Executive Director*
- Ann Whisenhunt  
*House Director*
- Susan Everhart  
*Administrative Assistant*
- Keith Beam  
*Weeknight Manager*
- Karen Hultin  
*Development Coordinator*
- Beth Pilz  
*Weekend Night Staff*
- Linda Dunlop  
*Weekend Relief Staff*

## Rathbun Center Business Spotlight

Over the years many businesses in western North Carolina have supported the Rathbun Center with financial donations and other significant contributions. We plan to highlight some of these businesses in our newsletters.



**Asheville Cardiology** was established in 1971 and today the organization includes 31 physicians and 9 cardiologist assistants. They have offices in Sylva, Hendersonville, Franklin and Asheville. By design, they established additional clinics across the region so patients do not need to travel long distances to receive high quality, specialized medical treatment. The practice takes in all patients regardless of their financial ability to pay, and their "open door policy" enables patients to see a doctor without referral from another physician.

They encourage employees to get involved in their community and the Association gives generously to organizations in western North Carolina. For many years, the Rathbun Center has been the recipient of their generous giving.



**Allegra Print & Imaging**, owned by Mike and Debbie Powell, has been a long time supporter of the Rathbun Center. In addition to all the ways that Allegra helps us with our printing needs, for the past 3 years they have presented us with a \$1000 Footprint grant.

Mike Powell reflected on his 20 years in the printing business, "We operated on Merrimon Avenue for 19 years before moving over to 191 Charlotte Street where we have been for one year now. In 2004, after the Allegra Network bought Insty-Print Corporate, we changed over from Insty-Prints to Allegra Print & Imaging. With my twenty years in the weekly newspaper business, and Debbie's years in the accounting business, we feel our experience allows us to offer much more to our customers than putting ink on paper. We sincerely care about our customer's success and about them personally. With eight other wonderful employees qualified in their positions, we can offer area businesses so much more than just a print shop."

## Rathbun Center Welcomes New Board Member

Jim Miller, Vice President of Clinical Operations at Mission Hospitals, has been elected to the Rathbun Center Board of Directors. With 31 years of experience in the healthcare industry, Jim is very qualified to keep the Board informed of the many changes and challenges confronting our hospitals. Jim will be a strong addition to this dedicated Board.



## Please help us keep our mailing list current!

If you have moved, received duplicate mailings or have corrections to your address, please contact at (828) 251-0595 or The Rathbun Center, 121 Sherwood Road, Asheville, NC 28803. Also, please send us your email address so we can keep you up to date on the Rathbun Center.

**hhh** Homes that help and heal  
Member, National Association of Hospital Hospitality Houses

## Certification Awarded

Ann Whisenhunt, House Director at The Rathbun Center, was recently awarded the designation as a Certified Administrator of Volunteers by the North Carolina Association of Volunteer Administration. Requirements for review include the completion of a portfolio of professional development and 28 hours of training in competency areas of volunteer management.

## The Princess and the Pea!!

Lewis Rathbun Center is the recipient of a \$2500 grant from the "Mission Hospitals Volunteer Organization." The money will be used to buy 25 new mattresses for our roll-a-way beds. Thank you's go to the Volunteer Leadership Committee for their assistance in obtaining the grant. This gracious gift will make many families more comfortable here in their "home away from home" while their loved ones are receiving medical treatment.

## Want a "Feel Good" Project?

### Prepare Thanksgiving Dinner for the Rathbun Center Guests!

Every Thanksgiving, we have a house full of guests who are here with a family member in the hospital. We always try to make their stay with us as pleasant as possible, especially during the holidays. If your church, civic club or family wants a "feel good" project which is very much appreciated, why not volunteer to prepare and serve Thanksgiving dinner (lunch) for our guests? If you are interested, please call Ann at 251-0595.

## Team Rathbun Does It Again--\$3,378 raised

More participants and more money raised! That's the formula for a successful 2006 THE HUMAN RACE by TEAM RATHBUN. A bright and sunny April morning greeted our team of walkers this year as we participated in our third HUMAN RACE at UNCA sponsored by The Volunteer Center. This community wide event brings together hundreds of folks from area non profits to raise awareness and money for the work of these agencies in our community. Rathbun participant Renee Latty says "This is the greatest way I know to receive physical fitness benefits, enjoy wonderful friends on a morning out and view beautiful scenery along a 5K course. To receive all this while giving back to The Rathbun Center and benefiting our community of Asheville is what THE HUMAN RACE is all about to me".

2006 TEAM RATHBUN included:  
**Barbara Fry, Jiene Brinkley, Renee Latty, Teresa Buckner, Joretta Corpening, Lauren Christiansen, Sandra Holcombe, Michael Roberts, Vanessa Roberts, Erika Dahl, Jessica Burleson, Ann Whisenhunt, Fern McCrimmon, Susan Everhart, Kay Dossey, Jim Young, Linda Dunlop, Winnie Ziegler and Michael Fortner.**

Best story of the day: **Michael Fortner** is a teenager from Bakersville. His parents brought him to THE HUMAN RACE that day to participate as a runner. He noticed that the Rathbun Center was one of the organizations participating and his family stayed at the Center a few years ago when a family member was in the hospital. So, Michael donated the money he raised to The Rathbun Center!

**Thanks to all who walked or ran for TEAM RATHBUN and to all of you who supported us with donations!**



## In Memory Of

The following loved ones  
Have been memorialized  
Through many generous gifts  
To the Rathbun Center  
(Gifts received January 28, 2006  
through June 12, 2006)

**John "Pop" Babarik**  
Carol McGowan

**Theron Columbus  
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**Howard Zimmerman**  
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## Victory Lane

Each year the Board of Directors is charged with raising dollars for the Rathbun Center through the selling of ads in the Guest Directory. The 2006 Guest Directory Campaign was kicked off in February to the sounds

of race cars! The staff chose the theme of NASCAR this year, dividing the Board of Directors into three teams (or pit crews as they say in racing circles!) with a "driver" in the leader position to guide their team to victory.

The campaign kicked off with a "racetrack" party of "Chili Pups", from Krystal Burger, Pepsi, chips and the movie, Days of Thunder, playing in the background. A leader board was designed with three cars representing the three pit crews and drivers began the "race". *Adda Girl* and the *Key Chain* drove a souped up Chevy. *Burnin' Fern* and the *Fern-Aces* had a hot new Dodge Charger. *Revvin' Bev* and the *Modlin Crew* slid on by in a funky Ford Fairlane. Cars moved forward as the campaign progressed and the dollars were raised.

Phone calls and e-mails flew between "drivers", "pit crews", and staff members. Board members sent letters and made dozens of follow up phone calls.

On May 16 the campaign closed and *Adda Girl Key* and the *Key Chain* raced across the finish line and captured the checkered flag to win the top producer/pit crew award. But no one stopped there! They continued to make last minute phone calls and visits before going to print.

We are pleased and proud to say that our Board exceeded their goal of \$30,000 by \$715 for the Rathbun Center. All proceeds go directly to the Center thanks to the generosity of The Mountaineer Newspaper in Waynesville, along with Denise Royer the layout artist extraordinaire. They have been printing the Guest Directory at no charge for a number of years.

On behalf of the staff and the families of Rathbun Center, God Bless all of you for your hard work.

## Rathbun Center Receives Estate Gift

Russell Burnes was a long time supporter of the Rathbun Center and when he passed away on 9/20/2004 he left his estate to the Center. Russell was never a guest here but he believed strongly in our mission – to provide lodging to families who have a loved one in an area hospital. Before his wife died he traveled every day for a year from Waynesville to Asheville to be with her. Russell clearly understood the need for a place to stay, near the hospital, that would provide a safe, comfortable respite for families that live a long distance away.

Russell's long time friend, Gayle Childress, recalled how he loved to visit the Rathbun Center because he was always made to feel so welcome. We all miss Russell and are most thankful for his generous gift.



Just one of the scrumptious recipes from the Rathbun Center Cookbook. Order yours now!

Kay promises this is REALLY GOOD! Contact Kay or Susan on our website [www.lewisrathbuncenter.org](http://www.lewisrathbuncenter.org) or call at (828)251-0595.

### **SUMMER SOUP**

Serves 6

2 pint boxes fresh strawberries, washed & hulled  
1 c. orange juice  
1 1/2 t. instant tapioca  
1/2 t. ground allspice  
1/2 t. cinnamon  
1/2 c. sugar  
1 t. grated lemon peel, or to taste  
1 T. lemon juice, or to taste  
1 c. buttermilk



Set aside 6 strawberries. Purée remaining berries in food processor or blender; strain into 4 quart saucepan. Add orange juice. In small bowl, mix tapioca with 4 tablespoons puréed strawberry mixture. Add to saucepan with allspice and cinnamon. Heat, stirring constantly, until mixture comes to a boil. Cook 1 minute, or until thickened. Remove from heat. Pour soup into large bowl. Add sugar, lemon peel, juice and buttermilk and blend well. Slice reserved strawberries and fold into soup. Cover and chill at least 8 hours.

## **Our Wish List**    Fresh Fruit

**Packaged Snacks**

Canned Meats (Chicken, Tuna, Ham, Turkey)

Napkins, Toilet Tissue

4 Gallon Trash Bags.    Copier Paper

Facial Tissue, Paper Towels

Canned Vegetables & Soups

Gift cards to Wal-Mart/Sam's Club/  
Kmart/Home Depot/Lowes.

Individual Canned Fruits    Laundry Detergent

### Mission Statement

The Lewis Rathbun Center, Inc., is a non-profit corporation that provides lodging and other supportive services in a "home-like" environment for patients and/or caregivers coming into Asheville, North Carolina, for medical treatment.

Financial information about this organization and a copy of its license are available from the State Solicitation Licensing Branch at 919 / 733-4510. The license is not an endorsement by the State.

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