



# Children's Home • Chambliss Shelter

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## Bunny Hop! 2011 is Underway!

Mark your calendars for a night of family fun to benefit the Children's Home/Chambliss Shelter. **Catharine Daniels** and **Jennifer Young** are back for another year as chairmen to make the event special for moms, dads, and children of all ages. Marking its 11th year, the event has become a truly special evening for families all over Chattanooga, while also raising funds for a wonderful organization. We are excited to have some of our signature activities while also bringing in some exciting new things that you won't want to miss! Some of the highlights of the event are:

- Dinner for adults provided by Events With Taste Catering
- Dinner for children by Chick-fil-A
- Dessert by Gigi's Cupcakes
- Bunnies from Noah's Little Ark
- Arts & crafts activities
- Sports Zone for boys and older children
- Cake walk
- Peter Rabbit coloring book
- Mr. MacGregor's Silent Auction
- Music, beverages, and much more!



Friday, May 6th, 2011

First Tennessee Pavilion

6:00-8:30 pm

Adults- \$35, Children- \$15, Family- \$100

Reservations can be made online at  
[www.bunny-hop.org](http://www.bunny-hop.org)

# Board & Staff Celebrate the Season

It is our tradition every year to hold a party to bring together staff and Board members to celebrate the holiday season. It's a time to reflect on the previous year and to recognize those who have made significant contributions of time to the agency, either as a staff member or Board member. This year, we said goodbye to Board members **Lizzer Graham**, **Debbie Haisten**, & **Shelley Henson**. We also recognized the following staff members for their many years of service to CH/CS: **Christy Finley** (10 years), **Dedra Blackwell** (10 years), **Kisha Fifer** (10 years), **Velma McKamey** (10 years), **Madeline Swanson** (15 years), **Sharon Lane** (15 years), & **Lucy Helwig** (25 years). Foster grandparent **Florence Vaughn** was also recognized for her retirement after 17 years. Staff members were very appreciative of the generosity of the Board members who arranged a wonderful party.



Board member **Lizzer Graham** (right) rotated off the Active Board to the Sustaining Board of Directors after serving 9 years. Thanking her for her wonderful efforts on behalf of CH/CS are Executive Director, **Elizabeth Pelton** (left), and 2010 Board Chairman, **Susan Stein**.



Board member Susan Stein (left) and President/CEO Phil Acord present an award to **Madeline Swanson** for her 15 years of service to CH/CS. Madeline serves as Assistant Director of Off-Site Centers.



Nursery department teachers **LaSheda Little**, **Judy McRae**, **Gayle Scott**, **LaToya Jackson**, **Lucy Helwig**, and **Tonya Bullocks**



Our dependable night shift takes care of children who may need care during the night hours to allow parents to work. **Sharon Lane** (left) received an award for 15 years of service this year, while **Marsha Morrison** (right) has passed 32 years of service at CH/CS.



Runabouts department teachers and assistants: **NaQuita Lester**, **Tonya Brown**, **Tavonya Battle**, **Rhonda Buckner**, and **Chandra Crook**



Some of the staff from the Chambliss Shelter: **Tracy Bryant**, **Liz Blasbery**, **Shea Higgins**, **Erica Holmes**, & **Elizabeth Pelton**

# TVA Employees Go "Above and Beyond"



TVA employees delivered hundreds of toys and classrooms supplies to CH/CS. Pictured left to right are **Preston Swafford**, **Yahya Sadre-Orafai**, **Linda Tonya**, **Gene Hill**, and **Myra Fuller**.

As TVA Nuclear's Partner-in Education, we receive a lot of support from their employees. This year's Angel Tree was no exception, resulting in a record number of presents for the Children's Home/ Chambliss Shelter. Almost 50 of our four-year-olds took a field trip to TVA to decorate the tree in November. They created the ornaments themselves, and each one contained the name of an item that was needed for our classrooms or playground. After all of the gifts were collected, several TVA Nuclear employees brought in the tremendous load of gifts that contained strollers, musical instruments, riding toys, bubbles, sidewalk chalk, diapers, dolls, and hundreds more items! It was truly amazing! Once again, our friends at TVA have gone above and beyond what we imagined. Thank you, TVA!



Santa paid a visit to the children during their field trip to TVA. Each child got to tell Santa what they wanted for Christmas. Pictured here is **Tristyn**.



(above) **Logan** poses with Santa before the pizza party, given by TVA employees.

(at left) **Tom Neissen** and **Damion** work together to decorate the tree with ornaments, each with the name of a classroom or playground item needed.



TVA Nuclear employee **Yahya Sadre-Orafai**, who is also a new member of the CH/CS Board of Directors, helps **Asharia** put an ornament on the top of the Angel Tree.



**Linda Tonya** entertained the children with her animated elf hat during their field trip to decorate the tree. Pictured with her are pre-schoolers **Amyus** and **Amy**.

# Volunteers, Donations & Happenings!

Our thanks to each one of you for your help in making CH/CS the best place for children in our community! This list acknowledges those who donated time, talents, and services from November 28, 2010 - January 28, 2011. Thank You.

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**Ms. Ella Abernathy** retires from CH/CS after 10 years of dedicated service as a teacher assistant. President/CEO **Phil Acord** is shown here presenting her with an engraved clock as a gift from the agency.

# The Thrift Store Gets a Mini-Makeover

The Thrift Store staff used several of January's snow days to re-set parts of the store. The mini-makeover included an upgraded shoe department with new shoes racks, better accessibility to the furniture section, and a new layout, allowing more merchandise to be displayed in an organized manner. We receive compliments on this store all the time, so if you have never stopped by, please do so. We would love for you to come in and shop, volunteer, or donate items.



The store's furniture has been moved closer to the front of the store and has been spread out for easier viewing of all of the great items.



New shoe department has been re-organized and includes purses, hats, and other accessories.

The store is located at 3723 Brainerd Road and is open Monday-Saturday from 10 am to 6 pm and Sunday from 1 pm to 6 pm. If you have larger items that need to be picked up, the truck runs five days a week and can easily come to your house. Please call store manager, **Cheryl Hooks**, at 698-3730 to schedule a pick-up. Many thanks to all of the volunteers and donors who made 2010 a record year for the store!

## CH/CS Takes Second Place in Charity Challenge

We were proud to be a part of the Chattanooga Track Club's Scenic City Half Marathon, 5K, & Charity Challenge on February 26<sup>th</sup>. As one of the eight participating charities, we worked to sign up runners and raise funds for the organization. In total, we had 165 runners sign up, who raised a total of \$3,480. This put us in second place for both number of runners and total amount raised. Way to go! Once again, our top fundraiser was **Anne-Marie Spencer** who collected \$1,190 by herself! This amount will be matched by her employer, **PlayCore**, to bring our total proceeds from the event to \$4,670. Many thanks to **First Tennessee** for underwriting the cost of T-shirts, PlayCore, Anne-Marie, our runners, volunteers, and fundraisers who supported this event and helped us win second place!



Volunteers from **Virginia College** worked our assigned water stop at the two mile marker with energy and enthusiasm. They were a wonderful help and were surely an encouragement to the runners! Thank you, ladies! Pictured left to right are: **Angela Callahan, Melissa Ray, Trina Hobbie, Marla Carroll, Candice Nelson, Angela Nystrom, Jackie Albertson, and Lindsey Morales** (front).



Cheering on the runners and handing out Powerade are volunteers **Marla** (left) and **Angela** (right) from **Virginia College**.



Half marathon runners pass by the water stop as volunteers have water ready. **Ashley Manning** (front right), was one of the great people who chose to run for CH/CS!



Seven year old **Jaida** attends CH/CS for before and after school care and was asked to sing the National Anthem before the race. She did a stellar job and is shown here with her teacher, **Ms. Martha**, who helped her prepare for the performance.

# Bar Auxiliary Hosts Penny Auction

The annual Penny Auction, organized by the **Chattanooga Bar Association Auxiliary** (CBAA), was held February 25<sup>th</sup> to benefit CH/CS at the home of **Martha & Bill Carriger**. Over 40 guests enjoyed the food, company, and the entertainment. Auctioneer **Maury Nicely** was a large part of the entertainment, bringing much laughter to the room. Everything from household items to vacations and homemade chocolate-dipped strawberries were on the auction block this year. Someone even brought a dead plant that an unnamed (absent) lawyer purchased for his office! What generosity! We don't have the total amount raised yet, but we are hopeful that it will be close to our usual \$3,000 mark. Thanks to **Catherine Martin, Caroline von Kessler, Katie Byrum, the Carrigers**, and all CBAA members for holding this event for the benefit of CH/CS!



**Lloyd Levitt** shows off his stunning candelabras won at the auction.



One lucky lawyer purchased this beautiful dead plant for his office. He wasn't even present to see how gorgeous it really was!



A room full of guests laugh at the descriptions and antics of our celebrity auctioneer.



**Maury Nicely** does a fantastic job of convincing guests to purchase the items up for bid.

## How You Make a Difference

In February 2010, we enrolled into our Early Childhood Education and Extended Care program an 18 month old child of a single mother. At the time of enrollment, the mother's health was very problematic. Her heart was essentially not functioning, and she wore a heart monitor. She was unable to work, and most days she did not have enough energy to lift her daughter. She spent much of her time in bed. She was on a heart transplant list for about a year prior to her daughter's enrollment.

When she first came to us, she met with our social worker and stated that her greatest wish was for her daughter to be "in a safe place with people who will love her". In the year that this family has been with us, the mother has had many, many emergency admissions to the local hospital, and several admissions to Vanderbilt Hospital. In February 2011, the mother went to Vanderbilt to have open heart surgery to put in a heart pump. She remains on the heart transplant list.

Her daughter is now two and a half years old; she is thriving in her development and is a loving little girl. Throughout the last year, this mother has had limited financial assistance, so it has been difficult for her to pay us for her child's care. She has given us money as she was able. The mother and daughter have remained with us because of the generosity of contributors like you who have supported this program. Thank you for helping us care for this little girl and to make a difference in the life of a very sick, but very well-intentioned, mother!

# Holiday Festivities

The holiday season is always a busy time for the children at CH/CS. Businesses, families, and individuals go out of their way to make sure all of the children and families have a wonderful Christmas. We have multiple parties and help dozens of families with presents for their children. We are always amazed at the generosity of this community during the holidays.

One group that has been coming to CH/CS for more than two decades is **Collegedale Academy**. The "Bash" is one of the highlights of the season, featuring their band and gymnastics team. Many of the CA students dress like elves and dance with the children during the party as well. It's a festive time for our program, and we are extremely appreciative for all the time and energy put into this party!

The children who live in our foster homes and in the Chambliss Shelter are traditionally showered with gifts by the **Hamilton Place Rotary Club**. This group collects wish lists from every child and then spends countless hours purchasing gifts for them. They threw a great party with food, ice cream, music, and games for the children and teenagers in December. Thank you, Hamilton Place Rotary, for your generosity and compassion for our young people! You truly make their holiday special!



Collegedale Academy students lead the children in Christmas carols during their annual Bash.



Part of the program allows for children to learn their own moves with the students. You can tell from **Cordarius'** face that they really love this part!

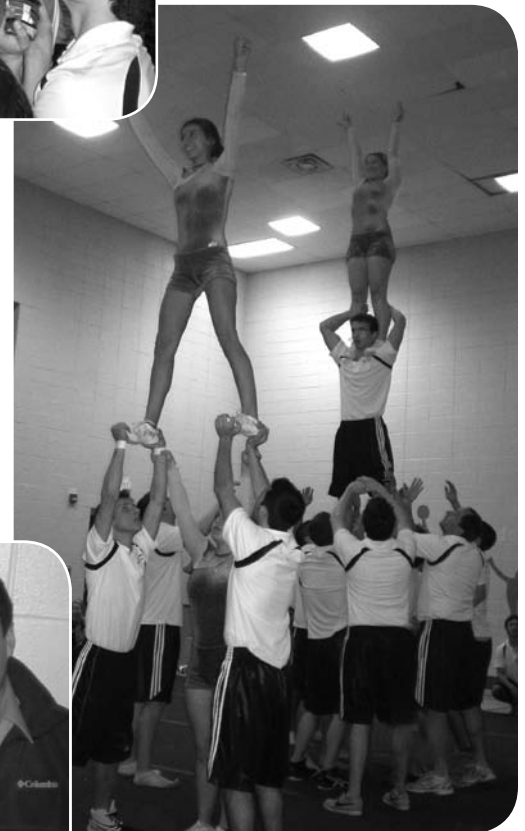


CA gymnasts show the children how they can jump over very large objects!



One of the many games played during the party challenged them to wrap each other in toilet paper like a mummy. Staff member **Leslie Blackstock** is shown making great progress on his mummy!

The gymnastics team performs a high-flying routine for the children, parents, and staff.



**Samantha Thornton, Amy Roberts, Savannah,** and **Shea Higgins** enjoy the fabulous party hosted by the **Hamilton Place Rotary Club**.



# “Family to Family”: A Gospel Concert for our Benefit

Join us on Sunday, April 3<sup>rd</sup> for a gospel concert featuring three famous families of gospel music. Organized by volunteer **David Wilson**, the concert will be held at the Tivoli Theater at 3 pm, and tickets are only \$13. Premier seating towards the front is only \$25. The Easters, LeFevres, and Greensons will all be singing as a family to benefit the children and families of CH/CS. If you love gospel music, you won't want to miss this concert! You may purchase tickets online at [www.ch-cs.org/news.html](http://www.ch-cs.org/news.html). Or, become a sponsor by contacting David at 902-7232.



The LeFevre Quartet



Jeff & Sherrie Easter



The Greensons

## WELCOME NEW BOARD MEMBERS

We are excited to welcome five new members to our Board of Directors. They are: **John Coffelt**- HGH Construction, **Katherine Currin**- CreateHere, **Ronald Harris**- BlueCross BlueShield, **Dave McMahon**- Unum, and **Yahya Sadre-Orafai**- TVA.

They join 32 other wonderful volunteers to make up our 37-person strong governing body. We are also delighted to welcome new officers: **Jane Kline**- Chairman, **Bob Farnsworth**- 1<sup>st</sup> Vice Chairman, **Ross Schram**- 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice Chairman, **Mike Landguth**- Treasurer, **Ann Campbell**- Assistant Treasurer, **Kino Becton**- Recording Secretary, **Catharine Bahner Daniels**- Corresponding Secretary, and **Susan Stein**- Past Chairman.

We feel sure that this team will lead us well through 2011! Thank you all for your service to CH/CS and the children and families we serve!



## New Meineke Opening Will Benefit CH/CS

Owner **Joe Krvekoski** is working hard to ready the new Meineke in East Ridge and is excited to partner with our agency.



Does your car need an oil change, new tires, or brakes? If so, make a point to take it to the new **Meineke Car Care Center** in East Ridge. Why? Because you will not only get your car serviced, but you will also be helping CH/CS! When the new store opens in late March, they will begin donating a portion of each service to our agency. Opening dates and exact specials are not set yet, but start watching for details. You may call the store at 423-386-5848 for the specifics. It is located at 1416 St. Thomas Street which is behind the Texaco at the entrance to Camp Jordan. Joe Krvekoski has come from New Jersey to open the store and is excited to be in Chattanooga. He and his wife are in the process of relocating to the area and really have a heart for children. They are glad to partner with us on the grand opening of the store, and we are thrilled to be included!

**Financial Donations** This list of financial contributions is from November 10, 2010 through February 28, 2011. If we have omitted your name, please accept our apologies and let us know so that we may correct our records and acknowledge you in our Fall newsletter. Thanks to each of you for helping us continue our mission of working with our community's families and children.

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**Calvin Johnson** (left), Manager of Operations at **Walmart** on Brainerd Road, presents Director of Development **Katie Harbison** a check to CH/CS for \$500 to help with Christmas presents for families. Helping hold the check are **Traevius, Aiydan, Deaira, and Elijah**.

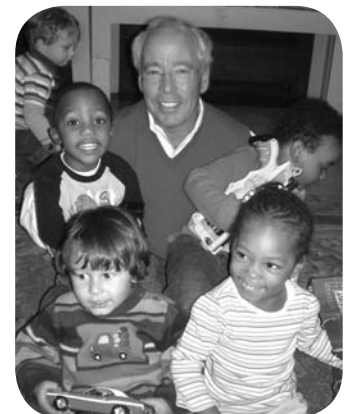


Tennessee Valley Federal Credit Union solicited "followers" on Facebook, and donated funds to CH/CS in return. We were excited when **Kevin Perry** (left) and **Tami Powroznik** (right) came out to pres-



ent the \$1,000 check! Pictured with them is Development Officer, **Meredith Rivers** (center).

For the fourth year in a row, **The Haisten Group** and its employees have worked together to provide a little Christmas party for all of our Toddlers. They supplied lunch and presents to over 30 little ones before the holidays! Many thanks to **Bill Haisten** (pictured), his family, and employees for making this such a special time! Bill is joined by some of the happy children with their new toys- **Thomas and Cornelius** (back) and **Armani and Demoriah** (front)



The **Steel Brothers Motorcycle Club** held a Toy Run for our children in December, combining their love of motorcycle riding with their love of children. They collected hundreds of great toys for our children and then came out to hand some of them directly to the children in our Extended Child Care Program. Many thanks to **Ronnie Land** of **Kickstand Magazine**, **Derrick Pendergrass**, the Steel Brothers, and all of the participants in the holiday toy-raiser!

# SAVE THE DATE for the 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf Tournament!

Tuesday, June 21  
Council Fire Golf Club

Chairman, Barry Bogo  
Foursomes – \$1200  
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Call 423-468-1122  
to get information  
on our other  
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## Date Set for 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Ice Cream Social

Mark your calendars on Sunday, July 10<sup>th</sup> for the best day at the **Chattanooga Market** (well, at least we think so!) The annual Ice Cream Social will include several well-known ice cream vendors and a chance for you to try samples from all of them. You simply buy a ticket, taste ice cream, and then vote for your favorite. The winners will receive trophies, and CH/CS is able to keep all the proceeds! It's never too early to start planning for ice cream season!



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