

# Service Board

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## New CEO of OSU Wexner Medical Center



Sheldon M. Retchin, MD, MSHP, will be the new executive vice president of Health Sciences at The Ohio State University and CEO of the OSU Wexner Medical Center effective March 2. OSU President Michael Drake, MD, announced Dr. Retchin's appointment last year.

Dr. Retchin is one of the nation's most respected and prominent academic medical center leaders. A seasoned physician, scholar and health system administrator, he previously served as the senior vice president for Health Sciences at Virginia Commonwealth University (VCU) and CEO of the VCU Health System for more than a decade. Dr. Retchin was also a professor in the departments of Internal Medicine, Gerontology and Health Administration.

He is a recognized expert in health policy and healthcare delivery, with special expertise in the costs, quality and alternative financing strategies for the Medicare program. Recently, Dr. Retchin was appointed to the Medicaid and CHIP Payment and Access Commission by the U.S. Comptroller General. He has a distinguished record of guiding a large and complex academic health center, providing exceptional training for students and accelerating medical discoveries. In his new position, Dr. Retchin is managing an ambitious agenda to sustain and further advance the Wexner Medical Center's reputation for excellence. Broad initiatives include improving the medical center's competitive position, strengthening relationships with the university's other academic partners and developing a long-term strategy.

Dr. Retchin is replacing Steven G. Gabbe, MD, who is stepping down as CEO.

## President's Message

What a busy fall the Service Board has had—vendor sales, football parking, special project calendar sales, planning for General Membership and Munch and Mingle meetings, plus helping with the Burn Center golf outing and finally, helping with the move to the new James. There was little time to take a breath.

Now that we have had a short break in the action, it is time to reflect. If you recall, it was reported that the leadership team met last summer to plan for this year and to look at ways to downsize, work more efficiently and focus on what is our highest priority. We have successfully reduced the number of meetings we need to attend, but looking at the list above it would seem we haven't been very successful at cutting back significantly on activities. Maybe we don't want to, but with the limited time each of us has to give, it becomes an issue to find enough people willing and able to fulfill our commitments. In addition, our staff support from Volunteer Services and Communications and Marketing, like the rest of the Medical Center, is being asked to operate more effectively and efficiently.

Of great priority, I believe, is the Grant program, which is very popular and one of our most significant activities. In fact, it has become our 'signature' program. A few of us attended a meeting this summer with other auxiliary groups throughout the state, of which there are few. We are the only Medical Center with such a program. We are proud of our 30 years of service and certainly want to continue to support Ohio State's Wexner Medical Center in ways that are positive and productive. The grant program is one of those ways. Let's keep that as high priority and focus our time on what we do well. Of course some fundraising will be required to support the program. What should that be and how much time do we have to commit to it?

These are questions the current Executive Board will be addressing as we proceed with plans for next year. The nominating committee will soon be looking at leadership for next year. As you know, we have been functioning without a President Elect and some other key committee positions this year. We can't continue this way. I ask that each of you think about the direction we should take and let us know your thoughts. Do we cut back? Do we change directions? Do we keep the grant program alive? Do we have people willing to step forward to move us in the direction we would like to go? Lots of questions to ponder. I have confidence that such a bright, diverse and dedicated membership, under the guidance of our staff support team, will find answers to our questions so the Service Board can move forward for another 30 years. Let us hear from you.

On a lighter note, give special attention to the Grant Committee section in this newsletter. Two of our grateful grant recipients have given us a wish list to which many of us might be pleased to contribute. This would be an easy way for all of us to support the Medical Center in a meaningful way. More information about bringing wish list items to the March General Membership Meeting will be provided later.

Enjoy the rest of winter and keep your spirits alive for another beautiful Ohio spring. Think about all of the questions I have posed and join us at the planning table to breathe new life into the Service Board.

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### A New Member Luncheon was held on October 27th

President Linda Miller welcomed everyone, and we all enjoyed sharing a little about ourselves and why we joined the Service Board. In addition to conversations over lunch and dessert, Joyce St. Pierre shared a PowerPoint showing a brief overview of the Service Board and its various activities. Jane Federer, our liaison with The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center, welcomed and gave out folders with helpful information. We showed the 2015 calendar, sales of which will raise money for the Service Board's donation of a digital storyboard at The James. It was an enjoyable time! We also send a hearty welcome to new members who were unable to attend.



## Membership

### Membership

Total 235  
 Individual – 163  
 Joint – 72  
 Life – 75  
 Charter – 65  
 Honorary – 2  
 Student – 1

## Fundraising

### New Members

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### Corrections

**Beverly Jensen** – remove e-mail

**Ann Sydnor** – new address: 6885 Freeman Rd. Westerville, OH 43082-9114

**Mary Ann Stockum** – Apartment number 502

**Nicole Winston** – Name change – Nicole Montgomery

**Chris Hughes** – Individual member mistakenly listed with Nicole Winston  
 805 Hillsdowne RD. Suite A Westerville, OH 43081- Work#-891-6000, Cell#- 842-3037

**Marty Macklin** - Room 95 c/o Wexner Heritage House Rehabilitation Center  
 1151 College Ave. Columbus, OH 43209

### Condolences to:

Beverly Jensen at the death of her husband Bill

Ginny Driver at the death of her husband Don

Suzanne Marlin at the death of her daughter

The family of Mildred Chavous

The family of Valerie DeMathews

The family of Georgia Manos

### Football Parking

Another fun and successful year of football parking in the Martha Morehouse Medical Plaza lot has come and gone. Unfortunately, for the first time we had to cancel one day because of icy conditions, not wanting to put anyone at risk. Nevertheless, we are pleased with the grand total of \$35,965.00 for our popular grant program!

Many thanks to the 16 volunteers who donated a total of 258 hours of volunteer time to park 2,398 cars. Through all kinds of weather, they were at their posts to move cars through the lot. That is dedication! A special thank you to Dan and Ann Krumm and Maggie and Jerry Cunningham for their leadership this year.

We are especially grateful to CampusParc who once again extended the opportunity to generate funds to support our mission.

### Calendar Project Report

Our special calendar sale project to raise funds for the purchase of a digital story board for the new James has concluded. Sales were slower than we had hoped, but enthusiasm remained high for several dedicated volunteers who remained loyal to the project. We are happy that we reached almost 50 percent of our goal. The unsold calendars will be given to patients. We can be proud and happy that many people will have a beautiful calendar sitting on their desks, and that the Service Board and Medical Center will be showcased makes it a worthy project.

Sale tables were visible every Wednesday, September through December, at the Main campus, East, Ackerman or the Eye and Ear Building. In addition, calendars were available in the gift shops in Rhodes, at East and Hope's Boutique in the Speilman Breast Center. We also had a presence at some of the colleges on homecoming weekend and a letter announcing the calendar sale was sent to select Ohio State alumni groups throughout the country.

Special thanks are extended to:

Marty Macklin for conceiving of the idea

Linda Montler, Marketing and Strategic Communications, and her team for the design creation, underwriting the printing cost and marketing

Jane Federer, Volunteer Services, and her team for all of their support

Tomasean Kesig, Gift Shop Manager

Many Service Board members who spent countless hours meeting, planning, and selling.

We will keep you informed as plans for presenting our donation to The James are finalized.



## Sales-

2014 was a Great Year!

Year 2014 was a wonderful year for Service Board vendors at Ohio State's Wexner Medical Center. Four vendors were invited – Masquerade, Silverlady, Books Are Fun, and Bildsten's Hanging Baskets. Books Are Fun and Silverlady visited University East, Ackerman, and University Hospital Main. Silverlady also was welcomed with smiles at the Eye & Ear Institute. Masquerade sells 24 hours a day and can be accommodated only at University Hospitals East and Main. Bildsten sold flowers at Ackerman and the Eye & Ear Institute.

We were busy!! Financially the vendors did well and that led the Service Board to do well. *Service Board net profit: \$18,455.63*

## Education

### Programs

One of the major reasons most of us like to be a member of the Service Board is because of the informative educational programs offered through the General Membership Meetings and the more informal Munch and Mingles. The excellent program speakers have kept us up to date and well informed so that we are all better ambassadors for Ohio State's Wexner Medical Center. Equally informative have been the Munch and Mingle speakers, all of whom have been grant recipients. A summary of the most recent follows.

### Munch and Mingle

On October 14, grant recipients Marybeth MacDonald, Social Worker, Nancy Corson, RN and Biljana Heipp, Recreational Therapist from the Harding Child/Adolescent Unit presented an especially interesting Munch and Mingle program. They brought with them examples of the many items the Service Board has provided through the grant program over the years. They made all of us feel especially happy to know that our contributions do indeed make a difference in the everyday life for every patient. The Harding Adolescent Unit was a grant recipient again this year, with the Service Board providing piano music, a recumbent exercise bicycle and a color printer to be used by the Occupational Department to color code individual patient plans. Be sure to check out the Grant section in the newsletter to see a nice statement from Biljana Heipp regarding the grants received from the Service Board. They have provided a wish list that many of us may like to provide.

**WISH LIST DONATIONS: Items to be donated can be brought to any Munch and Mingle or General Membership meeting.**

### General Membership Meeting

We have all had situations where we have forgotten someone's name or misplaced items and thought to ourselves, "Maybe I'm getting dementia!" At our general meeting on November 12, Dr. Douglas Scharre, director of Cognitive Neurology and associate professor, Clinical Neurology and Psychiatry, explained the difference between what is normal memory loss due to aging and that which is due to Mild Cognitive Impairment (MCI) or early dementia. The word dementia means "trouble thinking." Normally, we occasionally misplace items or briefly forget an event, but our memory is helped with clues that we devise, like "to do lists," or making sure we always leave our keys in the same location. With MCI we begin to misplace items frequently, completely forget an event more than once, or repeat questions over and over again. If clues to improve our memory don't help, the memory loss is not due to normal aging, but is a sign of MCI or early dementia.

The person with MCI often doesn't realize the problem and it is many times identified three or four years too late to start treatment that can make a difference in delaying the severe progression of dementia. Dr. Scharre provided us with the SAGE test, a tool he developed that helps assess whether or not a person is beginning to show signs of MCI. This tool has been used across the U.S. and in other countries. In the first six months it was online, there were over a million users. Although there is a need for better treatment of Alzheimers Disease (AD), it is vital to identify early dementia and start treatment as soon as signs are recognized. There are a few drugs, such as cholinesterase inhibitors and NMDA antagonists, available that help to delay the profound effects of AD, and researchers are working hard to find new methods of treatment. As the baby boomers age, this is the ideal time to make sure the research is supported to help prevent or cure AD.



## Medical Center News

### New James Open for Business and Running Smoothly

Addressing the more than 500 volunteers who assembled in Meiling Hall on Sunday, Dec. 14, to help move patients into the new James Cancer Hospital and Solove Research Institute, OSUCCC Director and James CEO Michael A. Caligiuri, MD, couldn't conceal his excitement over what he called "an amazing day for all of us."

Caligiuri said he was "so grateful to all who have come to help us" with the monumental task at hand, which followed some 10 years of planning, designing and constructing the new 21-story, 1.1-million-square-foot, 306-bed hospital.

"All of us have worked so hard to get to where we are today," Caligiuri said. "Today is all about our patients. As you assist with this move, think of wheeling them not just into a new hospital but across the threshold to a cancer-free world.

And with that, he asked the volunteers – who included faculty and staff, family members and friends of The James – to report to their assigned areas and await the official 8:30 a.m. start of a move that would take just over nine hours to complete, finishing ahead of schedule and without mishap.

Caligiuri later reported that the hospital's 182 acute-care inpatients were moved safely and smoothly into the new hospital thanks to a superbly orchestrated plan devised and led by "an amazing faculty and staff operational team" that coordinated the event from two command centers, one in the original James and one in the new.

"Our new hospital is a transformational facility that stands as the third largest and as one of the most advanced cancer hospitals in the nation – an institution that serves as the model for all 21st century cancer hospitals," Caligiuri added. "That's something to be proud of, and I hope your pride is augmented by knowing the importance of the role that you have played not only in bringing it about, but in furthering our vision of creating a cancer-free world."

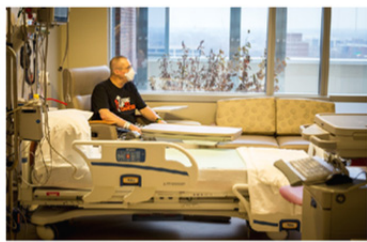
### OSU Wexner Medical Center Moves Forward with New Brain and Spine Hospital

COLUMBUS, Ohio – The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center plans to expand its Neurological Institute with the addition of a new Brain and Spine Hospital in the former Arthur G. James Cancer Hospital and Richard J. Solove Research Institute, pending approval of the \$14.3 million renovation by Ohio State's Board of Trustees on Friday.

The Brain and Spine Hospital will open in early 2016 to meet the growing need for services for patients with neurological disorders, including Alzheimer's, Parkinson's, multiple sclerosis, spinal cord injury, traumatic brain injury, stroke and many others. The Brain and Spine Hospital, which will be part of Ohio State's Neurological Institute, will provide advanced clinical services and innovative research to improve the diagnosis, treatment and cure of neurological diseases.

"Neuroscience research and discoveries about the human brain and nervous system are growing at an unprecedented rate. With this new era of discovery around the brain, the University will be well-positioned to make monumental strides in improving the lives of those who have a neurological condition or injury," said Ohio State President Michael V. Drake. "The new Brain and Spine Hospital will create a 'neurological cluster' of disease-specific subspecialty units where multidisciplinary teams are focused on providing comprehensive, coordinated, efficient and compassionate care for the best patient experience and outcomes."

Ohio State's Neurological Institute is a University-wide initiative involving 14 colleges – including engineering, business, dentistry, social work, nursing and pharmacy – along with Nationwide Children's Hospital, that are collaborating with Ohio State's Wexner Medical Center in areas of neuroscience and brain research.



## Service

### Grant Committee

Antoinette Beynen  
Deborah Christopher  
Diane Dierckman  
Peggy Hull  
Dan Krumm  
Anne LaPidus  
Linda Miller  
Diane Reavling  
Betty Sawyers  
Lynda Sirk

### Save the Date

*Service Board  
Recognition and  
Grant Showcase  
May 13, 2015*

**This event is a special thank you to Service Board members and will feature poster displays of the projects made possible through Service Board grants funded in 2014/2015.**

## SB Grant Program

It is the first word in our name: Service Board.

We say Service first because it is who we are, and what we do. The act of service manifests itself in various ways. Service Board (SB) members generously volunteer time, goods, and expertise in a variety of ways and various areas to advance the work of The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center. Across the year, Service Board members hold fundraising endeavors such as football parking, jewelry and book sales with all proceeds dedicated to funding service projects that support Ohio State's Wexner Medical Center. Arguably, our most visible demonstration of service is the SB Grant Program.

The goal of the SB Grant Program is to award grants for innovative, department-initiated projects that align with department strategic goals and enhance the patient, family, and visitor experience. The SB jump-starts innovation by providing funds needed to prove, or disprove, these inventive unit ideas. The SB is there to pick up a wish list of projects that go beyond the constraints of department budgets. Chosen projects are funded in full, or in part, for the first year of each pilot project.

To our credit, the Service Board receives notes of gratitude from current and past grant recipients. *"From early in the morning, until late at night, the contributions made by the dedicated OSU Service Board allow us to help the Children and Teens we serve every day 24/7,"* writes the Harding Hospital Child-Adolescent Unit grant recipient. *"And our coming attraction funded by a 2014 grant is the Sensory Room. This room provides special sensory equipment to individuals where they are able to be calm, relax and enjoy the right amount of stimulation to meet their needs."*

Out of nearly 100 submitted proposals for the 2014 round of awards, the Service Board funded 25 full and four partial grants for a total of approximately \$70,000. The grants range in focus from NICU Infant Development Care and Piano Music to Refugee Health Screening. Past Grant Committees developed a solid foundation, allowing the current grant committee to consider and implement program innovations. Building on the past, the present committee reviewed and rewrote all grant documents for clarity and branded them to the SB for professionalism. They streamlined the grant calendar across the year, allowing for maximization of a complex set of coordinated dates leading to a fair and equitable grant selection process.

The grant application is based on responses to five carefully constructed criteria. This year the committee developed and tested a rubric that is used to judge the responses based on an expectation of quality. Committee members individually analyze each grant applicant's responses against this set of determined standards. The rubric assigns points on the merit of each answer—the greater the merit, the higher the point score. Grants are ranked by total points and selected on the merits of the idea they embody. Committee members-as-stewards monitor assigned grants across the implementation period to coach and encourage grantees as well as facilitate solutions to any concerns that may arise.

Another innovation for 2015 is the grant-writing workshop. Scheduled for early spring, the committee is holding the workshop in two locations to assist those who are interested in writing a successful grant proposal. The workshop agenda covers three areas and hosts two guests who will present side-by-side with committee members. Topics include preparation for grant writing, writing a grant to meet compliance regulations and an overview of what the SB is looking for in a successful grant proposal. Grant applications are due on April 1, 2015, and the committee meets on June 1, 2015 to review, discuss and select the 2015 awardees.

As the active 2014-2015 grants reach full implementation, it becomes a time to celebrate. Please join us on May 13, 2015 at the Grant Showcase to see for yourself the innovation Service Board Grants bring to life. Current grant-holders will be there, with displays, eager to talk with you about the fruition of their ideas.

This is an exciting and industrious year for the SB Grant Program. Once the 2015 grant selection is complete, the cycle begins again. There is still work yet to be done, so please join us and become part of the grant committee. Help bring innovative WMC ideas to life.

## Service

### Care Point East Wish List

There is a need for reading material to be used in both waiting rooms and patient rooms.

You can support the good work at Care Point East by donating gently used books for any age or reading level and/or magazines.

### OSU Harding Hospital, Child-Adolescent Unit Wish List

You can donate new items from the wish list for Harding's Buckeye Store. Patients may purchase items with points earned during their stay for participating in their care and successfully accomplishing goals during treatment.

- OSU merchandise or clothing
- Hats and caps
- Stuffed animals (new only - no strings)
- Bouncy balls (any size), Nerf-like footballs/balls, stress balls
- Playing cards
- Hand-held or travel-size games (small inexpensive ones)
- Small flashlights
- Water bottles
- Coloring books or puzzle books (crossword, word searches)
- Teen books
- 3-D puzzles
- Yo-yos
- Journals (no wire bindings)
- Sharpie markers, crayons, or colored pencils
- Dry erase boards (individual) with markers
- Stretch bracelets or rubber band bracelet kits
- Body spray, body wash, lotion (for females and males)
- Makeup, lip-gloss, eyeliner, nail polish
- Mood rings
- Candy and gum

**For more information  
contact Joyce St. Pierre at  
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## Breakfast with Santa



Breakfast with Santa was held at University Hospital East on December 6, 2014. It was a beautiful day and spirits were very high. It always is a joyful start to the holiday season to see the smiles on children's faces and the shrieks of joy when Santa arrives in the Café. Adults and children (160 of them) enjoyed a delicious buffet breakfast, prepared by the University Hospital East Nutrition Services staff. Attendees were served by a number of dignitaries of The Ohio State University Wexner Medical Center: Dr. Steven Gabbe, CEO of Ohio State's Wexner Medical Center, Dr. Pat Gabbe, Ms. Elizabeth Seely, Executive Director, University Hospital East, and Robert Salmen, Hospital Controller, University Hospital East.

The children were entertained by A Face Painting Mom, who created masterpieces of art on their faces, a balloon sculptor transformed ordinary balloons into wonderful animals, swords and other creations, and glitter tattoos were affixed to wrists and hands. Children also busied themselves with crafts they made to take home while they waited to sit on Santa's lap and tell him their Christmas wish list. Squeals of delight over a bountiful goodie bag filled with toys, coloring books, and coupons and gift cards donated by community businesses for Santa to give to each boy and girl. The Service Board is grateful to the many local businesses that donated generously to this event:

Bob Evans  
Cheryl's Cookies  
Chick-Fil-A

Giant Eagle  
Kroger  
P.F. Changs

Highlights for Children

Special thanks are extended to Bev Epps, who coordinated the event, and to all the Service Board volunteers who helped. A special thank-you is extended to the staff at University Hospital East: Sheila Fair, Diane Gordon, Andy Morris, Chris Basmagy, Beth Haselwood, Jane Federer, and Margaret High-Thomas, and others who helped to make this event the special holiday tradition it is.

A wonderful time was had by all and many expressions of gratitude are shared to those who attended and to those who helped. It was a wonderful way to kick off the holiday season!



**THE OHIO STATE  
WEXNER MEDICAL  
CENTER SERVICE  
BOARD**

# Tree of Lights

Tree of Lights" benefits the Patient and Family Emergency Fund through the Department of Social Work.

The Service Board Members graciously thank and recognize the following Ohio State Wexner Medical Center faculty and staff, volunteers, Service Board members, visitors, and families for sponsoring a light on the Tree of Lights.



## Donor

## In Honor / Memory

### Anonymous Donations

**Constantino & Carolyn Benedetti**

Mariah Ivancich, Adriana Benedetti,  
OSUWMC Volunteer Services Staff

**Mary Jo Boldizar**

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Ted Ball

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The Family and Staff of University Hospital  
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**Ken Foland**

Carolyn Benedetti and the Service Board  
members who make this campaign possible

**Corinne Garvey**

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**Lynne Genter**

Irving Reingold, Karen Reading

**Diane Gordon**

UHE Department Operations Committee

**Beth Haselwood**

In Honor of Mom & Sam,  
In Memory of Dad

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**Donald Horn**

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Albert Wilkins, Mamie Howard, Ron Howard

**Peggy Hull**

My sister, Beverly J. Moryan

**Grace Hurley**

George J. Hamwi, M.D.

**Kathleen M. Jones**



## Tree of Lights

This year the TOL project raised \$4,768, an increase over last year.

A special thank you to Chair, Carolyn Benedetti, and to the Service Board members who have generously and consistently supported this project.



*Service Board members participated in the annual Plaza Lighting on December 4<sup>th</sup> and at the Tree of Lights ceremony at OSU East on December 5<sup>th</sup>.*



### Donor

### In Honor / Memory

<b>Christy Kanz</b>	Carol Frederick
<b>Carolyn Knapp</b>	Abigail Jones
<b>Dr. Eric &amp; Patty Kraut</b>	
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<b>Mary G. Woody</b>	

## Executive Summary

### Financial

#### September 2014

Balance August 31, 2014	\$119,043.95
Revenue (Dues, Football Parking, Calendar Sales, Luncheon)	\$ 24,169.01
Expenses (Grants, Luncheon, Printing)	\$ 8,427.00

#### October 2014

Balance September 30, 2014	\$ 136,409.24
Revenue (transfer, Calendar Sales, Luncheon Reservations, Football Parking)	\$ 75,959.22
Expenses (Grants, Scholarships, Directory, Newsletter, M&M)	\$ 61,103.05

#### November 2014

Balance October 31, 2014	\$ 81,536.00
Revenue (Vendor Sales, Football Parking, Luncheon)	\$ 12,336.32
Expenses (Administrative - Insurance, License, Non Profit Renewal)	\$ 2,533.49

#### December 2014

Balance November 2014	\$ 91,331.40
Revenue (Vendor Sales, Football Parking, Tree of Lights, Calendar Sales)	\$ 20,063.42
Expenses (Printing, Administrative Breakfast with Santa)	\$ 842.69

#### January 2015

Balance December 31, 2014	\$ 110,522.79
Revenue (Breakfast with Santa, Tree of Lights, Calendar Sales)	\$ 1,746.00
Expenses (Bulk Mail, Calendar Tax)	\$ 764.49
Balance January 31, 2015	\$ 111,509.96

### Executive Committee Action

**New E-mail address** – [serviceboardosuwmc@gmail.com](mailto:serviceboardosuwmc@gmail.com)

**Bylaw Revision-** Draft is complete. After approval by the Executive Board, Medical Center Liaison and Legal Department, copies will be mailed to members for voting in June.

#### Service Activities

- Helped with the opening of the new James
- Helped with open house at Universal Design Living Laboratory
- Helped with Burn Center Golf Outing and Camp
- Breakfast with Santa at East

#### Fundraising Activities

- Vendor Sales – Books are Fun, Masquerade and Silverlady – Total Revenue \$18,455.63
- Football Parking -\$35,965.00 raised for the Grant Program
- Special Calendar Project to raise funds for a digital story board to be presented to the new James.
- Tree of Lights to raise funds for the Family Emergency Fund

#### Educational Activities

- General Membership Meeting in September and November
- Munch and Mingle in October

#### Committee Activity

- Grants – The grant application forms have been revised and the time line changed.
- Announcement of the 2015/2016 grants will be sent soon.
- Nominating Committee will be meeting soon to identify leadership positions for next year.

## Calendar Of Events

### February 2015

**February 12**

*Munch and Mingle*

“Hyperbaric Therapy- Let’s go Diving”

Presented by Kimberly Pence, Respiratory Therapist, OSU East Wound Care. Comprehensive Wound Center, Martha Morehouse Medical Plaza, 9:15 a.m. -10:30a.m.

### March 2015

**March 19**

*General Membership Meeting*

Presenter, Diane Gorgas, Director of Global Health

**March 16**

*Executive Board Meeting*

### April 2015

**April 23**

*Munch and Mingle*

“Moving Mindful Awareness into Your Life”

Presented by Maryanna D. Klatt, PhD, Associate Professor Clinical Family Medicine  
The Stephanie Spielman Comprehensive Breast Center –  
2:30-4:00 p.m.

**April 27- 30**

*Silverlady*

Ackerman Main Lobby – April 27, 28, 29, 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.  
OSU East Cafeteria Lobby – April 30, 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

### May 2015

**May 5-8**

*Silverlady*

University Hospital Main Doan Hallway,  
across from Huntington Bank  
April 5, 6, 7, 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.  
Eye and Ear Institute First Floor Lobby  
May 8, 9:00 a.m. – 3:00p.m.

**May 13**

*Grant Showcase*

**May 18**

*Executive Board Meeting*

**May 20, 21**

*Bildsten Flower Sale*

Ackerman Shelter House between 660 and 700 Ackerman  
10:00a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

### June 2015

**June 10**

*General Membership Meeting*

Business Meeting  
Installation of Officers

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