

THANKS FOR GIVING!

1000+ CLUB TO BENEFIT CANCER, INC. INAUGURAL CHARITABLE GIVING GRANTS DISTRIBUTES **\$170,000** TO **5** ORGANIZATIONS



Heather Miller

BROWARD HEALTH FOUNDATION BY MY SIDE PROJECT

Grant will fund: Sleeper chairs/sofas and Wii Game Consoles/Wii Fit Plus for the inpatient pediatric oncology unit rooms and playroom of Chris Evert Children's Hospital at Broward General Medical Center

"We can identify the best medicine, but quality of life is what really helps to heal the patient and the families. Cancer doesn't just affect the patient, it affects the families. This grant provides the environment for patients and families to be together, allowing siblings a place to stay overnight, helping the siblings and the child with cancer."

- Heather Miller



Shelley Goren

GILDA'S CLUB SOUTH FLORIDA GILDA'S CLUB EXTREME MAKEOVER PROJECT

Grant will fund: Kitchen renovation, painting, and furnishings "The kitchen in any home is the focal point to congregate and to interact casually. We want to maintain a healthy, happy, and clear environment for people who come here. Gilda Radner was a person who through her short life was able to use her illness to make sure anyone in the future would be able to live their life surrounded by friends who truly understood what it means to have a cancer diagnosis." - Shelley Goren



Amy Corderman, Regine Lefevre, and Kim Saiswick

HOLY CROSS HOSPITAL, INC. PARTNERS IN BREAST HEALTH PROJECT

Grant will fund: Mammograms, diagnostic mammograms, and biopsies for the underserved aged 40-plus in Broward County "The more women we can reach, increasing the screening through our community outreach program, and the more educating we can do, the better the survival rates. This grant gives us the opportunity to save lives because mortality is high in low income areas as diagnosis often comes too late. We'll be able to make healthcare more accessible to everyone." -Amy Corderman and Kim Saiswick



Elisa Jones and Esperanza

JOE DIMAGGIO CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL FOUNDATION, INC. LOVE JEN CANCER FUND PROJECT

Grant will fund: Male medical therapy doll, Journey of Hope Bead Program, bereavement support

"I practice medicine with play with Esperanza ('hope' in Spanish), a female medical therapy doll. These funds, in part, will bring Esperanza a brother that boys will be able to relate to better. The funds give me the opportunity to work with families one on one and arm me with amazing tools to help children. Taking care of families and children does more than good medicine."

- Elisa Jones



Angel Nazario and Sandra Muvdi and Angel's Teddy Bear

JESSICA JUNE CHILDREN'S CANCER FOUNDATION, INC. EMERGENCY FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE - FAMILIES IN CRISIS ENDURING PEDIATRIC CANCER PROJECT

Grant will fund: Emergency financial assistance to Broward County families in crisis with children receiving cancer treatment "This grant gives me great relief that 15 Broward County families in crisis will receive much needed and deserved aid during the most difficult and dreadful time in their lives. Following strict selection criteria, families can receive relief with insurance, medical supplies, pharmaceuticals, physical items for the cancer-diagnosed child, rent or mortgage relief, utility bill payments, and food cards." - Sandra Muvdi



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The purpose of the 1000+ Club is to provide money, collected through fundraising events and membership contributions, to selected non-profit cancer organizations in Broward County, Fla. The application process for the next cycle of grants will run from June 1 to Aug. 1. www.thousandplusclubtobenefitcancer.org

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Pearls adorned all the beautiful tres' chic black dresses at the 1000 Plus Club to Benefit Cancer "Little Black Dress and Pearls" Luncheon to present the Inaugural Charitable Giving Grants to 5 Organizations and Kick Off the 2012 Women of the Year Event, April 4th at the Marriott Harbor Beach Resort and Spa, Fort Lauderdale.

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Neiman Marcus Models, Debbie Dolchin, Tracey MacLean, Rusty Smith, Jonie Sabo, Carla Martin



Patsy Menutti and Sandra Muvdi, President and Founder of Jessica June Children's Cancer Foundation



Anne Ahrens and Johanna Maytin



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