



We will not stop giving our support to help those in need.
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To All,

We are writing this letter to seek your support for our First St. Patrick's Day Bash, which will be held at Mercer Oaks Golf Course in West Windsor, New Jersey on March 17, 2012. This year we will have many volunteers who contribute their time and effort to this deserving event. Brian Dzbenski of MDJ Entertainment is donating music for the 2012 event. Last Year at our Harvest Dance we were able to raise over \$10,000 after expenses. All proceeds are given to charities, individuals, hospitals and scholarship funds.

Joshua Harr Shane was a true representative of what is great about young people, the future of our nation. Joshua cared about others less fortunate than himself and had huge dreams to become a doctor. He was a volunteer at the Princeton Medical Center and touched all patients, doctors and nurses he came into contact with, as well as raising money for The Center for Children with Cancer and Blood disorders through his fraternity, FIJI, at Rutgers University, now known as the Embrace Children's Foundation.

This year, we hope to raise money to help with medical bills of families with children in need. We will continue to support the Palliative Care program through The Embrace Children's Fund (formerly, The Center for Children with Cancer and Blood Disorders). But our support does not stop here; we also reach out to individual families that are in need due to illness or debilitating accidents. We have targeted families, with children and or adults, who are struggling with the crushing expenses that result from treating illness. Each and every year, we have donated money to such families to help defray the costs of transportation, doctor bills, food, shelter and medical care. We received the Mayor's Shining Star award in April 2011 for our work with Better Beginnings in Hightstown and we were honored by the Embrace Children's Foundation in December 2010 for our work with their Palliative Care Program.

In addition to working directly with needy families, the fund has also donated over 6,500 phone cards to the soldiers in Iraq, with the help of Fort Dix and McGuire Air Force Base for our "Phone Home for the Holidays" fundraiser. We also send monthly care packages to Afghanistan to the soldiers we have worked with at McGuire who have been deployed to distribute throughout their base. We received an honor for our work with Camp Mike Spann.

We collected golf items to be distributed through McGuire Air Force Base to our troops overseas, to provide some much needed down time to our military. Thanks to the help of many we were able to send over 1000 golf clubs, 400 golf bags, 32 pairs of new shoes and over 8000 golf balls.

We have many special needs children and their families as well as Military families to local area events creating lasting memories for a life time.

Help us make a difference. Every little bit helps! We are a 501(c)-3 recognized charity. Please help us by donating raffle and door prizes or gift certificates. We thank you for your consideration of our request.

Cordially,
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