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THE NEWSLETTER OF THE DEBBIE-RAND MEMORIAL SERVICE LEAGUE



VOLUNTEERS ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO
THE DEBBIE-RAND MEMORIAL SERVICE LEAGUE'S

CELEBRATION OF SERVICE AND ANNUAL MEETING

WEDNESDAY, MAY 11, 2016 | 10:00AM – 12:00PM
BOCA RATON REGIONAL HOSPITAL'S DAWSON THEATER

Join us for the awarding of service hour pins, the Annual League Meeting and a buffet luncheon. Due to space limitations, we are unable to invite the guests of volunteers.




BOCA RATON
REGIONAL HOSPITAL
DEBBIE-RAND MEMORIAL
SERVICE LEAGUE, INC.

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VOLUNTEERING?
CALL 561.955.4098

MEMBERS CORNER

MEMBERSHIP REPORT: FEBRUARY 2016

Active Members

General: 473

TAV: 101

Life: 15

Inactive Due-Paid Members

General: 270

Life: 171

Honorary: 2

Total: 1,032

Hours Report:

TEENAGE VOLUNTEERS (TAV):

1,299.22 hours

99 TAVs

ADULT VOLUNTEERS:

10,349.78 hours

450 volunteers

TOTAL:

11,649.00 hours

549 volunteers

Welcome, New Volunteers

Rivka Averbukh	Natalie Joissaint
Alla Belaia	John McKirchy
Sophia Chenkin	JeanTony Monecla
Yassecha Clayton	Joshua Morgan
Fernando Cruz	Angelia Pittenger
Karishma Deosaran	Victoria Schmidt
Donna Edwards	Madison Sonntag
Elizabeth Geller	Milton Weiss
Michael Glick	Pearl Zaffrin
Raveena Jagarnauth	Gabriela Zapata

April Volunteer of the Month



JUDY PARK

Judy Park joined D-RMSL in 2008 and became a volunteer in the Operating Room, where she spent her time for two years. After a leave of absence, she returned in 2014 and began working in the Gift Shop on Wednesdays. Judy also makes discharge calls to Marcus Neuroscience Institute patients, following up on their hospital care. She has earned over 800 hours of service.

Judy is a Florida native, living in Miami until moving to Boca with her now late husband, Louis, both of whom attended the University of Miami. For 30 years, Judy was the owner of a title insurance company, retiring in 2004 when her son, Steven, and his wife, Marcy, took over the business in Boca Raton. Steven and Marcy have two sons, Joseph, a graduate of Florida Atlantic University, and Sam, currently at Palm Beach State College. Judy's other son, Robert, and his wife, Sharon, live in Arizona. Judy also has two dogs, Peanut and Lana.

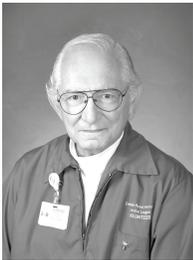
In her spare time, Judy enjoys playing Mahjong with her friends and knitting.

D-RMSL and Boca Regional thank you, Judy, for your wonderful service.

IN MEMORY OF:

Patricia Ciasulli and Helga Marqusee





A Message from Your President National Healthcare Volunteer Week

At Boca Raton Regional Hospital, April 10 through April 16 is a special week when we celebrate the invaluable contributions made by our volunteers in their commitment to our Hospital. While we routinely recognize volunteers' successes throughout the year by highlighting service hours and profiling our Volunteer of the Month, National Healthcare Volunteer Week is, indeed, a time when we express our sincere gratitude for the generous donation of their time and talents.

D-RMSL volunteers exude energy, enthusiasm and compassion, all with thoughtful restraint and sometimes good humor in their efforts to relieve the understandable anxiety of our patients and their families.

Volunteers pledge each day, without reservation, the most precious gift of time and dispense it with an immeasurable kindness, the hallmark of all who wear the Blue Jackets. They carry on a legacy that is steeped in more than 50 years of tradition when our founder, Gloria Drummond, rallied the community to build a hospital of its own.

Our volunteers are unparalleled in their commitment to the Hospital. They recognize that volunteering is both a privilege and a responsibility. They take pride in what they do. And they do it with a smile.

- Edmund Nasralla, President of the Debbie-Rand Memorial Service League

**If you are interested in joining the League,
call the Volunteer Office at 561.955.4098 or visit brrh.com/volunteer.**

May 2016 Pin Awards

100-HOUR PIN

Alina Alba
Taina Alexis
Chelsea Alvarez
Bridgitte Anillo
Sean Bacha
Matthew Barran
Francis Beirne
Taslim Bhhiya
Esther Bober
Brooke Boland
Jade Bravo
Joseph Brown
Danny Bruce
Joanne Bulfin
Margaret Campanella
Deborah Campbell
Renate Cappelletti
Phito Celestin
Janet Cepeda-Diaz
Jonathan Chin Cheong
Anthony Cioci
Jordan Clewner
Celso De Mello
Denesha Decosma
Lee Destinvil
Lisa Diaz
Huiyan Ding
Lauren Dros
Gizem Eflanli
Iris Engel
Guisella Evansen
Kathleen Fleming
Valentina Forero
Ann Paula Friedland
Sanford Friedman
Sydel Frohlich
Griselda Galarza
Victor Galarza
Marcia Gerson
Brenda Gomes
Andrew Gonedes
Kristina Greaton
Corinne Greenwald
Joseph Gretzula
Adel Hachmi
Courtney Healey
Alex (Christopher) Hedrick
Hannah Hole

Kayla Hower
Mervyn Hurwitz
David Jaco
Esperanta Jean Laurent
Lily Joa
Irene Johnson
Tara Jouleh
Nishat Khan
Natalie Kingery
Stanley Kleiman
Gadi Kozlowski
Diane Kramer
Zachary Kutsche
Natalia Lara
Sandra Laveter
Charles Lee
Rachel Liberty
Rose Loricchio
Yoldine Marcelon
Mary McArthur
Ellen McConnell
Rachel Metzner
Lenore Miller
Lauren Morejon
Nona Murphy
Arielle Newby
Brian Nudelman
Brandon Otero
Allen Parks
Bernice Parks
Marissa Pergament
Sylvie Pierre
Chivante Powell
Robert Ramkissoon
Madison Rausch
Sahil Reddy
Edward Reisher
Mariana Restrepo
Phyllis Robins
Daniel Rocha
Julie Rosa
Katherine Ruenes
Maria Sandoval
Natalie Satter
Stephanie Sawicki
Jerrold Scher
Gerald Schnee
Jacobyna Smith
Manushka St Felix
Trudy Stamos
Callie Stephano
Ashlee Stillman

Toby Stolar
Roberta Swickle
Kevin Taylor
Eric Thach
Doris Thien
Aleshia Thomas
Shannon Vainer
Samina Van Winkle
Barbara Volsky
Ian Walsh
Florence Waugh
Brooke Wilkinson
Jill Wrubel

500-HOUR PIN

Deborah Anderson
John Basler
Robert Buss
Howard Case
Diane Chepovsky
Janet Chrusch
Theodora Day
Yvonne Duncan
Xaroula Gonedes
Jonathan Kovacs
Annet Lopez
Judith Martin
Charlotte Paris
Judy Park
Marion Pedalino
Donald Salas
Arlene Silver
Susan Slinger
Adeline Smith
Elaine Smith
Sandra Sokolof
Nancy Solomon
Patricia Swedlaw
Beatrice Werden
Barbara Wright

1,000-HOUR PIN

Terry Batinsey
Vincenza Cirillo
Dolores Del Raso
Marie Edelman
Roger Farleigh
Judy Greenberg
Selma Kabchefskey
Sandra Kalker
Janet Lamphere
Judith Lee

Harriet Locke
Anna McKenna
Jette Melfi
Carmen Mierzwa
Dorothy Paone
Cynthia Pearl
Sylvestro Pistoia
Lora Ross
Robert Schattner
Ellen Selip
Dahlia Smith
Ed Speicher
Lucille Spitz
Alice Turner
Cynthia Westman

1,500-HOUR PIN

Sheila Benson
Barbara Cavarretta
Eva Daskalakis
Diane Davis
Richard Dufresne
Mary Hurley
Cindy Menard
Ellie Mero
Frances (Frankie) Ross
Daniel Saraceno
Helga Tandy
Ruth Tilson
Mary Zibelli

2,000-HOUR PIN

Ann Arbeitman
Caroline Caputo
Steven Cohn
Mary DeOliveira
Irene Fromm
Tracy Garlanger
Ellen Manes
Timothy O'Connor
Robert Quillard
Kirsten Richter
Sergio Rodriguez
Leslie Sklarew
Sherry Thomas
Mary Watts
Paula Yeager

2,500-HOUR PIN

Louis Azus
Phyllis Hannagan
Richard Larson

Yvonne Larson
Patricia Vissicchio
Richard Zent

3,000-HOUR PIN

Beatriz Ainsztein
Nancy Coakley
Sandi Eigner
Mary Enck
Irving Ginsberg
Nona Goldstein
Carol Hopkins
Nancy Matthias
Howard Schurr
Vicki Segal

3,500-HOUR PIN

Howard Cohen
Beverly Ehrentreu
Leatrice Gaine
Sharon Pearthree
Julia Proscia
Elaine Schwartz
Edna Zent

4,000-HOUR PIN

Rosita Feuerman
Alexander Herasymchuck
Velma Krassenstein
Edmund Nasralla
Micheale Pollack
Alice Staff

4,500-HOUR PIN

Fern Bonder
Helene Cohen

5,000-HOUR PIN

Joan Breiling
Eileen Carlins
Arthur Dermer
Janet Goltra
June Stat
Elinor Stein

5,500-HOUR PIN

Esta Goldfine
Vincent Loscalzo

6,000-HOUR PIN

Roslyn Feinstein
Norman Helft

Wendy Kulberg
Harriet Nichols
Howard Shore

6,500-HOUR PIN

Edith Helft
Mae Winkelman

7,000-HOUR PIN

Olga Molinari
Carolyn Silvestri

7,500-HOUR PIN

Betty Masta
Naomi O'Connell

8,000-HOUR PIN

Ellen Carroll
Alice Duquette

9,000-HOUR PIN

Martin Lambert
Edie Moore

9,500-HOUR PIN

Diana Burke

11,500-HOUR PIN

Barbara Gideon

13,000-HOUR PIN

Jean Antin

13,500-HOUR PIN

Elaine Sarro

14,000-HOUR PIN

Robert Rostron III

15,500-HOUR PIN

Christy McDonald

17,500-HOUR PIN

Stevie Furer

18,000-HOUR PIN

Evie Zimmerman

30,000-HOUR PIN

Lois McGinn

33,000-HOUR PIN

Joan Wargo

Please note: To receive your pin, you must first check in at the pin station. Failure to do so will result in your name not being called.

What's Your Story?

This is a new feature geared towards allowing the volunteers to learn more about one another in a fun and interesting manner. A different question will be asked each month. Please submit answers to your President, Edmund Nasralla, at enasralla@brrh.com.

Q: If you really knew me, you'd know _____.

A: You'd know my mother, a hospital volunteer in New York for over 30 years, was my inspiration to become a D-RMSL volunteer almost 18 years ago.

- Submitted by Evie Zimmerman

A: I always wanted to work in the medical field. Life takes turns and I was unable to accomplish that, but now I work in a facility in the field that I am very proud of. I still love what I do and do what I love.

- Submitted by Anonymous

Question for next month: What superpower would you like to have and why?

"I Rise"

The Outreach Performance Project of Boca Raton Community High School would like to invite the D-RMSL volunteers to their show, "I Rise" on Saturday, April 16 at 7:30pm. This event is being spearheaded by D-RMSL TAV, Lauren Morejon. The show will offer a night full of elegant and fabulous performances. Volunteers in attendance will be acknowledged.

D-RMSL Volunteer Ticket Fee: \$15 for regular seating | \$20 for VIP seating

Location: Boca Raton Community High School's *Kathryn Lindgren Theatre*, 1501 NW 15th Court, Boca Raton, FL 33486

For tickets, call 561.212.3924, email outreachdance@icloud.com or sign-up in the Volunteer Office. **All proceeds benefit the Lynn Cancer Institute. Lauren, we applaud your efforts in serving our community.**

WomenHeart Support Group

If you are a woman living with heart disease, join WomenHeart at Boca Regional to connect with women in our community for education, information and support. The next meeting is April 21 at 1:30pm at the Lynn Women's Health & Wellness Institute. There will also be a luncheon on May 12 at 1:00pm. New participants are welcome to attend. For more information or to RSVP, contact Rhoda Kitzes at 561.235.5515 or Robin Mautino at 561.955.5348.



Making Headlines

Making Headlines is an effort to keep all of our employees, physicians and volunteers informed about news regarding the Hospital.

This section provides you with a list of recent press releases that have been submitted to the media, as well as to our local civic leaders and government representatives.

To review any of our press releases online, visit BRRH.com. You'll find all of our current announcements on the home page.

February 23

Personalized Breast Care is Here: Boca Raton Regional Hospital and GE Healthcare Join Forces to Tackle Cancer

Donations Needed

Please donate your gently used clothing, shoes, linens, children's items and books. Furniture pick-up and packing is available. Itemized tax receipts are provided for donations. The Thrift Shoppe is located at 903 Meadows Road, Boca Raton, FL 33486.

Open Monday through Saturday from 9:00am to 4:00pm and Sunday from 12:00pm to 4:00pm.

Call 561.395.2208 with any questions.

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APRIL 2016

Meetings, Events & Important Dates:

APRIL FOOL'S DAY

FRIDAY, APRIL 1

VOLUNTEER

RECOGNITION LUNCHEON

FRIDAY, APRIL 8

PRESCRIPTION FOR FUN

FRIDAY, APRIL 8

6:00PM – 8:00PM

NATIONAL HEALTHCARE

VOLUNTEER WEEK

SUNDAY, APRIL 10 –

SATURDAY, APRIL 16

TAX DAY

MONDAY, APRIL 18

BOARD MEETING

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20

PASSOVER

BEGINS AT SUNDOWN,

FRIDAY, APRIL 22

EARTH DAY

FRIDAY, APRIL 22

"CELEBRATION OF SERVICE" AND ANNUAL MEETING

WEDNESDAY, MAY 11



Left to right: Vince Loscalzo, Elaine Powell, Esther Simon and Nora Reiken.

Ladies Golf Association at Boca Pointe Donates Funds to Boca Raton Regional Hospital

On January 12, 2016 over 100 members of the Ladies Golf Association of The Club at Boca Pointe participated in their annual "Pink Day" celebration. The event featured a morning of golf followed by a luncheon and an awards ceremony. The outing was a success and for the sixth year in a row the Ladies Golf Association donated the funds raised to the Debbie-Rand Memorial Service League.

This year, the \$4,222 raised will be used to support an outreach program that the Hospital has established to help indigent women in our area receive cancer screenings and treatment. Over the past six years, the Ladies Golf Association has donated approximately \$30,000 towards this well-deserving program. Continued donations provided by the Ladies Golf Association have helped contribute to the success of the outreach program.

D-RMSL and Boca Raton Regional Hospital salute the Ladies Golf Association at Boca Pointe for their continued support and generosity.

Thank you!



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Safety Matters: Volunteer Trivia

D-RMSL is committed to ensuring our volunteers have the knowledge needed to keep themselves and our patients safe. As part of this commitment, we will provide a monthly safety question in this newsletter. These questions represent what a volunteer may be asked by The Joint Commission surveyor during a visit.

Congratulations to **Arlene Silver**, who correctly answered last month's question: **What is a Code 24 and what should you do? The answer is a Code 24 means infant abduction. If you encounter such an emergency, you stop, look and listen. If you see or hear anything unusual, report it immediately.** Contact Aimee Yahn-Carmichael for your prize!

April's trivia question: **What are the five symptoms of a stroke? (Hint: the answer may be found in your training guide).** The first person who emails Aimee at ayahn-carmichael@brrh.com with the correct answer will win Cinemark Platinum Supersaver movie tickets. Good luck!



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Stop by the **Debbie-Rand Thrift Shoppe** for all the sales and to take advantage of great deals.

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Sunday: 12pm – 4pm

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