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UPCOMING EVENTS

AUXILIARY 40TH ANNIVERSARY

SATURDAY, APRIL 18

Keller Lobby and Auditorium

SPRING MARKET

FRIDAY, APRIL 24

Hospital and Keller Lobbies and Mezzanine

IN HONOR OF THE 40TH ANNIVERSARY

You are cordially invited to join us for

A Celebratory Tea

3:30 to 5:30 p.m. in the Keller Lobby.

The Tea will also welcome

Dr. and Mrs. Cato Laurencin.

Following the tea there will be

An Evening of Jazz

featuring Collective Expression from the Artists Collective

6:30 to 8:30 p.m. in the Keller Auditorium

to benefit our ongoing programs

W.H.A.L.E. and The Family Place at Homewood Suites.

\$25.00 per person – anything over \$15.00 is tax deductible

Wine and light refreshments will be served from 6 to 6:30 p.m.

and again during intermission.

THE SPRING MARKET

Phyllis Hills is once again in charge of the Spring Market, on April 24.

Help is needed all day – to volunteer please call her at (860) 828-2993.

A Day at Lord & Taylor – May 5

Shop all day while supporting your Auxiliary. Lord & Taylor will be host the Benefit Bash, an exclusive day filled with special savings, at Westfarms Mall Tuesday, May 5. For more information and an application to order tickets, please go to the Gift Shop.

2nd Pickin' Patch Plant Sale – May 16-22

Employees and volunteers can help raise money for the UCHC Auxiliary this spring by buying their flowering, vegetable or herb plants at Avon's Pickin' Patch. Once again, the popular pick-your-own farm will donate to us 20 percent of the value of all plants bought from May 16 through May 22, the week before Memorial Day weekend, by anyone with a UCHC badge. Last year, Pickin' Patch gave us \$355 based on purchases during a very rainy week.

If you are an employee, volunteer or retiree with a badge, we encourage you to visit Pickin' Patch during this fund raising week. Your purchases will help us help you.

Pickin' Patch is located on Nod Road in Avon, just off Route 44 about a mile north of the Avon Old Farms Inn.

News from the Thrift Shop

The Thrift Shop has expanded its hours as of Jan. 8. We are now open on Thursday evenings from 4 to 7 p.m. There has been a definite increase in thrift shop buying.

The **W.H.A.L.E.** program is going along very well. As of Dec. 1 we had 358 discharged babies who are part of the program and whose families are using the W.H.A.L.E. stickers.

The Family Place at Homewood Suites housed 20 families from January 1 to mid-February. All but two of the families were from Connecticut. One family was from Massachusetts, and the other, who stayed from December through mid-February, the was from Tennessee.

We wish to thank all of you who donated your change to our Homewood Suites boxes, which are located in all our campus buildings. To date we have collected \$1,930, which is specifically targeted for **THE FAMILY PLACE**.

From Deborah Feigenbaum, the Neonatal Social worker, to Irene Engel: "Again, many thanks to you and the Health Center Auxiliary for your continued generosity and support for this incredibly valued program."

WOULD YOU LIKE TO MAKE A DONATION TO THE AUXILIARY?

Our major projects are:

- *The Family Place*
at Homewood Suites
- *W.H.A.L.E.*
(car seat project for babies)
- *Scholarships*
for Medical/Dental students, etc.

WE NEED EVERYONE TO SUPPORT THE AUXILIARY

Visit our website for more details:

<http://auxiliary.uchc.edu>

UCHCA phone: (860) 679-8004

THE UCONN HEALTH CENTER AUXILIARY INVITES YOU TO

LORD & TAYLOR'S WESTFARMS BENEFIT BASH

TUESDAY, MAY 5, 2009 – 9:00 AM TO 10:00 PM

Shop all day while supporting your community! Lord & Taylor will be hosting the Benefit Bash – an exclusive day filled with special savings at Westfarms. As part of the celebration, Lord & Taylor is giving our organization an opportunity to raise thousands of dollars.

Here's how it works...

We are one of several non-profit groups participating in the sale of \$5 admission tickets to Lord & Taylor's Benefit Bash. We retain all the proceeds from our ticket sales. With your support, we can also be one of the organizations to receive one of (2) bonus checks Lord & Taylor is donating for the highest ticket sales (\$1,000), or for the highest attendance (\$1,000). The more tickets we sell, the more money we raise!

The Benefit Bash Offers...

- Savings Pass – 20% off any sale or regular priced items*
- Savings Pass – 15% off all day long on Cosmetics & Fragrances*
- Sign up for a new Lord & Taylor credit account and receive an additional 15% off all your day's purchases, on top of the coupon or savings pass savings.
- Lord & Taylor cardholders will receive an additional 10% off all day long*
- Opportunity to win great prizes
- Pre-Sell: Starting Monday, April 27, pre-select your purchases to be rung up on the day of the Benefit Bash – then come by and pick them up that day or after.

**Some minor exclusions apply. +Subject to normal credit approval. See associate for details.*

To order tickets...

Fill out order blank below and mail with check/money order (no cash, please) to:

Or call us at: _____

Please make check payable to: _____

Ticket Order Form

Name: _____ **Phone:** _____

Address: _____

of Tickets ordered (\$5 each): _____ **Amount enclosed \$:** _____

**HERE IS WHERE TO FIND THE VENDORS SPONSORED BY THE
AUXILIARY FOR THE NEXT FEW MONTHS...**

Monday, March 23rd, **Quilbet** in the food court lobby 9:00-3:00

Friday, March 27th, **D's Jewelers** in the food court lobby 9:00-3:00

Tuesday, March 31st, **Mandy's Purses** in the food court lobby 9:00-3:00

Thursday, April 2nd, **The Silver Web** in the food court lobby 9:00-3:00

Thursday, April 2nd, **NLS shoes** in the rear of the food court 8:00-5:00

Friday, April 3rd, **Pursenably Yours** in the food court lobby 9:00-3:00

Friday, April 3rd, **Costco** in the Munson cafeteria 9:00-2:00

Friday, April 10th, **The Apple Lady** in the food court lobby 9:00-3:00

Monday, April 13th, **The Proud Peacock** in the food court lobby 9:00-3:00

Tuesday, April 28th, **Garden Grove Pottery** in the food court lobby 9:00-3:00

Wednesday, April 29th, **Leather Bag Outlet** in the Munson cafeteria 9:00-2:00

Thursday, April 29th, **Leather Bag Outlet** in the food court lobby 9:00-3:00

Friday, May 1st, **Designs by Diana** in the food court lobby 9:00-3:00

Monday, May 4th, **the Apple Lady** in the food court lobby 9:00-2:00

Friday, May 8th, **Jazz mi Taz** in the food court lobby 9:00-3:00

Monday, May 11th, **Leslies Jewelry** in the food court lobby 9:00-3:00

Thursday, May 14th, **Precious Cargo** in the food court lobby 9:00-3:00

Monday, May 18th, **Patricia's Presents** in the food court lobby 9:00-3:00

Thursday, May 21st, **Alexanders Uniforms** in the rear of the cafeteria 8:00-4:00

Friday, May 22nd, **Eastern Caps** in the food court lobby 9:00-3:00

Thursday, May 28th, **Has Sheets** in the food court lobby 9:00-3:00

Monday, June 8th, **Decoupage by Toni** in the food court 9:00-3:00

Tuesday, June 9th, **Treasures of Turkey** in the food court lobby 9:00-3:00

Thursday, June 11th, **Sparkle Jewelry** in the food court lobby 9:00-3:00

Monday, June 15, **Costco** in the food court lobby 9:00-3:00

Friday, June 19th, **D's Jewelry** in the food court lobby 9:00-3:00

Thursday, June 25th, **Much More** in the food court lobby 9:00-3:00

Friday, June 26th, **Shell Crafts by Gail** in the food court lobby 9:00-3:00