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Join us for the 2nd annual harvest moon party Friday, Oct. 21!



The Auxiliary is holding its second annual Harvest Moon Party and Silent Auction **Friday, Oct. 21**, at the Farmington Woods Clubhouse in Farmington, **from 6 to 11 p.m.** Music will be provided by the Colbys, a popular R&B/jazz band led by Grammy and Emmy award-winner John Colby, with vocals by Bev Roehlehr. Dress is casual, jeans are encouraged and the menu will be western style. The cost is

\$70.00 per person (\$35 of which is tax deductible) which includes a complimentary wine or beer.

Proceeds from the event will help fund The Family Place, an extended-stay unit at the Homewood Suites where families with infants in the hospital's neonatal intensive care unit can stay free of charge.

We hope you can join us; it is a wonderful time for a worthy cause.

Thank You!

Many thanks to all our loyal supporters and volunteers for making our efforts come to fruition. We hope you will enjoy our active year with us. Please stay updated by visiting our website, <http://auxiliary.uhc.edu>.



SHOW, TELL & SELL

On August 19, the UCHC Auxiliary held its first craft show for employees and we are happy to say that it was a great success! We also had our first fudge sale and it too was a great success, with the area outside the cafeteria set up as a candy shop, complete with scales and weighing out fudge to fit one's taste.

There was a great variety of fudge, thanks to our members and friends.

Left: Linda Wosczyzna shows her hand-crafted jewelry.

Below: Linda Tenukas sets up a mini gallery for her oil paintings in the main lobby.



JULY BAKE SALE

We held a bake sale in the cafeteria the June 30, just in time for the 4th of July weekend. Our Emergency Department nurses won the coconut cake raffle. We thank all who baked for us and all of you who enjoyed the baked goods.

ANNUAL MEETING, SCHOLARSHIPS

We had our annual meeting June 21 and presented our scholarships. Congratulations to **Amanda Ciervo** and **Amy D'Agata**, who each won a \$2,500 nursing scholarship, and **Dr. Pawandeep Gill**, who received a \$5,000 award for her Master of Dental Science studies.



Amanda Ciervo (left) and Amy D'Agata (right) with Chief Nursing Officer Ellen Leone at the Auxiliary's annual meeting and scholarship presentation.



Dr. Pawandeep Gill (center) with Auxiliary Facilitator Irene Engel and Dr. Art Hand, assistant dean for medical and graduate education.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Thursday and Friday, **Sept. 29 and 30**, we will have a two-day book sale outside the Gift Shop. There will be many interesting books, including cookbooks.
- Don't forget the Harvest Moon Party Friday, **Oct. 21**, at the Farmington Woods Clubhouse.
- And save Friday, **Dec. 2**, for our Holiday Bazaar and basket raffle.

YOUR SUPPORT IS IMPORTANT TO THE AUXILIARY

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

UPCOMING VENDORS

- 9/21 Designs by Diana: Munson Road Café 9:00-2:00
9/22 Jazz Mi Taz: Food Court Lobby 9:00-3:00
9/23 Heritage Housewarmings: Food Court Lobby 9:00-3:00
9/29-30 Asian Art of Peace: Food Court Lobby 9:00-3:00
- 10/3 Eileen Kaplan Cancer Book Signing: Food Court Lobby 10-2
10/4 Leather Bag Outlet: Food Court Lobby 9:00-3:00
10/5 Leather Bag Outlet: Munson Road Café 9:00-2:00
10/6 Costco: Food Court Lobby 9:00-3:00
10/13 Designs by Diana: Food Court Lobby 9:00-4:00
10/14 Proud Peacock: Food Court Lobby 9:00-3:00
10/20 Apple Lady: Food Court Lobby 9:00-2:00
10/21 Garden Grove: Food Court Lobby 9:00-3:00
10/25 Lillybelle Soaps: Food Court Lobby 9:00-3:00
10/27 Precious Cargo: Food Court Lobby 9:00-3:00
10/28 Patricia's Presents: Food Court Lobby 9:00-3:00
- 11/1 D's Jewelers: Food Court Lobby 9:00-3:00
11/2 Jones New York: Food Court 8:00-4:00
11/3/ Treasures of Turkey: Food Court Lobby 9:00-3:00
11/4 Eastern Cap: Food Court Lobby 9:00-3:00
11/10 Wire Design Originals: Food Court Lobby 9:00-3:00
11/10 Leslie's Jewelry: Munson Road Café 9:00-2:00
11/14 Crabtree & Evelyn: Food Court Lobby 9:00-3:00
11/15 Apple Lady: Food Court Lobby 9:00-2:00
11/17 Sparkle Jewelry: Food Court Lobby 9:00-3:00
11/18 City Girls: Food Court Lobby 9:00-3:00
11/21 Leslie's Jewelry: Food Court Lobby 9:00-3:00
11/29 Classy Crafts: Food Court Lobby 9:00-3:00

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