Proceeds to Provide New Equipment

Thanks to the generous supporters and donors of the North Baldwin Infirmary Gala, the North Baldwin Infirmary Foundation board members present Ormand Thompson, hospital administrator, a check for $200,000 benefiting the hospital’s new radiology suite located in the emergency department. Because the unit will be located in the emergency department, patient wait times and testing times will be shorter. This is just one of the latest additions to the state-of-the-art equipment that can be found at North Baldwin Infirmary, thanks to the hospital’s Foundation.

Comments from the Foundation President

This year, the North Baldwin Infirmary Foundation’s fundraising efforts will benefit the community, particularly through the development of the new radiology suite in the emergency room. This radiology suite will shorten the time and distance emergency room patients have to travel for X-ray services and results.

The Foundation also proudly awarded 12 scholarships to students that are pursuing a vocation in healthcare.

We would also like to thank the community for participating in the Annual Gala and Golf Tournament which will help us complete our mission for quality care at the North Baldwin Infirmary.

We hope this newsletter provides you an insight into the projects and initiatives that we have been working on and thank you for your continued support.

-Mary Elisabeth Duryea, President

Foundation Mission and Vision

The Foundation’s mission is to assist the hospital’s acquisition of new state-of-the-art medical equipment. The North Baldwin Foundation was established in 1979 for the purpose of:

- Recruiting of physicians to meet the medical needs of North Baldwin County
- Promoting a positive public image of the available healthcare services in North Baldwin County
- Providing educational healthcare programs for Baldwin County.

Looking Back at goals accomplished:

- Establishment of Oakwood Nursing Home
- Purchase of modular office space to be used for physician offices
- Recruitment and relocation of physicians
- Education programs throughout the hospital community including HIV, prostate and breast cancer, diabetes, wellness/fitness/prevention
- Babysitting classes
- Rape crisis program for Baldwin County
- CPR classes
- Equipment and financial commitment for hospital expansion
- United participant for children with United Way and Baldwin County Public Schools
2012 North Baldwin Infirmary Golf Tournament

Golfers experienced a wonderful event at the 2012 North Baldwin Infirmary Golf Tournament, held on Friday, November 2 at TimberCreek Golf Course. Proceeds from the tournament totalled more than $23,800.

The 2013 Annual Golf Tournament will be held Friday, November 1, at TimberCreek. Lunch is at 11 a.m. and tee-time begins at noon. For more information on golf fees, teams and sponsorships please contact Craig Helms, Sr. at 251-937-6954 or cchsr@aol.com.

Foundation Scholarships

North Baldwin Infirmary (NBI) Foundation, North Baldwin Healthcare Authority and the North Baldwin Infirmary Auxiliary awarded 12 scholarships to students residing in north Baldwin County and pursuing a higher education degree in healthcare. Each scholarship provides $1,000 in tuition assistance to the college of choice for the Fall semester of 2013.

Scholarship recipients and NBI representatives pictured left to right: Elizabeth Peebles; Robert Zarr, Chairman-Authority Board; Alyssa Hadley; Liz Duryea, Foundation Chairman; Cornesha Andrews, Samartha Sage, Auxiliary Chairman; Marlee Brannan; Dorothy White, NBI Guest Relations; Payton Rebecca Bryan; Don Robinson, Authority Board member; Talicia Hadley; Breanne Ducote; Ormand Thompson, NBI Administrator and Halee Jenkins. Pictured separately: Ashley Jones, Haley Jones; KayLeigh Gardner and Craig Caldwell.

Bricks/pavers Campaign:

Bricks and Pavers can be bought in memory or in honor of someone special. These living memories and honorariums are given for birthdays, anniversaries, family recognition, etc. They are placed in the hospital plaza of the hospital. Bricks can be purchased for $100 and pavers can be purchased for $50.

Ways to give:
The different ways to give are through the Evergreen Society, the purchase of bricks and pavers or a donation.

Operation FitKids

The Foundation provides funds and scholarships to North Baldwin Fitness Center’s Operation FitKids program. Through this initiative, children learn the importance of proper nutrition and regular physical exercise. For more information, contact Marsia Williams 937-9099.

Bricks and Pavers:

- Gulf Health Associates:
  - Mr. Ormand Thompson
  - Mr. Robison McClure
  - Mr. Mark Nix
  - Mr. Gene Miyamoto