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The Power of Flowers

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Since our volunteers often make the final impression on Boca Raton Regional Hospital patients, we want to ensure that impression is a positive one. Many Debbie-Rand Memorial Service League volunteers have been hard at work creating beautiful paper flowers for our patients. On November 24, members of the Volunteer Services team (Patient Discharge) began handing out these special flowers to patients during discharge. This is just another great way we can show our patients how much we care.

MEMBERS CORNER

MEMBERSHIP REPORT: OCTOBER 2014

General: 897

Life: 190

Honorary: 2

Total: 1,089

HOURS REPORT:

TEENAGE VOLUNTEERS (TAV):

865.74 hours

70 TAVs

ADULT VOLUNTEERS:

11,892.73 hours

494 volunteers

TOTAL:

12,758.47 hours

564 total volunteers

INTERESTED IN VOLUNTEERING?
CALL 561.955.4098

Welcome, New Volunteers

Els0 Barrera

Whitney Blanchat

Betty Brown

Joseph Brown

Lauren Grabelsky

Janet Grady

Debrah Klein

Jerry Kozierow

Ana Lima

Zia Smith

Sarah Suter

Catherine Vandebroeck

Eileen Weiner

November Volunteer of the Month



EILEEN CARLINS

Eileen Carlins has been a Debbie-Rand Memorial Service League volunteer since November 2007. She has logged over 4,600 hours; she is currently on the D-RMSL Board of Trustees as Assistant Treasurer and serves as secretary in the Volunteer Office on Thursday afternoons. She conducts monthly adult orientations and has co-chaired the Holiday Open House for several years.

Eileen and her husband, Herb, moved to Boca Raton from Long Island in 1998, after she retired from her Director of Sales position at Cablevision. They have a daughter and son living in Boca, a daughter in New York and six grandchildren.

Says Eileen: "Being with such a great Hospital, a wonderful staff and our outstanding volunteer organization gives me an immense feeling of pride in what I do."

D-RMSL and Boca Regional thank you, Eileen, for all you do. We are proud to have such a dedicated and hard-working volunteer. Your wonderful smile and great disposition are appreciated by all who meet you.

IN MEMORY OF:

Lois Mazie

Joseph Molinari



WE REMEMBER:

Kelly



Veterans Day Celebration — A Salute to Those Who Have Served



Boca Regional honored veterans of the U.S. Military during the Hospital's annual Veterans Day ceremony on November 11. Several community members and leaders — including the Honorable Susan Haynie, Mayor of Boca Raton — attended the ceremony, which recognized current Boca Regional employees and D-RMSL volunteers who have served.

52nd Anniversary Luncheon Full of Food, Fashion & Fun



The D-RMSL 52nd Anniversary Luncheon was a great success. The fun-filled afternoon featured a delicious lunch and an entertaining fashion show that sampled stylish clothes and accessories from the Thrift Shoppe and Gift Shop. The event concluded with a raffle for fabulous gifts and our annual grand-prize drawings. All told, D-RMSL donated \$256,000 to Boca Regional Foundation — completing our \$1 million pledge to the new Christine E. Lynn Women's Health & Wellness Institute — and raised \$1,000 for the Hospital through our Parking Space Raffle. Congratulations to Marilyn Greenberg, RN, IV Therapy, who won prime parking for a year!

Our Shining Stars

"Richard Larson is very hardworking, dedicated and loyal to his position. He goes above and beyond his duties without being told what to do."

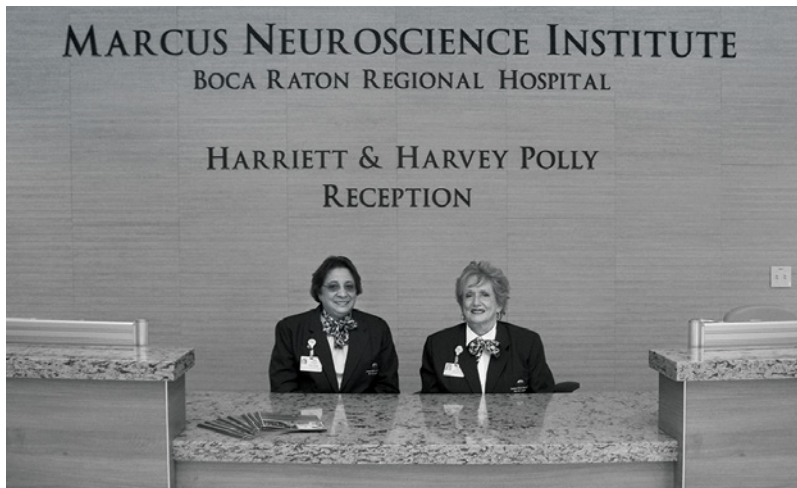
- Thrift Shoppe Employee

"Spending time with Harris the therapy dog brightened our day! It's easy to see why he is so therapeutic for our patients!"

- Marketing Department

Do you know of or have you witnessed a volunteer going above and beyond to help a patient? Or maybe someone who is simply deserving of recognition for displaying an exceptional level of volunteerism? If so, let us know and we will feature them in an upcoming issue.

D-RMSL Volunteers Provide Warm Welcome, Tours



The Marcus Neuroscience Institute recently opened at Boca Raton Regional Hospital and D-RMSL volunteers have already made a lasting impression. In addition to our volunteers welcoming patients and visitors daily in the main lobby, our Ambassadors led tours of the 56,000-square-foot facility during a special preview event for Boca Regional physicians, employees and volunteers on October 30.

A new nexus of neurological care in South Florida, the Institute was created out of a lead \$25 million grant from the Marcus Foundation and initiated by Billi and Bernie Marcus, former CEO of The Home Depot. The facility houses a 20-bed Neuro Intensive Care and Intermediate Intensive Care unit, as well as four dedicated operating rooms, one equipped with intraoperative MRI and two with intraoperative CT capabilities. State-of-the-art private patient rooms feature special monitoring equipment, and the Neuro Intensive Care Unit rooms each include an antechamber for families.



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.

November 25

Marcus Neuroscience Institute Treats Brain Aneurysm Case Employing Minimally Invasive Pipeline™ Procedure

November 20

Staff Member at Boca Raton Regional Hospital Saves Visitor with Heimlich Maneuver

November 19

Boca Raton Regional Hospital Establishes Center for Colo-Rectal Surgery

October 30

Boca Raton Regional Hospital Receives "A" Rating in Hospital Safety Score

DECEMBER

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DECEMBER 2014 Meetings & Events:

THRIFT SHOPPE MEETING
MONDAY, DECEMBER 8

HOLIDAY OPEN HOUSE
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 9

GIFT SHOP OPEN HOUSE
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 11

BOARD MEETING
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 17

Save the Date:

53rd Annual Hospital Ball
SATURDAY, JANUARY 17, 2015

D-RMSL Annual Meeting
THURSDAY, MAY 14, 2015

53rd Annual Hospital Ball

Benefiting the New Christine E. Lynn Women's
Health & Wellness Institute



One of the most-loved traditions in Boca Raton returns on Saturday, January 17, 2015. Boca Raton Regional Hospital's 53rd Annual Ball will be held at the Boca Raton Resort & Club from 6:30pm to 11:30pm.

A live performance by legendary group The Shirelles will start the evening as we celebrate the Year of the Woman at Boca Regional and honor Christine E. Lynn and the new Christine E. Lynn Women's Health & Wellness Institute, scheduled to open in summer 2015.

We will also recognize physicians who exemplify the very best in women's healthcare:

Karrie L. Bataskov, MD, Obstetrics/Gynecology

Joseph A. Colletta, MD, Breast Surgery

Louise E. Morrell, MD, Medical Director, Lynn Cancer Institute,
Medical Oncology

Jane E. Rudolph, MD, Obstetrics/Gynecology

Kathy Schilling, MD, Medical Director, Lynn Women's Health & Wellness
Institute, Radiology

Jane D. Skelton, MD, Hematology-Oncology

Geoffrey J. Zann, MD, Gynecology

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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 Ann Latos, who correctly answered last month's question: **"If an emergency occurs in the Hospital's main building, dial 5555. If an emergency occurs within one of the Hospital's other buildings, dial 9-911."** Please contact Aimee Yahn-Carmichael for your prize!

This month's trivia concerns *fire safety*: **What does the acronym P.A.S.S. stand for?** The first person to email Aimee at ayahn-carmichael@brrh.com with the correct answer will win a pair of Cinemark Platinum Supersaver movie tickets. Best of luck!



You'll Celebrate the Treasures You Find

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

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Thursday – Saturday: 9am – 4pm

Sunday: 12pm – 4pm

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