

Mission Statement

Our Mission is to bring light in a time of sorrow. To provide a bear as a reminder of your little angel and that you are not alone, but accompanied by the thoughts and prayers of everyone who has shared in this emotion.

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Exciting News!

This past quarter has been very busy for us at the Brianna Lee Foundation! What with putting together our first annual golf outing, adding two new hospitals to the Brianna Lee Foundation Family (more moms being loved and supported in their time of tragedy!) and with all the great folks we met this quarter. This addition of the newsletter will be dedicated to thanking some of the great folks that supported us and helped as well as recognizing some new friends.

First we are excited to welcome Mercy Health Muskegon and Mercy Health Cadillac to the Brianna Lee Foundation Family! We are so blest to have such great support from all of the hospitals we work with! The amazing compassion and love for their moms has been displayed at each hospital we have supplied the teddy bears too.

Second I want to share two notes we received. One came from Brenda Terburg-Fawley, Bereavement Coordinator at Bronson Health Care System in Kalamazoo. Brenda wrote "Thank you for the great work you are doing to support those families who are grieving and in need of comfort and cozy hugs!". The second note came from a mom who received one of our teddy bears after the stillbirth of her daughter. She thanked us for the gift of the teddy bear and the comfort that it brought her as it gave her something to hold.

These two notes show us that the Foundation and the gifts of the teddy bears that we supply to the hospitals, are helping the moms that experience a stillbirth. And NONE of this would be possible without your support. So the thank yous go to you for your continued support!

If you have not yet done so please like us on Facebook to see all that we are doing and to keep up with what is coming! Again, it is because of your support that we are growing and helping as many moms as we

are to date! Linda Miller

President Brianna Lee Foundation





A HUGE THANK YOU to Grand River Bank.

Grand River Bank supports the good works of non profit agencies in West Michigan through its Charitable Contributions program. As part of the program, bank employees select a favorite charity to benefit from their Casual Friday Charity day. Each Friday the employees can dress down and contribute to the months designated charity. The bank then matches the staff's contributions 100%.

Our foundation was the chosen charity for the month of April.

Thank you Grand River Bank for your donation and generous gift! Because of your support we will be touching and supporting more moms!

SAVE THE DATE ZUMBA FOR A CAUSE

Hosted by Dr Brian S. Nylaan D.D.S

When: JULY 8 at 7 pm

Location:

5011 Plainfield Avenue NE Grand Rapids, MI 49525

616.361.7317

Price: This class is open to the general public. Our office asks that attendees bring a donation to support The Brianna Lee Foundation.

Save the date

May 30, 2015
2nd annual golf outing and silent auction
The Meadows Golf Course
9:30 a.m. start!



Contact Information

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Like us on Facebook: Brianna Lee Foundation or Follow us on twitter:@BriannaLeeFound

A special thanks to the following great folks that donated this quarter.

Carl & Edith Klein in memory of Baby May

Leonard & Cynthia Dahlgren in memory of Baby May

James & Jane Bossad in memory of Baby May

Merrill & Linda Peck in memory of Baby May

Richard & Cynthia Watson in memory of Baby May

Brenda & Joseph May in memory of Baby May

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A Special Thank You to these great Businesses that Sponsored Our Golf Outing

Our Tournament Sponsor:

Palermo Pizza 7730 20th Ave Jenison, MI 49428 (616) 457-1202

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Thank You to these businesses for donating time and or materials:

Miss Joni's Photography (616) 633-4016 or <u>fosterjoni40@yahoo.com</u> Joni took all the pictures for the outing, if you have not had a change to view them they are on our Facebook Page. Thank you Joni.

OTG Logos Dave Thompson 2430 I Chicago Dr Hudsonville (616) 669-1928 Printed all the Sponsor Banners, T Shirts, and Golf Tees you saw around the course. Thank you Dave

Coca Cola Company Donated all the pop Thank you Dave Renkema.

Family Fare Donated all the bottled water for the outing Thank you Brandon Ramsey

Thank you to these great people and businesses that donated to our silent auction/door prizes: when you stop in one of these businesses mention the Brianna Lee Foundation golf outing and thank them for their donation Grandvilla Dungeon gift cards

On the Border gift cards

Brann's gift cards

Uccello's gift cards

Red Robin gift cards

The Meadows Golf Course 3 days 2 night stay at Marriott or Sheraton resort plus 2 for 1 airfare

Studio of 5: Lisa Larson three canvases

Sarah's Tiny Treasures: Heidi Johnson ornaments

Ruth Gifford Hair Stylist basket full of style products

Terry and Lisa Ernst golf balls and golf coupons to Maple Hill

Home Depot tool set

Jamie and Jennifer Wiersma Camping Basket

Dean Hop Camcorder

Jeff Miller Gary Harris Signed Poster and Basketball

Jennifer and Aaron Peterson Lia Sophia, 31insulated tote, Men's Golf Shirt, 2 dozen golf balls

Jane Secord hand made purses and mittens

Steve Letavish Oral B/Crest Products

Dr. Tyler Wolf: Georgetown Family and Cosmetic Dentistry Professional Whitening Systems

Missy Richmond Hair Stylist Cut and Color Attitudes Salon

Pac Mail gift card

Jenison Car Wash gift cards

River Ridge RV Resort one free week of Camping

Russ's gift card

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Julie Vandyke: Dr MA Stawiski Micro Derms or Chemical Peels

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Applebee's gift cards

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Buffalo Wild Wings gift card

Dr Antonucci Kentwood Dental Care Professional Whitening System

Shawna Osbun Tiger Tickets

Sam's Club Gift Card

Karen Patterson Mary Kay Sun Protection Basket

Mike Thomasma Pines Golf Coupons

A huge thank you to everyone who came out and golfed! You made the day great!

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Mackenzie Wiersma