



MFMC WISHLIST

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- Office Supplies
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- Physicians
- Nurses
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- Social Workers

QUARTER I STATISTICS

Total Patient Visits:
855

Total Volunteer Hours:
670.5

Dental Patients Served:
28

Potential Patients Screened:
123

From the Director's Desk...

Spring has sprung at the Matthews Free Medical Clinic! Spring is the season of hope and renewal, and we hope this year proves to be a better one for our patients----more jobs, enough food, less worry about mortgage payments and other bills, and improved health.

We just hosted our 6th Annual MFMC Golf Tournament at Rain-tree Country Club on 5/2/2011 and were blessed with a gorgeous, sunny day, 133 happy golfers, great food and contests. Please see inside this newsletter for all our wonderful sponsors, many of whom have been supporters of our tournament for 5 and 6 years. We are extremely grateful for everyone who was a part of the tournament--sponsors, golfers, volunteers, prize and product contributors. We really would not be able to continue our mission of providing healthcare to the uninsured without the proceeds from this tournament. Many thanks to all of you involved!

We would also like to extend a big THANK YOU to our two interns Marin Coleman and MaDonna Murphy (pictured right). Both MaDonna and Marin are students in UNCC's Masters of Healthcare Administration program. They have spent their semester helping with new patient eligibility, fundraisers, and grant writing. As a non-profit we

have a very small paid staff, and therefore must rely heavily on all of our dedicated volunteers to carry out our mission. Thanks again to MaDonna and Marin for spending their time with us.

We would also like to thank several of our community partners. Physicians Reach Out is a local non-profit that provides specialty care to our Mecklenburg County patients who are in need. PRO provides an amazing service to our community and we would not be able to do what we do without their help. In March, PRO began bringing staff members to MFMC to screen eligible patients for their program. This has been a huge benefit to our patients as many are dealing with transportation issues. Thank you, PRO!

We would also like to thank the Matthews Civitan Club who just held their 2nd Annual Sandy Feet 5k on April 30th. MFMC was the fortunate beneficiary of all proceeds raised at the 5k event. Thank you to Molly Hendry and

the Matthews Civitan Club for hosting the event. It's a great way to keep our community healthy!



Thank you to Mr. & Mrs. Tal Slaydon for purchasing a brand new AED machine for MFMC (pictured above). What a great surprise! We were thrilled! Thanks also to Tal for all of his hours spent laboring at the Clinic cutting shrubbery, changing light bulbs and helping with anything and everything!

In addition to a new AED machine we were also thrilled to receive two other pieces of medical equipment. St. Matthew Catholic Church recently purchased an automated blood pressure cuff and a lipid machine for MFMC. We are sure to get a lot of use out of both pieces of equipment!

Wishing you a healthy and happy spring!

Sincerely,

Amber Tracewell

Executive Director



6th Annual MFMC Golf Tournament, Huge Success!

THANK YOU TO OUR AUCTION & PRODUCT DONORS!!

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Shooting 15 under par, the foursome of Jason Harris, Matthew Kalajian, Robert Tullar and BJ Szafran won the 6th Annual Matthews Free Medical Clinic Golf Tournament on May 2nd at the Raintree Country Club.

A field of 133 golfers competed in a shotgun start in the popular captain's choice tournament organized by the MFMC Board of Directors.

Over 20 volunteers helped to make the event a huge success by registering golfers, selling

mulligan, skirt, and closest to the pin contest tickets, as well as serving as hole monitors and helping with the Silent Auction.

This year's tournament was a huge success raising over \$67,000 to provide free health care for the uninsured, low-income residents of Mecklenburg and Union Counties.

Many thanks to all of our sponsors who helped to make this event a success!

Pictured Right: James & Jamie Neely of RP Signs.



2011 Golf Tournament Images



Above Left: MFMC Board Chair Jerry McGuire & staff member Christy Story handle golf registrations. **Above Right:** First Place Team Robert Tullar, Matthew Kalajian, BJ Szafran, and Jason Harris pose with Executive Director Amber Tracewell & Medical Director Dr. Lou McAdams



Left: Tina Ross & Donna Kiser prepare to hand out donated lunches from Penny's Place



Below Left: MFMC board member, Teresa Starr, Pharmacist Jacky Olin, CMA Amy Nardelli & Nurse Manager Jamie Harrison get ready to take the course.

Thank You to our 2011 Tournament Sponsors!



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MFMC partners with Elevation Church for Love Week

Did You Know?
Mecklenburg County has an unemployment rate of 10%. With the loss of jobs comes the loss of health insurance.

Did You Know?
Over \$40,000 people in Mecklenburg County are uninsured and do not have access to medical care.

Thank you to Elevation Church for choosing MFMC as one of the partner organizations for Love Week. Love Week is a collaborative effort of 25 churches from all over Charlotte with the mission of reaching out into the community to impact the lives of those less fortunate.

Elevation Church and MFMC presented "Serve the Uninsured Day" on Saturday, March 5th. The outreach was a huge success as we served over 58 uninsured, low-income patients in our community.

Thank you to Presbyterian Healthcare for lending us their Community Care Cruiser for the event which gave us an additional 2 exam rooms to treat patients. Thank you to Presbyterian Hospital Matthews for providing all of volunteer meals for the day. And of course, thank you to all of the volunteers. We could not have done this without you!!

We would like to extend a special thank you to MFMC Medical Director, Dr. Lou Ann McAdams and Elevation pastor Josh Blackson for envisioning this great event. Thank you

also to all of the medical providers that day: Dr. McAdams, Drs. Brian & Rachel Hagler, Dr. Roy Blank, George Collins, PA, and Megan Smith, PA., and nurses Mary Danko, Jasmine Lara, Janice Rushin, Sheree Hundley, Connie Tricebock, and Elaine Yeargan. Thanks to the administrative volunteers: Stephanie Pitman, Susan Link, Ameer Cyrus, and Mary Query. Thanks also to MFMC nurse Jamie Harrison, Molly & Ellie McAdams, and Rebecca Turner.

This was a great event and we are excited about 2012 Love Week already!



Above: Medical volunteers George Collins, PA, Nurse Janice Rushin, and Dr. Lou Ann McAdams discuss a patient's chart.



Above: Presbyterian Hospital's Community Care Cruiser. Below Left: Husband & wife volunteers from Elevation check in patients.



*Hearts
and Hands
Together*



We are currently seeking donations for our H&H Live & Silent Auctions.

AUCTION ITEM WISHLIST

Vacation Packages:
weekend/week stay at a home or resort, cruise package, air fare, etc.

Dental Packages:
laser teeth whitening, braces, cosmetic dentistry, etc.

Lasik Eye Surgery

Spa Packages

Jewelry

Autographed Memorabilia

Art Work

Save the Date for the 3rd Annual Hearts & Hands Together Event!

The Board of Directors and Staff at MFMC are gearing up for our Annual Fall Fundraiser: *Hearts & Hands Together: A Night to Benefit the Matthews Free Medical Clinic*. Last year's event was a huge success raising over \$30,000 for the care of the uninsured patients of the clinic!

The dinner and live auction event drew more than 100 people together at Maggiano's Little Italy in South



Park. Headlining the event were local celebrities Larry

Sprinkle of News Channel 36 who served as the Master of Ceremonies, and Terri Bennett of

www.doyourpart.com handling the fundraising activities. Both are pictured to the left with MFMC Board Chair Jerry McGuire.

Plans are underway for the 2011 Hearts & Hands event to be held **Saturday, November 5, 2011** in a spacious private room at Maggiano's of South Park.

2011 H&H Sponsorship Opportunities:

TITLE SPONSOR—\$5,000

Company name & logo featured on event signage and in the program

Company name & logo featured on event advertisement

Eight admissions to the event (one table)

Opportunity to address the participants at the event

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Company name & logo featured on event signage and in the program

Company name & logo featured on event advertisement

Four admissions to the event

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Company name and logo featured on event signage and in the program

Two admissions to the event

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