



Haven House

Helping Lansing Area Families Help Themselves

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Angie Mayeaux

FROM THE DIRECTOR

We are able to assist struggling families because YOU step forward so readily

The shelter has been busy with children and parents scurrying around. We have already had 193 children come through our shelter since October!! We are well on our way to breaking records this year, as we did last year.

Families are struggling more than ever. The number of families entering shelter with no income has doubled, leaving them few options. Finding employment has become increasingly harder, even for part-time employment. But our staff and families are working through the barriers, and we are still able to move families into housing.

We have been lucky, to say the least, for the support we receive from our community. More people are hearing of the struggles of families and have stepped up to serve. We have been able to

increase our volunteer base, which provides much assistance at the shelter to our staff and residents. We have had more groups choose Haven House as their "charity of choice" for the year. They have provided cash donations, personal care items, cleaning supplies, holiday baskets, food, over-the-counter medications, diapers and so much more. We have had local businesses get involved by partnering with us for our cookbook sales, Have-a-Heart for the Homeless Campaign, and donating money and other needed items. Without the support of our community, we would not be able to provide the myriad of services to our families that we do, and so we thank YOU for doing your part in the community by supporting a local organization that supports local families.

—Angela Mayeaux, Executive Director

Food drives bring in much-needed assistance

Haven House is grateful to the organizations and individuals that have participated in several recent food drives.

- From March 20, 2011, through May 14, the **Meijer "Simply Give Food Pantry Campaign"** raised money for the benefit of almost 200 local food pantries, including Haven House. The Meijer family matched customer donations up to \$100,000.
- On May 14, 2011, the one-day **Letter Carrier's Food Drive** accumulated 118,313 pounds of food. The food was sorted and delivered to 200 local food pantries, including Haven House.
- Each May, the **East Lansing Department of Public Works** employees collect food from East Lansing residents for the food pantry. This is always a great filler for us and provides variety to our food orders. We thank all the employees and residents for their participation.

During the summer months when child residents are no longer in school, Haven House has an increased need for food donations. Please consider hosting a food drive to benefit Haven House with your neighborhood, group or church!

Our Mission: Haven House provides emergency housing and support services for single-parent and two-parent families with children.

The shelter helps families who are homeless prepare for permanent housing by developing and promoting self-sufficiency, stability and financial responsibility.

Have-a-Heart for the Homeless Campaign

The annual **Have-A-Heart for the Homeless Campaign** to increase public awareness of Haven House and the issue of family homelessness and raise much needed funds ran from February 1, 2011 through February 28th. We were delighted to have the continuing support of MSU Women's Basketball and Coach Suzie Merchant as our Honorary Co-Chair again this year.

Have-A-Heart for the Homeless enlists businesses to sell paper hearts to their customers for a \$1 donation. The donor may sign the heart and have it hung in the store. This year, we reached our fundraising goal of \$15,000. We appreciate our dedicated donor base and the wonderful community we live in that helped us to reach our goal!!

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***MESSA and Great Lakes Capital Fund put us over the top!!**

MESSA employees competed by floor, and towards the end, the competition got HOT. **Great Lakes Capital Fund** challenged each, their board of directors and their partners. Because of their competitive nature and belief in raising much needed funds for homeless families, Great Lakes Capital Fund raised \$4,985, and MESSA raised \$2,103!!!!

Retail business owners can call Haven House to be involved. All you need to do is ask your customers if they would like to purchase a Heart for the Homeless. If you work in a large office, you could do a "casual dress" day and have coworkers purchase a Heart to dress "down." It's that easy!

We provide the hearts and canisters to collect the money, and at the end of the campaign, we pick it all up for you. As a business, we will advertise your support for homeless families through press releases, public service announcements, our newsletter and website. We can even include your logo!

Show the world you "HAVE A HEART FOR THE HOMELESS." Become an active sponsor for the 2012 Campaign!

For more information, contact Angie Mayeaux by email at amayeaux@havenhouseEL.org or phone 517-337-2731.

***A special thank you to BIGGBY COFFEE!**

Twenty area **BIGGBY COFFEE** stores recently sponsored an eight-day **Have-a-Heart for the Homeless** fundraising campaign for Haven House. Between Saturday, April 30, and Sunday, May 8, **BIGGBY COFFEE** customers raised funds to help Haven House continue to provide emergency housing and support services for local one- and two-parent homeless families with children.

Haven House thanks **BIGGBY COFFEE** for their support!



Adopt-A-Child for Back to School 2011

Every fall, Haven House has a program to provide new school clothes and supplies for the children who have lived at Haven House during the prior year. You may have happy memories and photographs of children in your family smiling and excited for school to begin and proud of their new outfits and school paraphernalia. You can help provide happy memories for the children who have lived at Haven House this past year. Their families have very limited incomes. By the time housing, food and utility costs are paid, there is little left for extras like new school clothes. The Adopt-A-Child for Back to School 2011 program matches current and former resident children with sponsors. The sponsors purchase a new school outfit and school supplies for the children. For more information or if you are interested in adopting a child, please contact Trysta at 517-337-2731.

Police Department & Harper's Give Residents a Merry Christmas

In December, the East Lansing Police Department donated gifts and hosted a Christmas party for all of the residents that were then residing at Haven House, while Harper's provided a delicious Christmas meal. This was a rare treat for our residents, and Haven House appreciates the East Lansing Police Department and Harper's for their generosity. Thank you for allowing our residents to have a Merry Christmas!



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Haven House receives \$7,000 donation from women's charity

Haven House was delighted to be the recipient of a \$7,000 grant from the **One Hundred Women Who Care** organization. This group of women meets quarterly. Each member has promised to donate \$100 at the meeting. Every member may nominate a local organization for consideration. From the nominations, three organizations are randomly chosen to have a five-minute presentation done by the nominating member. The women then vote, and the organization with the most votes receives the donations from the meeting. Haven House was the very lucky recipient this quarter and wishes to thank One Hundred Women Who Care a hundred times.

100+
Women
WhoCare



Youth contribute, too

Area youth stepped forward to help Haven House families. Local **High School** groups donated a variety of goods and foods. **Girl Scouts** made blankets, and a **church group** made warm hats and scarves.

Individual youth contributed in special ways, too. A **young lady** raised \$50 to purchase mixing bowls, measuring cups and other baking tools for the families. **Shane Howell**, a high school senior, donated cash from his earnings. **Abby Sokolnicki**, a 7th grade student, hosted a holiday party to raise \$600 to sponsor a family's stay at Haven House for a month. **Red Cedar Elementary School** saw the need to help and chose Haven House as their charity of choice. **Hiawatha Elementary School** participated in the HAVE-A-HEART campaign, and the **PTA** held a book sale with proceeds to benefit Haven House.

These young people understand the value of giving. Haven House applauds them for their community service and thanks them for helping families in difficult times.

HAVEN HOUSE HIGHLIGHT

Welcome newest staff members

Haven House has welcomed many new staff members over the past few months. In November, **Leon Coleman**, recently retired from the Department of Human Services, joined the staff as a Shelter Coordinator. **Nicole Solka**, a Business Administration graduate of Ferris State University, joined the staff in March as the new Office Manager. **Teresa Schutte** is a new Shelter Coordinator, having joined the staff in April. Teresa is a current Ashford University student pursuing a degree in Criminal Justice. In May, Haven House welcomed two new Overnight Managers: **Jealisha Calvert** is an MSU student currently pursuing a degree in Criminal Justice and Sociology; **Aireona Davis** is a current MSU student working toward her psychology degree.

Looking for a speaker?

Angie Mayeaux, Executive Director of Haven House, would love to meet with you. Contact her at 517-337-2731 or amayeaux@havenhouseEL.org.



Kroger Plus Cards

Do you have a Kroger Rewards card? If so, you can help Haven House by registering your card online at www.krogercommunityrewards.com or by calling 1-877-745-7444. Haven House will receive money for your Kroger purchases! Your purchases will begin to benefit Haven House within 7-10 days after you register.

Current needs...

- Box fans
- Simple Green cleaner
- Trash bags, all sizes
- Copy paper
- Canon toner GP-6
- Printer ink cartridge HP 53X
- Mops and brooms
- Diapers—sizes 2, 4, & 6
- Can openers
- Silverware
- Correction tape



We are grateful to Haven House's Circle of Friends...

who provide the funds so we can offer housing and services to homeless families. Below are the names of supporters whose donations were received between September 1, 2010 through February 28, 2011. Donations received after this date will be listed in the next newsletter. We make every effort to include all donors. If we have omitted your name, please accept our apologies and give us a call so we can list your name in the next newsletter.

Thanks also to all of you who have donated children's clothing, household supplies, food and other needs. We wish we had the space to list every one of you. We appreciate your help.

Thomas and Denise Waytes	Betsy Prince	Cherise Lundy	David and Ruth Greenbaum	Dr. and David Anderson
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Thank you, Riverwalk Theater!

Haven House is thankful to **Riverwalk Theater** for "adopting" us and raising \$1,149 during their performance of the play *Hairspray*. Information tables were placed in the lobby, and they sold hearts and cookbooks for the benefit of Haven House. We thank Riverwalk Theater for their support!

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