



CELEBRATING 180 YEARS

WORDS FROM CEO PAULA GARNER

We were delighted to celebrate our 180th anniversary with an Open House on February 6th. Held on our Lambeth Campus, guests were able to tour the grounds, participate in art activities with our youth, look through historical displays, and listen to stories from our many decades of service to this community. We were especially pleased to welcome several Good Shepherd Sisters who helped us look back on the last 180 years and look forward to the next 180!

Thank you to ALL of you who make this vital work possible. Whether near or far, you are forever woven into the good we accomplish.



CONTEST WINNER

One of our amazing youth won a national Cake4Kids art contest with this beautiful sunflower. Her prize included two merchandise items and a baked cake - all featuring her artwork!

THANK YOU!

AMAZING HOLIDAY SEASON



Again this year, we were overwhelmed by the generosity of those who responded to our holiday appeal, provided gifts for our children, and helped with gift wrapping and celebration dinners.



BOWLING FOR HOPE

This year's Bowling for Hope event (our 6th annual) raised more than \$18,000. A huge thank you to all the bowlers, sponsors, and the event organizer Civil Design, Inc.





EXPANDING RENEWAL PARTNERSHIPS

MARYHURST'S RENEWAL PROGRAM SPREADS ITS IMPACT AGAIN

Much of Maryhurst's 180 years has been defined by our residential programs, but through our Renewal Counseling Services we now have a presence in numerous community sites, partnering with various agencies to maximize impact.

Through an expanded partnership with Goodwill Industries of Kentucky, Renewal will be offering mental health services to individuals in the ASPIRE program. ASPIRE participants are transitioning from incarceration to self-sufficiency and receive skills training, mentoring, career coaching, and job placement assistance. Renewal staff will specifically provide mental health support to ASPIRE participants and also provide trauma-informed training and support to the Goodwill personnel coordinating the program.

MAKING AN IMPACT

SUPPORTING OUR WORK IN MEANINGFUL WAYS

Don and Joyce Wojtowicz (pictured below on a family vacation) have not lived in Louisville for years, but back in 1986, Don was introduced to Maryhurst through his job at UPS. He still remembers when his work group sponsored a trip to the zoo for the Maryhurst youth. As a special treat, each teen was able to ride an elephant or a camel. At the end of the day, one of the girls thanked Don and told him it had been one of the happiest days of her life. Now retired and living in Florida, Don and Joyce continue to support our vital work because he remembers seeing that our staff "cared deeply about the future of the girls under their care." Don and Joyce have also made sure their children and grandchildren know how important it is to be generous.

Please contact David Short (Director of Impact Giving; 502.271.4584 or dshort@maryhurst.org) if you'd like to talk about ways in which you can support Maryhurst now and into the future. A planned gift in your estate can ensure that Maryhurst will be able to help youth and families for another 180 years! Visit maryhurst.org/planned-giving or

use the QR code below to see some of your giving options.



FYI - If you don't have a will, we encourage you to make this a priority so your loved ones will be taken care of and you can continue to support the causes important to you now. FreeWill.com may be a good option for you.

VOLUNTEERING

ANOTHER CHANCE TO PITCH IN



Garden Group (Lambeth Campus):

Apr - Oct; Mondays 3:30p - 6p

Career Fair (Lambeth Campus):

April 26; companies can set up a table and explain their work to our students.

Current Donation Drive Needs:

Easter Baskets & Summer Activities

Contact Shelby Allen (502.909.4690 or sallen@maryhurst.org) for all volunteer inquiries.



TOUR THE CAMPUS

Help us introduce our work to others. Every other month we offer a one-hour program overview and campus tour.

Use this QR code or go to maryhurst.org/take-action/meet-maryhurst to sign up!



[All the QR codes in this newsletter can be scanned with the camera on a smartphone.]



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