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WINTER 2007 LITTLE BITS OF NEWS THAT GO GREAT TOGETHER



Harvest: Another Great Success!

Fine wine, incredible food and generous individuals came together to celebrate this year's Harvest 2007, presented by Veolia Water and brought to you by Ivy Tech Community College, which raised over \$67,000 to support the programs of Second Helpings.

Second Helpings extends its gratitude to the sponsors, chefs, volunteers, and attendees who have helped make Harvest a premier fundraising event for Central Indiana. We would also like to thank this year's newly formed Harvest committee, whose dedication of time and expertise helped to make this year's Harvest the most successful to date!

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Thank you to the chefs and the following restaurants:

Adobo Grill - Chef Freddy Sanchez
The Artid's Vineyard - Chef Polly McCordle
Café Nora - Chef Jim Nethercott
O'Vine, a wine bar - Chef Travis Briggs
Edible Arrangement
Elements - Chef Greg Hardesty
Fleming's Prime Steakhouse - Chef Kevin Wemlinger
Ivy Tech Culinary School - Chef Jeff Bricker
Just 'Cause Catering
Lulu's Restaurant - Chef Ben Dean
McCormick & Schmick's - Chef Bruce Starr
Melting Pot
R Bistro - Chef Regina Mehalick
Second Helpings - Chef Carl Conway
Taste Café & Marketplace - Chef Deirdra Henry

VOLUNTEERS OF THE MONTH

August: Jack Bragg

Since 2004, Jack has volunteered over 400 hours as a regular Wednesday crew member at Second Helpings! Before retiring, Jack worked for AT&T/SBC and Taylored Systems in Noblesville. Besides volunteering, Jack and his lovely wife Diane find time to spend with their four children and five grandchildren – all under the age of four! In addition, Jack is a member of the choir and Diane the orchestra at St. Luke's United Methodist Church. Jack also participates in the Stephen Ministry Program at St. Luke's. *Thanks for all you do Jack!*

September: John Zimmerman
John's been volunteering for almost a year now, and he's really packing in the hours. He's here every Monday and Thursday and has already contributed over 200 hours! John, a retired pathologist from Eli Lilly & Company, is also a farmer on his family farm. He enjoys traveling, woodworking, and spending time with his wife and two daughters. *Thank you John!*

October: Craig Salhoff
Craig's been working in the kitchen for a year. He has clocked in over 200 hours and you can find him at Second Helpings almost every Friday morning! Craig is a retired scientist from Eli Lilly & Company. When Craig isn't volunteering at Second Helpings, he likes to read, ride his bike, and spend time with his wife and two daughters. *Thank you Craig!*

Message from the CEO

Cindy Hubert

Season's Greetings!

It has been an extraordinary first four months of my employment with Second Helpings! The staff, volunteers and board have been very welcoming and have helped make my transition into this great organization very easy. I am awed every day with the level of enthusiasm, dedication, professionalism, and competency of the staff of Second Helpings. We have a wonderful story to tell and a tremendous team to ensure that we deliver on the promise we have made to those we serve.

We closed the 2006-2007 fiscal year debt free (THANKS again to all those who supported the Burn the Mortgage Campaign). And since our inception in 1998, we surpassed the nine million pound mark of food rescued and we prepared and delivered an astonishing 3.3 million meals – Unbelievable!

I am very honored and privileged to lead Second Helpings and I look forward to a wonderful journey ahead as we begin our 10th year of serving Greater Indianapolis's most needy. Thank you to each of you for being a part of Second Helpings.

Congratulations Class 46



Congratulations to Seth Bastin, Willie Fifer, Patricia Gibbs, Dawn Coffman, Jennifer Heck, Marianna Saul, Donna Scrim, Xenia Holt, Darlene Lacey, and Yvette Simmons.

Tonic Ball and Tonic Gallery:

IT'S A Hit!



Tonic Ball and Tonic Gallery proved to be another big hit! The combined events grossed over \$40,000 for Second Helpings. With the help of the sponsors, bands, artists, volunteers, and attendees, Tonic Ball and Tonic Gallery rocked on!

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Bands:

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Benders
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Buckdancer's Choice
Chad Mills
CW and the Working Class Trio
Dark House Sweet
Everthus the Deadbeats
Everything Now!
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Jason Hathaway
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Jennie Devore
Jon Strahl
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Mandy Marie and the
Cool Hand Lukes
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Artists:

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Paul Baumgarten
Katie Burk

John Clark
Susan Conaway
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Limited NAP tax credits still available

Earlier this year, Second Helpings was awarded state tax credits through the Neighborhood Assistant Program (NAP), where contributors receive tax credits allowing them to take 50% of their donation off their Indiana tax bill. Second Helpings has a limited amount of NAP tax credits still available for gifts of \$500 or more. To make your donation and receive your tax credit, please contact Jennifer Arnold at (317) 632-2664 extension 12 or jennifer@secondhelpings.org.

Second Helpings Honored

Indianapolis-area companies dominated the lists of winners on October 18th, when the Indiana University Kelley School of Business handed out its third annual Indiana Entrepreneurial Award of Distinction. Second Helpings was honored with the award in the social enterprise category, along with the Cornea Research Foundation and the People's Burn Foundation. The Johnson Center for Entrepreneurship hosted the event at the Indiana Roof Ballroom, where 46 finalists vied for recognition. To be eligible for the awards, companies had to meet the following criteria: to have been founded by the 2004 fiscal year; be a public or private corporation with a proprietorship or partnership located in Indiana; and have revenues of more than \$1 million. Congratulations to Second Helpings for being recognized as a not-for-profit with a social mission and entrepreneurial attributes.

We Couldn't Do It Without You!

Big thanks go to **Bluffton Distributors** and **Target Warehouse**. In October, Bluffton donated 26,000 pounds of food and Target donated 13,000 pounds.

Another thank you goes to **US Foods** and **Sysco**: we were running low on protein and vegetables, and they came to our rescue! *Thank you!*

A D'Vine Solution to Hunger

For a third year in a row, **D'vine, a wine bar** held their annual fundraiser, "A D'vine Solution to Hunger," benefiting Second Helpings. On September 29, a few hundred friends of D'vine and Second Helpings sampled a variety of foods, wines, and libations, and placed bids on a variety of silent auction items. Overall, the event raised over \$6,000 to benefit Second Helpings! Thank you to our friends at D'vine: Chef Travis, Stephanie, Bennett, Tony and Deb, and Second Helpings' volunteers, for making this a truly "divine" event.

Facelift for Second Helpings!

In November, the Eugene and Marilyn Glick Center, home to Second Helpings, received a much needed facelift! The old fascia was in desperate need of repair and, through the generous donation of labor and materials, was removed and replaced with a brand new fascia! A big thank you goes out to the following companies for their in-kind donations, time, and effort.

- **Harmon Steel, Inc.**
Labor to install the metal siding
- **Primavera Panel Company**
Fascia material
- **Staub Sheet Metal**
Labor to fabricate the trim pieces
- **MacAllister Equipment**
Rental of the scissor lift to install the pieces

Who WE help

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OUR WISH LIST

Building

- Water softener salt
- Electrician
- Interior painting
- Asphalt repair in parking lot
- Automatic garage door system
- Carts

Kitchen

- Spices – dried rosemary, powder cumin, chili powder, thyme leaves, ground basil, and ground black pepper
- Pasta – macaroni and spaghetti noodles
- 2" Hotel pans, full-size
- Digital thermometers
- Vinyl exam gloves – powder and latex free, sizes: medium, large, and extra large.
- Heavy-duty trash bags, 56-gallon
- Plastic and foil wrap: 18" wide, heavy-weight
- Hairnets
- Plastic grocery bags to use for bread and desserts
- Heavy-duty brooms
- Heavy-duty mops
- Stainless steel scrubbers
- Bleach
- Pain relieving spray for minor burns and cuts
- Can openers
- Heavy-duty oven mitts
- Scotch tape – 1/2" wide
- Black, heavy-duty, permanent markers

- 16-inch Waring Stick immersion blender with nine speed levels
- 40-gallon tilt skillet
- 10-inch chef's knives
- Speed racks

Transportation

- 27" x 37" foodservice storage bags
- (4) Digital food thermometers 0°-220°F range
- Cargo van with refrigeration unit
- (8) pairs of leather work gloves
- New truck tires for three vans
- Car washes

Training Class

- 1-ounce scale
- Bread baskets
- Dinner forks
- Chef's jackets with the Second Helpings logo, printed t-shirts and hats
- Bread and cake pans
- 4 qt. stainless steel sauce pans
- Cheese cloth
- 4" half pans
- 4" third pans
- Food warmer/holding cart
- Omelet pans
- (2) speed racks (with doors)
- (2) speed racks (without doors)

Office Supplies

- Photo enlargement and laminating machine
- White copy paper

Dick Bender awarded the Mayor's Community Service Award



The Mayor's Community Service Awards were created to recognize Indianapolis citizens for their volunteer contributions and commitments to community service. Volunteers from all areas of Indianapolis and Marion County were recognized and no one

deserved this award more than long time Second Helpings volunteer Dick Bender, who was recognized for his commitment to the City of Indianapolis and Second Helpings. Dick is a regular in the Second Helpings kitchen, where he is known for his creativity and kindness. Dick, who is also involved in many other organizations, including Habitat for Humanity and Southport United Methodist Church, was honored by Mayor Bart Peterson at the October 15th ceremony. *Thank you Dick, for your dedication to those in need!*



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