

Auxiliary

The Auxiliary of NorthShore University HealthSystem

Winter 2017

update

Annual Fall Meeting

Welcome to the 2016-2017 Auxiliary Year! At the Annual Meeting held on October 12th at the Glen View Club, Debbie Hulick accepted the gavel from outgoing Auxiliary President Marge Gambow. Marge reflected on the past year and thanked the Board of Directors for their passion and dedication. We made many big changes this year including ending our Soirée/Gala/Ball event, streamlining Membership levels and welcoming in members from the former Auxiliary at Highland Park Hospital. Debbie thanked Marge for a wonderful year and superb example of leadership while expressing her excitement for the coming year as your President.



**Debbie Hulick, 2016-2017
Auxiliary President**



Summer Soirée Co-Chairs, Buggie O'Grady & Nancy Semerdjian presented a check to Dr. Jason Koh for his Orthopaedic Regenerative Medicine Research alongside NorthShore University HealthSystem President and CEO Mark R. Neaman during The Auxiliary's Annual Fall Meeting at the Glen View Club. The program also included a presentation on the latest plastic and reconstructive surgery techniques from Mark Sisco, MD.

Diapers in December

Staff members of the Perinatal Family Support Center at NorthShore Evanston Hospital attended The Auxiliary's December Board meeting to accept the diapers collected through the annual Diapers in December campaign. This year The Auxiliary collected more than 4,500 diapers! The Perinatal Family Support Center provides a wide array of services to women and their families who experience challenges related to pregnancy, birth, prematurity and perinatal loss. The Center serves over 1,800 families annually and all services are provided free of charge.

Left to Right: Janet Winslow, Supervisor, Perinatal Family Support Center, Tracy Rzewnicki, Administrative Assistant, Christen Scozzafave and Nancy Goldin, Perinatal Family Support Specialists, Debbie Hulick, Auxiliary President, Solveig Roverud and Maryanne Kennedy, Perinatal Family Support Specialists.



32nd Annual American Craft Exposition

2016 marked another successful year for The Auxiliary's signature event, the American Craft Exposition (ACE). The Chicago Botanic Garden set the stage for a beautiful show which welcomed over 7,500 guests throughout the weekend and raised over \$185,000 for Dr. Karen Kaul's innovative pharmacogenomics research at the NorthShore Center for Personalized Medicine. Thank you to ACE 2016 Co-Chairs Debbie Kerr and Dana Turban, the ACE Committee and show volunteers for their hard work and dedication.

ACE 2017 Co-Chairs Melissa David and Laura Koh are already in the midst of preparations for the next ACE Show which will be September 15-17, 2017. Mark your calendars now!



Dr. Karen Kaul presented the 2016 Founders' Award to James Borden.



2016 ACE Co-Chairs Debbie Kerr & Dana Turban presented the 2016 Best of Show Award to Roberta & David Williamson.



Susan White, 2016 Show Director Chair, presented Danielle Gori-Montanelli with the 2016 Show Directors' Award.



Auxiliary Board members Annmarie Trapp, Madonna Tideman and Susan Nystuen attended the ACE Preview Party at the Chicago Botanic Garden.



2016 ACE Co-Chair, Debbie Kerr with 2016 funding recipient, Dr. Karen Kaul, 2016 Auxiliary President, Marge Gambow and ACE Co-Chair, Dana Turban.

Save The Dates

Auxiliary Spring Meeting May 10, 2017

9:00 am – 12:00 pm
North Shore Country Club
1340 Glenview Rd
Glenview, IL

2017 ACE Preview Party Thursday, September 14

6:00 pm – 9:00 pm

33rd Annual American Craft Exposition September 15-17, 2017

Friday 10:00 am – 6:00 pm
Saturday 10:00 am – 6:00 pm
Sunday 10:00 am – 5:00 pm
Chicago Botanic Garden
Glencoe, IL

Proceeds from 2017 American Craft Exposition will support two important research initiatives at NorthShore:

Orthopaedic Regenerative Medicine Research at the NorthShore Orthopaedic Institute

Research on new materials and growth factors for cartilage, ligament and bone will enable physicians to better treat musculoskeletal injuries. Further development of these techniques will harness the body's own healing potential.

Pharmacogenomics Research at the NorthShore Center for Personalized Medicine

Research to analyze and predict how patients react to medications based on individual genetic variants allows for customized medical treatment, ensuring that patients receive the right drug in the right dose at the right time.

For more information on any of these activities, please contact The Auxiliary Office at (224) 364-7270 or email auxiliary@northshore.org

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