



Kindervelt News

"HAVING FUN WHILE RAISING FUNDS"

**Cincinnati Children's Heart Institute/Kindervelt
Neurodevelopmental and Educational Clinic**

From the President

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\$502,000!!! I was shocked and thrilled when the numbers were turned at the Annual Dinner. You should all be very proud of our contribution to The Heart Institute Kindervelt Neurodevelopmental and Educational Clinic. This is the culmination of everyone's hard work – in whatever way you were able to contribute. Everyone, please pat yourself on the back, for you all deserve to celebrate the hard work that you have all done the past year.

A big thank you to Diana Scrimizzi for arranging a wonderful "Heart Deco" evening filled with a fun costume contest, jazzy music, delicious food, and a relaxing atmosphere to spend time with Kindervelt friends. Congratulations to Sherry Weckenbrock, the recipient of the Barbara Fitch award. You are so deserving of this award!! You are always there, ready to fill any job that needs doing. You truly exemplify the true Kindervelt Spirit.

I want to take this opportunity to thank the 2014-2015 Board for their dedication and hard work. They fulfilled their jobs and went above and beyond. I have enjoyed being a part of this dedicated and fun group of ladies. No thank you would be complete without thanking the groups. You are the backbone of this organization and though I usually only saw your presidents with regularity, I realize that it takes more than a president to make the group function smoothly. I came away from every President's Council with good feelings – the enthusiasm and commitment of your presidents is contagious. To those taking on new offices for the 2015-2016 year, I welcome you. I appreciate your willingness to make room for Kindervelt in your busy lives.

We are wrapping up one year and starting another cycle, but I know that Kindervelt volunteers never stop!

Most groups take a breather in the summer but there are also groups that have major fundraisers in the summer and still more groups who use the summer to plan for their fall fundraisers. Please take time this summer for yourselves and your families. This always renews our spirit – for each of you are vital members of our wonderful organization and you are what makes it thrive. Thanks for all that you do!! Have a safe and happy summer.

Linda Lunceford
City President



Feeling gratitude and not expressing it is like wrapping a present and not giving it.

~William Arthur Ward

Newsletter Deadlines

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News From the Heart Institute

CINCINNATI - If doctors say your newborn baby needs complicated heart surgery, you'll likely be flooded with emotions and questions.

Now, to assist surgeons and to help parents understand what is happening, doctors at Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center are using advanced imaging technology to create three-dimensional models of their little patients' hearts.

"Our families have loved having the ability to see what their kids' hearts and what their babies' hearts look like," said Dr. [Ryan Moore](#), "especially during the process when the surgeon is talking to them about the procedure, because it really helps them to understand exactly what we're going to do."

Moore is an pediatric cardiology [fellow](#) at the [Heart Institute](#) at Cincinnati Children's. With a team of specialists, he creates 3-D heart models for patients ranging in age from newborn to adult. "The 3-D model should be an exact representation of the imaging data that we get," said Moore.

In addition to helping doctors communicate with families, Moore said the heart model serves as an important tool to help cardiologists prepare for complex surgeries that call for meticulous attention to detail. "You can hold it, and it allows our surgeons to kind of get a good understanding in every view possible about what the patient's heart looks like."

Children's-UC joint effort

To create 3-D heart models, Children's collaborates with the University of Cincinnati [College of Engineering and Applied Science](#).

First, Children's doctors perform either a cardiac CT (computed tomography) or MRI (magnetic resonance imaging) scan on the patient's heart. "That imaging information is then transferred into a computer software, where we build the model as a virtual model, and then from there the virtual model is sent to the printer," said Moore.

A special printer at UC's College of Engineering and Applied Science builds the model, laying down the material, layer by layer. It's a technique called 3-D printing.

"[Three-dimensional] printing is actually a technology that is very similar to a desktop printer that prints out with ink on a paper, but, instead of using ink, it's using plastic. It's building, layer by layer, the model," explained Moore. "And as the plastic is built, there is UV light that cures it and makes it into this hard material."

Prepping for surgery

To help doctors prepare for complex surgery, the models can be created with a clear, plastic material that mimics the feel of actual heart tissue. "We can make a model that's a little softer and flexible, and we can actually put catheters in it and plan surgeries off of it," said Moore.

Doctors can even cut into the heart model and see through the various structures, highlighting defects and issues that they might encounter during surgery.

Pitter Patter of Little Hearts . . .

Using a 3-D heart model, doctors can see anomalies including:

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- Internal and external heart defects.
- Twisted vessels.
- Blood clots.
- Narrowings.
- Tumors.

The technology doesn't apply just to children. Last month, Children's Hospital specialists used a 3-D heart replica to plan a complex surgery for a 31-year-old Anderson Township man.

Damon Mallot was first treated for heart problems at Children's as a newborn. Recently, he developed heart rhythm abnormalities and blood clots. Doctors performed a rare surgery to treat Mallot, and they say it went well.

"Because of the complexity of Damon's heart,... it was really good to have the actual model to practice on it and see what actually needs to be done," said Dr. Gruschen Veldtman, Mallot's cardiologist.

The specialists at Cincinnati Children's have created more than 20 3-D heart models during the last two and a half years. They will study the impact of the replicas on patient care.

"I think, in the future, we'll be able to see that this will improve outcomes and improve efficiency, and improve how long it takes for an operation to occur, but in the short term the things we've seen – we're just better about communicating," said Moore.

Meanwhile, worried parents appreciate the extra level of understanding a 3-D heart replica offers. "A lot of our families have been really emotional with this," Moore said, "and actually really enjoy the opportunity again to be able to hold their baby's heart in their hand."

Calendar

June - July

Project Codes: OTP - Open to Public, MG - Members & Guests, MGS - Members, Guests, Spouses, MO - Members Only

Date	KV Group	Project	Contact	E-Mail	Code
6/7/2015	54 Mariemont	Mariemont House Tour	Maria	mborgerding@fuse.net	OTP
7/1/2015	56 No. Kentucky	Hospital Bake Sale	Ruth	ruthw@zoomtown.com	OTP
7/27/2015	56 No. Kentucky	Bunco Party	Debbie	dzlinne@gmail.com	OTP
On-going	Citywide	Benkens Floral Gift Card	Sue	suemjeffries@aol.com	OTP
On-going	Liaison 1	Mikes Car Wash	Donna	d.boggs88@yahoo.com	OTP

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If your group has not yet submitted your written summary to be included in the Kindervelt Annual Report - it is now due! I know each group has had a multitude of accomplishments this past year that should be recognized and we certainly don't want anyone to be left out! Please email your report to kvcsecretary@kindervelt.org ASAP and feel free to contact me if you have questions.

Also, please remember that all outstanding stationery invoices are to be paid to the citywide Treasurer. We have reached the end of our fiscal year and these invoices must be paid with the 4th quarter treasurer's report.

If you are in need of the KV Kids, banners or any stationery for summer fundraising events, please contact the incoming Corresponding Secretary, Mimi Dyer. Mimi can be reached at mmdyer@fuse.net.

**It is with heartfelt gratitude that we acknowledge those who chose to give!
We are profoundly touched by your kindness, your friendship and your continued loyalty to Kindervelt.
Your generosity is changing lives for the better, and forever.**

Kindervelt #29 generously donated in memory of Len Marek. Len is the husband of Sherie Marek who was a founding member of the Redesigning Women group.

John Knue was lovingly remembered with a gift to Kindervelt from Barb & Bob Diener.

A contribution was made by the Heritage Kindervelt group #19 to honor the memory of Gene Armentrout. Gene is the husband of KV19 member, Rita Armentrout.

Market

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SAVE THE DATE

Kindervelt Market & Gala
November 13, 2015



Heart Deco "Roaring 20's " Photo Gallery





Tidbits

KV Liaison 3 wine and dine basket winner was Stephanie Gloeckler. Congratulations!



KV #77 - Hats off to all the women in our group for all their hard work and dedication in putting together our 24th annual fashion show and luncheon and making it a huge success. We couldn't do this without all your support and to all our vendors for their continued support.



Gratitudes

KV #8 - Congratulations to Catherine Burke on your new job as the attendance secretary at Wyoming High School. We wish you much success and know the students are in good hands!

Welcome to new KV#8 member Betsy Cooper. Betsy is a resident of Wyoming and works at St. Clare Convent. We are happy to have you join our group.

KV #16 - Thank you to all the incumbent officers for the coming year and to Sandy Keeney for taking on the Market Rep for our group next year. It's great to see that we have such committed women to Cincinnati Children's and Kindervelt #16. Also, a very special thank you to everyone who participated in our Bunco event on Friday, April 24th; it was another success story raising over \$2500 for the Heart Institute. Super job, ladies!!

KV #68 - Many thanks to Bonnie & Don Hueneman for preparing a delicious dinner for KV #68 members at the May meeting.

We are grateful to Cindy Metz for table favors and to Sue Deye, Bev Rainier & Jeanine Wellbaum for yummy desserts.

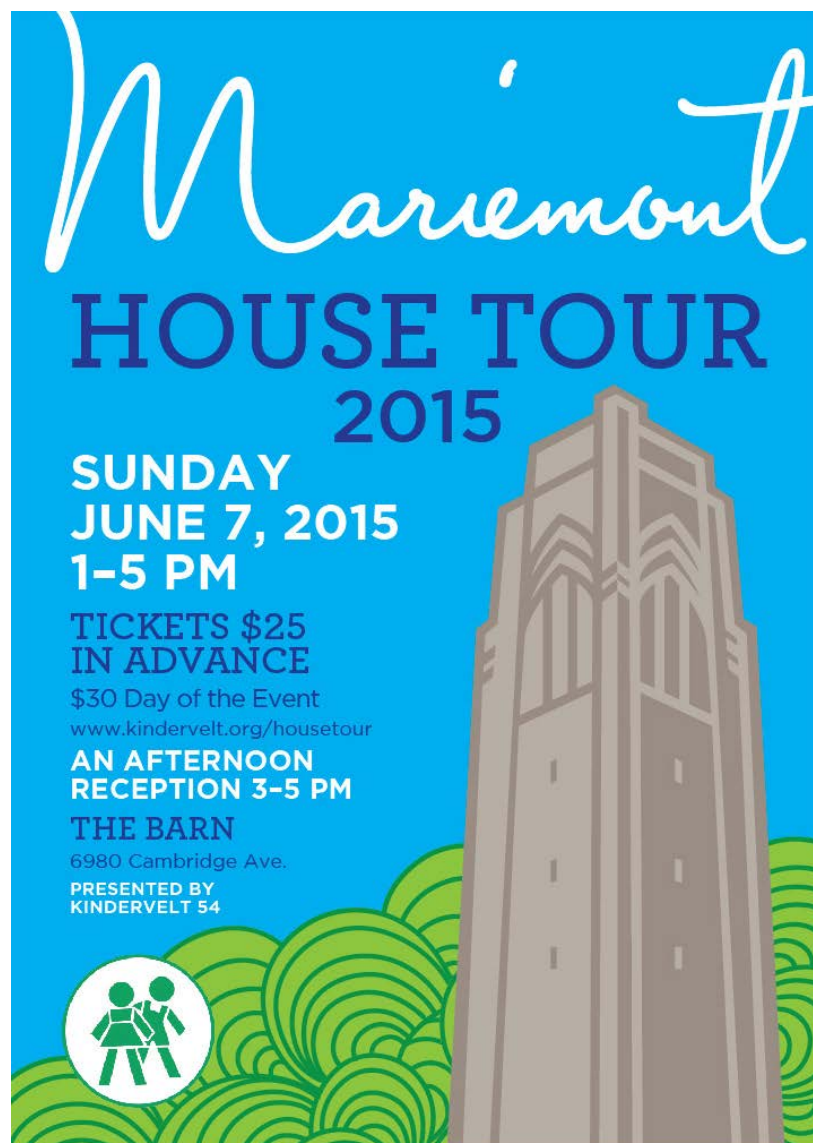
KV #8 - Much thanks to Kristen Gettins for organizing and running our Cookie Booth at the Wyoming Art Show on May 17. Thanks also to all who made treats for and worked at the booth. You all helped make this new spring venture a successful and fun ending to the KV#8 year!

Thank you to all of the 2014-2015 KV#8 officers for your hard work and dedication this year. A special thanks to departing officers Shelly O'Neill, Susan Dixon, and Chris Ramsay for your service over the years. We appreciate your time and efforts! Welcome 2015-2016 officers: Co-Presidents Ginny Myer and Sherry Weckenbrock, Vice President/Membership JoAnne Edie, Secretary Carla Roller, Treasurer Cathy Moore, Projects Charlotte McBayer, and Publicity Teresa Lange. We know you'll be a great team!

Congratulations to **Sherry Weckenbrock** on receiving the **Barbara Fitch Award**! KV#8 is so proud of you! You truly embody what it means to be an ambassador for Kindervelt with your enthusiasm and all that you give of yourself for our group and the organization as a whole. We are so lucky to have you as part of our group. Well deserved!

Joyous News

KV #77 - Happy Birthday to Jill Tapp, 6/8 and Colleen Kerns, 6/23.



WESTERN & SOUTHERN OPEN

Cincinnati, Ohio

August 15 - 23

Kindervelt will be selling programs again this year at the Western & Southern Open tennis tournament in Mason, August 15 - 23. Part of the proceeds from each program sold will go directly to Kindervelt. Please join us at this fun event. Kindervelt members, families and friends are all welcome and encouraged to help. Registration will be open exclusively for Kindervelt until July 1st. To sign up, contact Stephanie Janssen at stfrjan@gmail.com or 513.460.1841.

Group Officer's List 2015-2016

Group # _____

After completing your elections for your individual Kindervelt Group Officers, please complete the form below and turn it into me no later than May 22, 2015.

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Address					
Home Phone					
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Area Rep 2	Marsha Falknor (#12)
Area Rep 3	Ellen Grossi (#50)
Area Rep 4	Ruth Wiley (#56 & #78)



It's time to renew your Kroger card!! In order for Kindervelt to continue to receive Community Rewards from Kroger we need for you to log into your Kroger account and renew Kindervelt as the recipient.

This is the easiest way to earn money for Kindervelt so please renew today!

At www.kroger.com Sign In or Register

Click on "My Account" at top right of page

Your Account Summary will appear – Scroll down to Community Rewards

Click "Renew" if Kindervelt has been listed on your account or "Edit" if this is new for your account. In the box that appears you can either type "Kindervelt" and a list of registered groups will appear, or you can just enter one of the five digit codes listed below. No matter which of these codes you enter, all of the money will come to Kindervelt!!!

Kindervelt #16 White Oak	80430
Kindervelt #22 Montgomery	80605
Kindervelt #30 Indian Hill	81194
Kindervelt #4 Kenwood/Indian Hill	48156
Kindervelt #55 Triple Crown	80878
Kindervelt #56 Northern Kentucky	81068
Kindervelt #78	57235

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