



KV PEACe Kindervelt Psychiatric Emergency Assessment Center

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Congratulations and Thanks!!!!

To our dedicated and hard-working members
To Jayne Rauh, Annual Meeting Chair
To our 20, 30, and 40 year members

40 Year Members

Jane Bavely #43 JoAnn Dickman #11 Jean Ellsworth #43 Karen Hadden #29 Pat Nulsen #43 Pat Ventress #43 Janet Potts#22Libby Baker#29Elizabeth Jones#30Teresa Hoying#22Pat Policinski#22Ellie Moffat#22

20 Year Members

Valerie Taylor	#03	Tracy Smith	#57
Ginny Westerfeld	#08	Adla-Ann Burke	#57
Jean Meyer	#20	Melissa Donovan	#57
Ruth Holt	#49	Wendy Tomczak	#74
Karina Rothzeid	#43	Laurie Halmi	#78
Margaret Nelsen	#49	Mary Beth Young	#78

30 Year Members

#49
#22
#22
#22
#56
#68





2017 Barbara Fitch Award Winner

Congratulations to Marsha Bernecker of Group #16 (White Oak), this year's Barbara Fitch Award Winner!!! Marsha has been dedicated to Kindervelt for over forty years and has served as the secretary for her group for over 35 years! Her role as secretary is much larger than documenting minutes for the meetings. She is primarily responsible for soliciting donations for all of her groups' events. She is the most persistent and persuasive recruiter of new members for her group and has even gotten her daughters involved. She also acts as the chair for many of Group 16's events. One fellow group member describes her as the "rally leader" for their



group. She is the cheerleader that gets everyone excited about the events which generates great attendance from the group and their community!

She goes by the title of "secretary" for her group, but she does so much more than that—publicity, membership, business solicitations, event chair—more like a secretary on steroids! Her work may not be glamorous, but it is essential to keeping our organization running smoothly! As a fellow Kindervelt member put it, without our "behind the scenes" person handling all of the details and administrative activities, our events would not be as successful!

In addition to her extensive Kindervelt work, Marsha is also a wife, mother of three, and grandmother of five! Another fellow Kindervelt member said she is the most dependable person! She does so much, but never brags about her work. Well, Kindervelt is happy to brag about Marsha's work. Congratulations and Thank You, Marsha for your dedication to Kindervelt!!



A Special Thanks from Marsha

Thank You to the Barbara Fitch Nominating Committee Members - Linda Lunceford, Kathy Roth, Bonnie Hueneman, Charlotte McBrayer, Jan Huegle, April Rainey and especially Stacey Durr-Stanton for presenting me with the 2017 Barbara Fitch Award. If you were at the Annual Meeting and Dinner, you know that I was genuinely surprised and so very, very humbled for recognizing me as this year's recipient. I certainly have a lot to live up to, especially when I see the past awardees and their continuous commitments, dedication and valuable contributions to CCHMC. Kindervelt has meant so very much to me and my family and friends, but it is even more important to the many, many children and families whose lives have been impacted by Cincinnati Children's Hospital and Kindervelt "Having Fun While Raising Funds". Thank you again for this wonderful award and a very special 'thank you' to my friends and family in Kindervelt #16 who nominated me!

A Special Thank You from Dr. Michael Sorter Director, Division of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry

A Message From Dr. Sorter:

I want to express my deep gratitude for everything that Kindervelt has done to help support the mental health needs of our community. Your investment in the Kindervelt Psychiatric Emergency Assessment Center (KV PEACe) continues to fuel some truly remarkable outcomes. You have touched the lives of so many and provided hope for a brighter future. I hope you'll share my excitement over two significant achievements:

- The KV PEACe space has served over 2,100 patients since August. That is an amazing number! The KV PEACe space was instrumental as we provided the best possible care to every single one of those patients.
- Among patients who came to the Emergency Room with mental health concerns and were eligible to be moved to the KV PEACe space, over 95% ended up getting services in KV PEACe. That is a lot of great work by everyone involved to make this work operationally and get the patients who need the quieter space into KV PEACe.

I am sorry that I was personally unable to attend the annual meeting and be a part of the unveiling of all your hard work and dedication. But I celebrate your contributions, totaling \$545,000 to support our patients!

I was pleased to hear that Dr. Shari Jefferies spoke about the needs of these patients, about the shortage of psychiatrists to serve them, and about the opportunities that we at Cincinnati Children's have to support the community.

We are proud of what we have accomplished. However, we continue to challenge ourselves to meet the needs of the patients and families struggling with mental illness. We will again end up with a 10+% increase in children coming to the emergency room for mental health reasons this year. So there is no slowing down for us. We are excited with multiple projects under way to help patients transition to the best care possible for them.

It is always such a pleasure to meet with those of you who are able to visit the medical center. Your dedication and generosity is an inspiration to our staff, and your work has led to direct benefits in care to children and families. Thank you!

I look forward to our continued partnership with Kindervelt. There's no telling what we can accomplish together!

Sincerely, Michael Sorter, MD Director, Division of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry

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From the President

Thank you all for your hard work last year fundraising for Cincinnati Children's and KV PEACe. What a fabulous gift we gave to the Department of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry. Every member of Kindervelt should be so proud of the work we do.

So, here we go, the beginning of a new fiscal year of "having fun while raising funds" for KV PEACe. Let's strive to have another very successful year supporting mental health.

I have been telling you of some upcoming changes to Kindervelt. These changes take effect on June 1, 2017 with the start of the new fiscal year. I will give the highlights, and you can look forward to receiving a letter later in June with all of the details.

Changes made are:

- 1. Addition of a Kindervelt Citywide Member.
- 2. We have removed the City Event Chairs from the Board of Trustees and changed the term for Past President / President Elect (new position).
 - The current Krafts and Let the Good Times Bowl Chairs and Past President are grandfathered in their terms and will remain on the BOT until their term is complete.
- 3. Creation of Kindervelt Membership Meetings:
 - All KV members (neighborhood group and citywide) will be invited to attend the General Membership Meetings.
 - Each meeting will include a keynote speaker that will be of interest to our membership, a short business meeting to promote events, drinks & appetizers.
- 4. Creation of KV Leadership Meeting (formerly called Presidents' Council):
 - This meeting will be formatted the same as our current President's Council. The meeting will be held the first Monday of the month in October, November, February, and March at CCHMC.

The Board of Trustee's goal of making these changes are to keep Kindervelt strong and make it more appealing to all types of new members. I hope you are as excited about them as I am.

Have a wonderful Summer.

Thank you for all you do for Kindervelt.

Tracy Smith Kindervelt City President







Date	Event	Location	Description
Tues, June 6th (7:00 p.m.)	Laughter is the Best Medicine - #49	Go Bananas Comedy Club - 8410 Market Place Lane	Info: Nancy at 478-2370 or nansanch@fuse.net
Wed, June 7th (6:00 p.m.)	Dream Dinners - #78	7466 Beechmont Ave - Suite 413	Info: Lisa at 233-3732 or lisa.robison@dreamdinners.com
Sat, June 10th (1:30 p.m.)	Cyclebar - #77	7308 Yankee Rd - Liberty Township	Info: Lizzy at 513-461-9116 or feinteem@hotmail.com
Thurs, July 13th (6:00-10:00 p.m.)	Bunco Party - #56	Wilder City Bldg - 520 Licking Pike - Wilder, KY	Info: Debbie at 859-468-8826 or dzlgolf@gmail.com
Thurs, July 27th (6:30-9:30 p.m.)	Summer Patio Party - #19	4629 Raynor Ct - Mason, OH	Info: Jeanne at 513-828-8229 or reisinger.jr@gmail.com



CCHMC June 13th (9:30-3:00) - KV #11 June 30th (9:30-1:00) - KV #43 July 11th (9:30-3:00) - KV #11 August 10th (11:00-2:00) - KV #56 August 16th (9:30-3:00) - KV #11



Kindervelt Krafts Update

Hope all of you wonderful Kindervelt Krafters have begun creating some fantastic projects for our Fall Kraft extravaganza! Our committee is busily finalizing plans for this year's event.

We will have an opportunity to sell our hand-crafted items on Thurs, Oct 12 at CCHMC in the prefunction area outside Sabin Auditorium. In previous years, the employees have shown great enthusiasm for purchasing our unique creations; delicious baked goods; and purchasing chances on our exciting raffles. Once again, you'll man your table and there will be a central check out. Details on the outside Krafts event will be announced soon. Let's work together to make this event grow!

In an effort to minimize meetings, we chose not to have a Spring Rep meeting. I will be calling each KV group's Kraft Rep or President in the next couple of weeks. Meanwhile, please call me with questions, suggestions or comments- Libby Baker 859 331-4108 H or 859 640-8834 C. We're looking forward to hearing about all the beautiful, creative items being produced by our talented members.



Wanted: TREASURE HUNTERS

Kindervelt has partnered with Everything But The House for our second online auction to be held this fall. It's not too soon to start the hunt for the hidden treasures in your home. And you don't have to wait until fall to donate your "find". Contact Suzanne Schweller to arrange a pickup (or if you have any questions).

We are seeking art, designer handbags and accessories, sports memorabilia, tools, antiques, china, crystal, pottery, lamps, rugs, silver, jewelry, coins, rare books, quilts, musical instruments and even cars!

suzanneschweller@gmail.com 513/405-5018

On-Going Projects

	I LOVE Kindervelt car magnets	#3	5x7 oval car magnets	Info:	Jean at 533.1277 or tastebuds@fuse.net
	Lago water bottles & travel muss	#2	Engraved thermal steel water bottles & travel mugs	Info	Suzanno at 231 9542 ar scelurallar Ofusa nat
	Logo water bottles & travel mugs KV logo pins		KV logo pins		Suzanne at 321-8543 or sschweller@fuse.net Shirley at semorand@yahoo.com
	Kindervelt notecards		Note cards available		Cathy at 932.3218 or chasteen.cathy@gmail.com
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	American girl doll clothing		Handmade American girl clothing		Cece at 591.2907 or cckohlman@aol.com
	Spice mixes	#22	Dry spice mix jars for sale	Info:	Sue at 476-5688 or skcrosby@gmail.com
			Go to ShopWithScrip.com, register and buy gift cards to use at hundreds		
			of retailers and restaurants. 3%-16%		
	Shop with Scrip	#30	goes to KV.	Info:	Suzanne at 793.0161 or pavlakis@sbcglobal.net
			Enjoy your guests - we take care of		
			the mess! Setup-serve-clear. \$10-		
	Servers for parties	#45	\$20 per person per hour	Info:	Sally at 777.4851 or svhvickery@aol.com
			5x7 wood and gold plaques. Reads		
			"In Appreciation for Your Generous		
			Support of our Fundraising Efforts for	'	
	Thank you plaquas	#45	Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center" - \$15 plus tax	Info	Sally at 777 4951 or subviskony@aal.com
	Thank you plaques	#45	Wood frames - square or	into:	Sally at 777.4851 or svhvickery@aol.com
	Wine cork trivets	#45	rectangular. Perfect hostess gift!	Info:	JoAnn at 683.1473 or mdickman@fuse.net
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	Bread mixes	#40	\$5. Choice of tuscan, cinnamon	Info	Crotchon at 520 0776 at inhmit@aal.com
I	breau mixes	#49	raisin, dill, french herb, and white	inio:	Gretchen at 530.0776 or jahmit@aol.com
			\$20-\$25. Hand-tied reversible fleece		
	Fleece blankets	#49	blankets. In-stock or custom orders.	Info: J	loan at 530.0690
			\$6 - Available at retail locations		
			around town and at President's		
	Bean soup mix	#57	council.	Info:	Nancy at 683.3491 or e_n_gerstner@fuse.net
			Purchase or sell \$25 gift cards and \$5		
			of the purchase price goes to		
	Benken's gift cards	#65	Kindervelt. To order gift cards, call or email Mary Ray.	Info	Mary at 265-9199 or mary.ray.513@gmail.com
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			council meetings or to Stacy Dunn-		
	Pop-tab recycling	#65	Stainton.	Info:	Stacy at 686.0988 or stacydurrstainton@yahoo.com
			Every Hoxworth blood donation can		
			be credited to KV. When the intake		
			cleark asks you "which group" say		
			Kindervelt and write Kindervelt on		
			your form. Or sign up as a premier		
	Pay it forward at Hoxworth	#76	donor and in the donor store, select KV as your organization.	Info	Susie at susankelleyjd@yahoo.com
	ay it forward at noxworth		Custom embroidered baby burp	init.	suble at susannencyjue yanoo.com
			cloths (\$6), bibs (\$10), burp cloth &		
			bib sets (\$15); blankets, bear cuddle		
	Baby gifts, golf towels, computer		blankets, golf towels (\$10) and		
	bags		computer bags.	Info:	Mary Beth at 231.6891 or meyoung@fuse.net
		#16,			
		#22,			
	Kroger Community Rewards	#78	\$10 coupons good for \$14 value		Wendy at 624-9112 or jholschuh@cinci.rr.com
		City	Coin collection boxes at various retail		
	Koins for Kids		locations citywide. To get a Koins for Kids box, contact Mimi		Mimi at 675-4089 or kvsecretary@kindervelt.org
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			Various days each month. Mon-	Everg	reen retirement Center - 230 W. Galbraith - 45215.
		City-	Thurs (11:30-1:30) and Fridays	-	Jenny Meyer. egact@hotmail.com or 948-2316 ext.
	Evergreen Gift Shop Volunteers	wide	(11:30-3:30)	1230	
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Gratitudes

KV #8 - Much thanks to Kristen Gettins for organizing and running our Cookie Booth and separate water station at the Wyoming Art Show on May 21. Thanks also to all who made treats for and worked at the show. We managed to dodge the rain most of the day and had fun while raising funds for CCHMC!

KV #8 - Thank you to our 2016-2017 KV#8 officers for your hard work and dedication this year: Co-Presidents Ginny Myer and Sherry Weckenbrock, Vice President/ Membership JoAnne Edie, Secretary Lindsey Dye, Treasurer Cathy Moore, Projects Shelly O'Neill, and Publicity Teresa Lange. We appreciate your willingness to serve our group!

KV #78 - We wish to thank our officers for their dedicated service over the past year: President Katrina Smith; Vice-President and Secretary Beth Pollock; Treasurer Chris Fulford; Membership Chair Anne Von Moll; Kindervelt Krafts Co-Chair Nancy Morton; Projects Chair and Kindervelt Krafts Co-Chair Mary Beth Young; Sunshine Coordinator Jill Guenther; and Publicity Chair Wendy Holschuh. We appreciate the time and effort you committed to our worthy cause! We've had a great year!

KV #68 - A big THANKS to Members volunteering to serve as officers in 2017/18.

KV#16 - Thank you again to Lin for organizing our Flying Pig volunteer group which netted KV 16 with a generous donation of \$700. It's a huge task to get everyone to commit on a Friday morning for several hours, but it's so much fun to participate in one of the city's greatest events and we get to meet people from all over the world! Thanks, Lin, it's "Having Fun While Raising Funds" for CCHMC.

KV #68 - Thank you to Sue & Dave Deye for hosting our end of the year cookout meeting.

KV #77 - Many thanks to Karen Geeves for opening up her home for our June meeting!

Condolences

KV #16 - We extend our heartfelt condolences to Joyce Warner and her family on the recent passing of her husband, Al. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.

Joyous News

KV #68 - Congratulations to Pat & Kent Wahl on the birth of their grand daughter, Reagan Eve.

KV #8 - Congratulations to Shelly O'Neill whose daughter, Caitlin, married Kyle Lewis on May 20th. Best wishes to the bride and groom for a long and happy life together!

Tidbits

KV #16 - We would like to congratulate Marsha Bernecker for being the Barbara Fitch Award recipient for 2017! We are so proud, as well as thankful, for all of her time and generosity in supporting our group over the years. We could not ask for a more committed secretary and motivator for our group. Congratulations Marsha!!

KV #8 - Congratulations to KV#8 members Jackie Smith, Shelly O'Neill, and Susan Dixon on their retirements! Jackie retired from Xavier University and Shelly and Susan are retiring from Wyoming City Schools. We hope you all enjoy a little R&R – you've certainly earned it!

KV #77 - Happy Birthday!! Vivian Cosio – 6/4 Jill Tapp – 6/8



KV #8 - We "had fun while raising funds" by selling bottled water and homemade cookies and brownies at the Wyoming Art Show on May 21st. Pictured are Kristen Gettins at the water station and Anita Evenson, daughter Margaret, and Teresa Lange at the cookie booth.



KV #78 - Our garage sale on May 6th was a great success! Thanks to all our members who donated items or helped with pricing, set-up, clean-up, manning the sale, or baking goodies to sell. Special thanks to Mary Beth Young for once again offering her garage for the sale, and for helping to dispose of left-over items. Way to go, Eastsiders!

Well Wishes...

KV #8 - We would like to send our thoughts and prayers to member, Anita Evenson, and her 6-year-old daughter, Cynthia, who underwent her second, open heart surgery at CCHMC on June 1. Many of you may remember the article about Cynthia in the May 2016 newsletter. Cynthia is a real sweetheart, and, we will all be praying for a speedy recovery. Pictured are Anita, Cynthia, and big sis, Margaret.



Having Fun While Raising Funds...

KV #22 - We celebrated the end of the season along with our 30th year. Four founding members were in attendance and many others came to the home of Lis Faber just to congregate and toast our mutual friendships and accomplishments. We are grateful for the 4 years of leadership with Kelli Green and look forward to Kim Lucken as our incoming president.



Jackie Fitzpatrick, Gale McLaughlin and Peggy Scherzinge



30 year founders: Lis Faber, Sue Crosby, Teresa Hoying, Ellie Moffat and Michele Cooney



Gathering in the kitchen is what we do best!



Poem of thanks from outgoing president, Kelli



KV22 always selling spice mix!



Lis Faber, hostess with the mostess!



Members gather to salute 4 term president, Kelli Green



Celebrating our 30th year!



KV #19 - The ladies of KV #19 hosted their annual fundraiser "Lunch at the Links IX: New York, New York" on Saturday, April 29. Almost 150 women gathered for a delicious lunch, exciting raffles, and a silent auction ... resulting in over \$32,000 raised for Kindervelt! We thank everyone who attended and all who so generously donated their time, money, and items to make this event so successful.

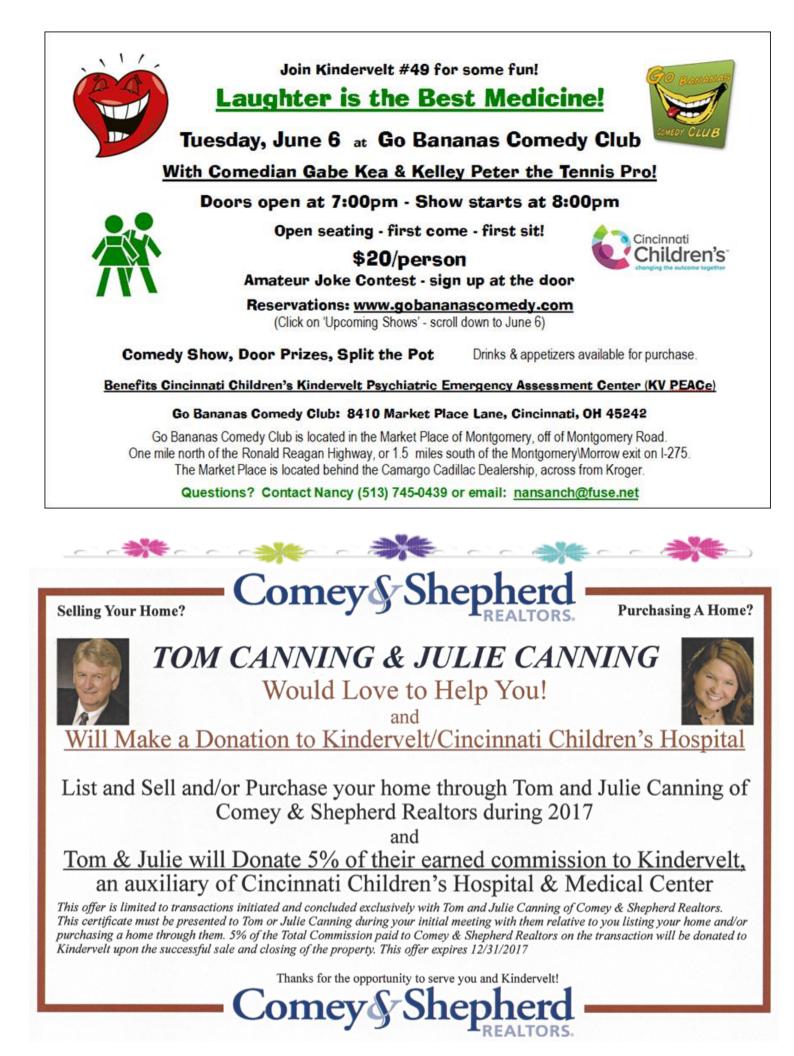
We invite you to join us for our next event – the Ladies Night Summer Patio Party! Member Jeanne Reisinger will host on Thursday, July 27 from 6:30 pm – 9:30 pm at 4629 Raynor Ct., Mason. Join us for wine and hors d'oeuvres while shopping from local vendors. Cost is \$25 per person and all net proceeds benefit Kindervelt #19. To sign up, contact Joan Graham (jssg3@mac.com) or Jackie Clough













Kindervelt #56

Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center



"In The Good Ole Summertime" (Bunco Party

Thursday July 13, 2017

6:00pm

Wilder City Bldg

520 Licking Pike, Wilder, KY 41071

\$20.00 per person

Reservations by July 10th--limited to first 96 people

Appetizers, salads and desserts



Split the Pot (\$1.00 each 6/\$5.00) Super Raffle (\$10.00 each 3/\$25.00)



All proceeds benefit Kindervelt Psychiatric Emergency Assessment Center (KVPEACe) at Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center

For Reservations and Information....

Email dzlgolf@gmail.com or call Debbie 859-468-8826

To confirm your reservation, please send your check payable to

Kindervelt #56--Mail to 61 Pleasant Ridge, Fort Mitchell, KY 41017

Get Your Very Own Kindervelt fiz Bottle or Tumbler

KV#3 loves the fiz bottle so much that we added the Kindervelt Kids to make it even better! Currently available in the 17 ounce yellow or green bottle and the 20 ounce navy tumbler.



Available for \$20 email Suzanne at <u>suzanneschweller@gmail.com</u> to find out how you can own one (or two, or three!)

Don't forget Dad!!



He'll need something to keep his favorite beverage cold while manning the grill this summer. fizworld has partnered with **Kindervelt** to provide you with a variety of double-wall insulated stainless steel products to keep your cold drinks cold (and your hot drinks hot).

Visit fizworld.com to see the variety of colors and sizes available, including bottles, beverage can holders, and 20 ounce tumblers. Take them to the pool, the game, the beach, the golf course, the picnic grounds...

Order at fizworld.com and **20% of your purchase price goes to Kindervelt**. Just use the promo code "FUNFUNDS" at checkout.



A great way to wish someone a Happy Father's Day!





Registration and lunch: 12 pm •• Tee-off: 1:30 pm •• Cost: \$75

This includes 18-holes of golf, riding cart and lunch Chances to win various prizes for * Longest Drive * Closest to the Pin * Hole-in-One

Questions contact Marsha at (513) 934-2699 or wfalknor@roadrunner.com

Please make checks payable to Kindervelt 12 and mail along with registration form to: KV Golf Outing, 472 Aspen Ridge Drive, Lebanon, OH 45036

Thank you!