Volunteer News April/May 2019







2019 Volunteer Honorees......an essential piece



ANN ARBOR & CANTON

<u>5 years:</u> Mary Amoe, Ruth Germoth, Susan Kack, Catherine Kimmet, Dale Leslie, Judith Moskus, James Pantelas, Denise Slone, Nancy Stahl, and David Wilson 10 Years: Christine Gardner & Jesse Bernstein

15 Years: Lynn Allison, Karen Madsen, & Megan Carlisle

25 Years: Carolyn Henderson **35 Years:** Anita Henlein



LIVINGSTON & BRIGHTON

<u>5 Years:</u> Jeannine Dufault, Roger Edwards, Marie Hall <u>10 Years:</u> Michelle Cassavoy-Duke, Mary Defaut, Pam Olech, Robert Rosenberg

20 Years: Lois Davenport 40 Years: Carolyn Jacobs

Remarkable Recipes... 3





Saturday, May 18, 2019 St. Joseph Mercy Canton Health Center 1600 S. Canton Center Rd. Canton

1-4 p.m.



Health Exploration Station, Skin Cancer screening and much more.



SUMMER COLLEGE & SUMMER TEENS ARE COMING MAY & JUNE Welcome to St. Joe's Volunteering.



YPSILANTI SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA 20[™] ANNIVERSARY

"Local Treasures"

Season Finale: Saturday, May 25, 2019 2:00 pm

Riverside Park, Ypsilanti, Michigan (Rain date: Sunday, May 26, 2019 www.ypsilantisymphony.org



Strawberry Mint Lemonade



Ingredients

- ♣ 1 cup granulated sugar
- **♣** 1 cup water
- **↓** 1 3/4 cups lemon juice fresh is best
- ♣ 1 3/4 cups sliced strawberries
- **↓** 1/2 cup fresh mint leaves

Source:

•http://teaspoonofgoodness.com/strawberry-mint-lemonade/



Instructions

- 1.Make a simple syrup by combining sugar and water in a saucepan, heat over medium heat.
- 2.Mix for a minute or two until sugar dissolves, bring to a boil, turn off heat and place in the fridge to cool.
- 3. Now add all of the strawberries and mint to a blender, puree.
- 4.Add in lemon juice and simple syrup, pureeing until combined.
- 5. Pour mixture into a pitcher and stick in the fridge until cold.

6.Serve over ice

Prep Time: 5 minCook Time: 5 minTotal Time: 10 min

Servings: 4Calories: 231 kcalAuthor: Brandy

"People Centered Focus of the Month"



While volunteering put these practices at the center of your day & positively connect with all the people you encounter.

Living the "Core Value" of Integrity

We are faithful to who we say we are.

I put people at the center of all I do by being present and attentive.

I take responsibility for my role as a team member.

Always do the right thing even when nobody is watching.

"Service Excellence Standard"

Positive Impressions

Personal Appearance

- We adhere to the volunteer dress code, and maintain a professional appearance and demeanor.
- We wear hospital ID badges at collar level with name and title visible.
- We maintain a fragrance-free environment.

Presentation is everything

Happy Mother's Day History



Celebrations of mothers and motherhood can be traced back to the **ancient Greeks and Romans**, who held festivals in honor of the mother goddesses Rhea and Cybele, but the clearest modern precedent for Mother's Day is the early Christian festival known as "Mothering Sunday.". ... The origins of Mother's Day as celebrated in the United States date back to the 19th century.

The modern holiday of Mother's Day was first celebrated in **1908**, when <u>Anna Jarvis</u> held a memorial for her mother in <u>Grafton</u>, West Virginia. Her mother, Ann Jarvis, had previously founded Mother's Day Work Clubs in five cities across the US to improve sanitary and health conditions for working men and women.



St. Joseph Mercy- Ann Arbor

APRIL

Annika Riddell 2nd Marnie Runchey 2nd Matthew Canter 2nd Caila Coyne 3rd Karen Stewart 3rd Mohamad Alhalabi 3rd Nathan Lwo 5th Laura Doran 9th Paul Walkowski 10th Denise Brennan 11th Joyce Dahart 11th Ed Millenbach 15th Asmita Tuladhar 16th Melanie Andrews 16th Ann Alpern 16th Gail A. Panoff 16th Marcy Radwick 16th James McMurtrie 20th Dan Kios 21st Janie Little 21st Helen Woolcock 24th Karen Paciorek 26th Semegne Hiruy 26th Emily Freeland 27th Maddy Murphy 29th Rohit Misra 29th

MAY

Mark Harden 3rd

Maija Erdmanis-Bailey 4th Kumari Swathi Maire 7th Karyn Cuppernoll 10th Virginia Reilly 12th

Sanjna Chokshi14th Nya Pernell 15th

Catherine Kimmet 23rd Rebecca Schlaff 27th

St. Joseph Mercy- Livingston

APRIL

Happy Birthday

> Pamela Prince 4th Gregg Scott 7th Robert Karns 13th

MAY

Roberta Schultz 4th Gail Luzod 16th Mary Stachelski 21st Dolores Rose 23rd

St. Joseph Mercy- Brighton

APRIL

Michael Bolertz 10th Carolyn Cornillie 19th Janet M Romeo 20th Robert Rosenberg 26th

MAY

Sally Edwards 19th

Enjoy Your Birthday Volunteers



Opportunities



If you are interested in any of the posted volunteer opportunities, please apply:

- Lisa.Austin@stjoeshealth.org Manager, Volunteer Services
- <u>Livingston & Brighton:</u> 517-545-6121
- Ann Arbor & Canton:
 734-712-4164
- Or visit
 stjoesannarbor.org/volunteering
 for more information on open
 volunteer programs.

Livingston Book and Magazine Cart



We are looking for volunteers interested in bringing reading materials to our patient, family and visitors areas.

This role consist of pushing our book cart, keeping our family waiting areas stocked with neat and current items.

A requirement is to have great customer service skills to interact with people and organization skills to maintain the materials. There is training for wayfinding.

We are in need of adult coloring books, crayons, crossword puzzle books, colored-pencils, decks of cards, checker board games and markers for our "Creative Arts Program".

If you would like to donate any of the above items, please drop them off to the volunteer office at St Joseph Mercy Ann Arbor, Suite 1230 any day between 9-3pm.



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The Livingstons Volunteer Sewers are in need of donated pieces of <u>fabric</u> to continue making quilts and blankets for our patients and families. If you have any color or size we would greatly appreciate receiving the pieces. Please bring any fabrics to the main entrance front desk at St. Joe's Livingston Mon-Fri from 8 am- 4 pm. Any questions, please give us a call at (517) 545-6121

SUMMER TEENS VOLUNTEER PROGRAM FOR LIVINGSTON COUNTY

Do you have teenagers in your family, neighborhood, or community organization? If so, please share with them the great experience and volunteer opportunities available at St. Joe's Livingston & Brighton for career explorations and skill development. Apply online at stjoeslivingston.org/volunteering-livingston, or call (517) 545-6121.