

# Deepwood Foundation Newsletter

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## Welcome

Happy New Year from the Deepwood Foundation! This edition of the quarterly Newsletter will provide you with a summary of 2013 and inform you of what is coming in 2014. The Deepwood Foundation is committed to ensuring that Lake County individuals with developmental disabilities lead rich and rewarding lives in a community where they are fully accepted. We look forward to sharing another successful, exciting and rewarding year with you!

## With Thanks and Appreciation

Our success is a direct result of our generous community. We are thankful for the continued support of our extended family, the Deepwood Community. Without your support and generosity, we would not be able to offer such robust and comprehensive programs and support to so many deserving individuals. Here are just a few of our shining stars...



## Benefits Committee



In November, the Benefits Committee and the Deepwood Foundation hosted two annual events -- [An Evening with Deepwood](#) and [Jingle Belles Rock](#). With over 750 guests in attendance, the events raised over \$70,000! The Foundation is very grateful for the Benefits Committee, Volunteers, Sponsors, Donors and Guests.

## TJX Companies

The Deepwood Foundation also thanks TJX Companies, Inc., TJX Foundation and HomeGoods for their generous grant to the Community Assistance Program. Thank you [TJX Companies!](#)

## Brown Backers and Cleveland Browns Foundation

Thank you to the [Burnt River Browns Backers](#) and the Cleveland Browns Foundation for their fundraising and grant, ensuring a wonderful holiday season for those children and adults living on the Deepwood Campus!



### Marcus' Lantern Foundation

The Family and Friends of Marcus' Lintern hosted a fundraiser which included dinner, a big board raffle, and Chinese and silent auctions. The event raised \$9,000 which will help children and adults with special needs attend summer camp. Thank you Marcus' Lantern Foundation and Lintern Family and Friends!

### Year End Grants Report

In 2013, the Deepwood Foundation, in collaboration with The Deepwood Run, The Marcus' Lantern Foundation, The Knights of Columbus, Western Reserve Junior Service League and numerous additional donors, awarded over \$80,000 in assistance and provided support and services to over 600 consumers. Grants were awarded for, but not limited to, Assistive Communication Devices, Track Lift System, Adaptive Equipment, Support for the Deepwood Recreation Department, Camp Scholarships and Urgency Assistance.

We are very grateful for the continued support of the organizations and individuals who help us fulfill our mission to empower individuals with developmental disabilities; enrich the quality of their lives by providing support, advocacy, grants and resources; and promote community awareness.

### Annual Campaign

Each year, the Deepwood Foundation conducts an Annual Campaign to raise unrestricted funds to support the programs available to residents of Lake County. Please join our community of supporters during this time of giving. With a gift to the Annual Fund, you will help us to continue to serve those living with developmental disabilities that gain so much support from our programs. Your tax-deductible gift supports your local community and has an immediate impact on the individuals with special needs and abilities. Donations can be made [online](#) or by calling the Foundation Office at 440-350-5209.

### Save the Dates

[The Deepwood Run](#) ~ Sunday, June 8, 2014

Evening with Deepwood ~ Friday, November 7, 2014

Jingle Belles Rock ~ Wednesday, November 19, 2014