

# In Bloom

## 2022 Newsletter



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### Our Mission

To create the forever homes that make dreams come true for those with special needs.

### Our Vision

A future inclusive community, where everyone has a loving home.

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Having fun at the 2022 golf fundraiser: (l to r) Stephen, Billy, Ali and Ted



# Day Trip Snapshots

Here is just a small sample of how our dedicated supporters help us enhance the lives of Rose House residents by enabling us to take them on exciting trips!



Enjoying a summer concert: **Abby** (above) and **Danny**, with Assistant Manager **Latoya**, watch the B Street Band, a tribute to Bruce Springsteen.



**Rachel, Billy and Lisa** exercised their minds at the Liberty Science Center and were treated to a performance of *RENT* the musical.



**Alison House** Group Home residents took some amazing trips including the Kings and Queens Prom (**Michael, Jesse and William** looking sharp) and a Sussex County Miners baseball game (**William and Joel**).



And when it's too hot to go outside, we bring the fun indoors by inviting everyone to an ice cream social! Pictured are **Lisa, Lisa and Stephen**.



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## Direct Caregiver Spotlight

We shine the spotlight on direct caregivers who have dedicated their careers to providing care for Rose House residents. Thank you for all that you do to enhance the lives of those in need!



### **Kim Metz, Hanover Apartments**

(Pictured with Billy) "What I love about working here is knowing that I'm helping the residents as well as their families. We enable our residents to live within a community like everyone else, and it's rewarding that they make me feel welcome in their home."



### **Zaina Ndiba, Diane Bloom Group Home**

(Pictured with Joyce and Theresa) "This is not just a job to me because I feel like I'm serving a real purpose in life and I find that accomplishment spiritually fulfilling. It makes me happy to know that I'm helping somebody every day and that we do everything together like a family."



### **Janes Getuba, Moraine Group Home**

(Pictured with Felicia) "I really enjoy my job. I love my residents and I enjoy cooking, cleaning and everything else for them because it brings me true happiness. They always make me smile."



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heartwarming photos!



## Capital Campaign: Forever Home Project



This project will provide new apartments for adults with special needs, including...

- ♥ 12 single-occupancy apartments specifically designed for adults with developmental disabilities
- ♥ Handicap accessible van dedicated to providing safe transportation for apartment residents
- ♥ Trained caregivers available daily for residents
- ♥ Integration into the local community through employment options and social events

Learn more: <https://bit.ly/RHForeverHome>



# Community Support Report



**Gourmet Cafe, Parsippany**  
We received a \$160 donation from [Gourmet Café](#) as a pledge of 10% of sales on July 11. Thank you to Gourmet Café and everyone who came out to support this event! Pictured is restaurant chef-owner Matthew Pierone (left), presenting the donation to Rose House CEO Tom Mitchell.

**54 Main Bar & Grille, Madison**  
Mark your calendars for Thursday, **September 22, 2022.** [54 Main Bar & Grille](#) has pledged to donate 10% of its sales from that day to Rose House!



## SPECIAL EVENTS



*If you are a business owner and would like to partner with us, please drop us a line: [contact@therosehouse.org](mailto:contact@therosehouse.org)*



Raffle tickets, which support our Forever Home project, have already been mailed out. If you didn't receive yours, call (973) 984-0006, x121 and we'll send them to you. **Last year's prize was \$7,800** so don't miss out on this great opportunity!

## Day of Dreams Golf Fundraiser



Thank you for supporting the 2022 event! Visit <https://therosehouse.org/golf-outing> for photos. The 2023 event is tentatively **Tuesday, July 11**. Later this year, we will confirm the 2023 date and announce funds raised for the 2022 event.



## New York Mets Fundraiser 2023

Great news: The 2020 Mets fundraiser game that was postponed due to the pandemic will return in 2023! Tickets cover bus transportation, parking, tolls and a food voucher, plus it supports a great cause! More details to come soon.



## Volunteer Opportunities

We have some easy volunteer opportunities for kids 15 years and older, as well as college students, that will help guide them toward a path of helpfulness in their community. Please email us at [contact@therosehouse.org](mailto:contact@therosehouse.org) or call (973) 984-0006 for more info.

