



**Help Us
Help Others**

The 1st Annual *Help Us Help Others* Gala

Please join us in supporting this amazing and worthwhile event!

This event is being locally organized to benefit two very important groups with critical needs: the homeless and needy youth in southern New Hampshire and the Baka peoples of Africa, who have a new medical clinic in dire need of medical supplies and equipment.

Did you know?

- According to the NH Dept of Education, in 2009-2010, New Hampshire school districts identified and reported 2,573 homeless students, an increase of nearly 21% from the 2008-2009 count
- Approximately 100 of these homeless teens attend school within the Derry and Timberlane school districts
- Homeless and low-income children are more likely to have health problems, be malnourished and hungry, live in foster care, and under perform in school
- Families in Transition organization has approximately 1800 people on a waitlist for services, as they can only accommodate 200 at a time with current resources
- The Mission School of Hope’s newly built medical clinic provides medical services to the Baka tribes from west central Africa and is in critical need of medical supplies and equipment
- The Baka people live 150 miles from the nearest hospital, putting them at risk of contracting any of the regional diseases, such as malaria, which claims 1.5 to 2.7 million lives each year

It is with these needs in mind that a local group of dedicated individuals and businesses have come together to raise money to help the following organizations:

<p align="center">Pinkerton’s Youth Program Derry, NH Pinkertonacademy.net</p>	<p align="center">Families in Transition Manchester, NH fitnh.org</p>
<p align="center">Mission School of Hope Cameroon, Africa missionschoolofhope.org</p>	<p align="center">Common Ground Café Haverhill, MA commongroundministries.net</p>

The event will take place on Saturday, March 31, 2012 at Zorvino Vineyard in Sandown, NH, who has graciously donated their facility for this gala event. The evening will feature delicious food offerings from local fine restaurants, as well as a silent auction and raffle. Thanks to the strong community support, 100% of the proceeds from the event will go directly toward meeting the needs of these worthy non-profit organizations.



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Sponsorship Opportunities

Financial sponsorship levels are as follows:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Friend \$0 - \$50	<input type="checkbox"/>	Bronze \$50 - 200	<input type="checkbox"/>	Silver \$201 - \$500	<input type="checkbox"/>	Gold \$501 - \$999	<input type="checkbox"/>	Platinum \$1000 +
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Donations must be made directly to each organization; feel free to choose one or multiple organizations to receive your support.

Organization	Please make check payable to:
Mission School of Hope Medical Center, Cameroon	Kingston FCC <i>Non Profit Tax ID 39-0968242</i>
Families in Transition	FIT <i>Non Profit tax ID 02-0475414</i>
Homeless & Needy Youth Fund	Pinkerton Academy
Common Ground Café homeless fund	Common Ground Ministries <i>Non Profit Tax ID 26-3659372</i>

For **Raffle** or the **Silent Auction** donation items, please let us know what you are willing to provide: _____

Please mail your donation to the address below by **MARCH 14** so that we can recognize you at the event!

Company Name: _____ Contact Name: _____

Address: _____ E-mail: _____

Help Us Help Others Gala
c/o Camille Gaydos, Chair
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Thank You!