

# MARY ELIZABETH MATERNITY HOME

THE OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER

WINTER 2010

## MARY ELIZABETH MATERNITY HOME AUXILIARY RAISES \$17,500!!!

**The MEMH Auxiliary held their annual meeting on November 3, 2011. At this meeting they presented MEMH Executive Director Christin Nunnery, with a check for \$17,500!**

The Auxiliary raised money throughout the last year by selling homemade jams, jellies, kuchen and noodles at the Real Oktoberfest, and also solicited prizes for their Fall Raffle!!

**THANK YOU FOR MAKING A DIFFERENCE TO OUR MINISTRY AND OUR HOME!**

### **Fall Raffle Winners:**

#### RAFFLE ITEM

1. Quilt
2. Oreck Vacuum Cleaner
3. Kindle 3G + Wi-Fi
4. Afghan
5. Entertainment Center Cabinet
6. King Size Comforter
7. Baby Crib Blanket
8. Christmas Wreath
9. Cordless Jigsaw
10. Child table & chairs
11. Child lawn chair
12. Mother & Child Scroll
13. Angel Wings & \$25 Gift Certificate
14. Hummingbird Scroll
15. Appliqued Baby Quilt
16. \$50 Gift Certificate Paisley Pear
17. Remote Control 3 Outlets
18. T-towel set
19. T-towel set
20. T-towel set
21. T-towel set
22. \$35 Gift Certificate Hays Hair Academy
23. \$2 Gift Certificate Bella Luna
24. Appliqued Pillowcases
25. Baby Prints Set
26. Set Garden Angel Pictures
27. \$20 Gift Certificate Walgreens
28. \$15 Gift Certificate Simply Charmed
29. Faith Shadow Box Plaque

#### WINNER NAME & CITY

Autumn Sabatka	Atwood, KS
Delores Tremblay	Wakeency, KS
Beverly Otter	New Almelo, KS
Arlyn Wasinger	Hays, KS
Bernice Becker	Norton, KS
Deb Stenzel	Ness City, KS
Brenda Zimmerman	Norton, KS
Gerry Neff	Oberlin, KS
M/M David Steffen	Hays, KS
Bud VanHorn	Colby, KS
Joanie Bellerive	Stockton, KS
Cecilia Budke	Hays, KS
Luanne Kramer	Hays, KS
Barb Sherfick	Wakeeney, KS
Earl Carlson	Hays, KS
Marie Albers	Palco, KS
Janice Foos	Hays, KS
Louis Lindeman	Oakley, KS
Dave & Maggie Koelsch	Phillipsburg, KS
Lexi Basgall	Herdon, KS
Mary Engel	LaCrosse, KS
Sharon Thibault	Phillipsburg, KS
Delores Leiker	Hays, KS
Dixie Zerr	Park, KS
Jerry Kaiser	Hays, KS
Brian DeWitt	Hays, KS
Rosalita Flax	Ness City, KS
Joan Weilert	Hays, KS
Jennifer Wheeler	Holton, KS

The auxiliary fees are now due for the 2012 year. You can send your \$5 to Catherine Wahlmeier, 2213 Virginia Drive, Hays, KS 67601.

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### **MARY ELIZABETH VFW BREAKFAST**

MARY ELIZABETH WILL BE SELLING TICKETS FOR BREAKFAST AT THE VFW FOR SUNDAY, JANUARY 8, 2012. IF ANYONE IS INTERESTED IN BUYING A TICKET, PLEASE CALL THE MATERNITY HOME AT 785-625-6800. THANK YOU.

*Celebrate Life with Mary Elizabeth  
Maternity Home at our  
6th Annual  
**Taste of Hays**  
January 22, 2012  
4:00-6:30 p.m.  
FHSU Memorial Union Ballroom  
600 Park St., Hays*

*At the time of this mailing, these are the current  
participating restaurants....*

*♥ Al's Chickenette ♥ Applebee's ♥ Carlos O'Kelly's ♥ Chartwell's ♥  
Dairy Queen ♥ Daylight Donuts ♥ Gambinos ♥ Guiterrez ♥ JD's Country  
Style Chicken ♥ Jimmie John's ♥ Montanna Mikes ♥ Napoli's ♥ Papa  
Murphy's ♥ Parties by Design ♥ Smoothie King ♥ Thirsty's ♥ Whiskey  
Creek ♥*

*Tickets on Sale Now! Please contact Mary Elizabeth Maternity Home  
785-625-6800.*

*Ticket sales limited to 250 tickets.*

*Ticket purchase is automatic entry into our fantastic raffle for cash giveaways and other great  
prizes!*



## Jesus is the Reason for the Season

As Christmas approaches, our lives are sometimes so full with other things that there's no more room left for Jesus. There was no room for Christ in the first Christmas because the inn was full. Luke 2:7 Our lives here at MEMH revolve around making room, "preparing", for the newborn babies. We are so thankful for the lives of young mothers and newborns that have been helped through this ministry. God has truly blessed us. As we prepare to celebrate the birthday of God's only son, Jesus, can we truthfully say that Jesus is the reason for the season? We encourage you to take some time in your busy lives to set apart some quiet time in Scripture and in prayer to prepare your heart for the Christ of Christmas. Let us remember to "make room" for Jesus in our lives for Jesus is the reason for the season.

### *Christmas Wish List*

#### **House Items :**

Murphy's Oil Soap\* Sanitizing Wipes\*  
Endust\* Windex\* Lysol Spray\*  
Dishwasher Detergent (powder)\* Dish  
Soap\* Hand Sanitizer\* Multi Purpose  
Cleaners\* Paper Towels & Napkins\*  
Toilet Tissue\* 13 gal. trash bags\* Liquid  
Hand Soap\* Liquid Laundry Soap\*  
Clorox\* Tylenol \* Benedryl \* Baby  
Tylenol \* Gift Cards to: Hastings, Wal-  
Mart, Dillons, All Hays Restaurants.

#### **Office Supplies:**

Avery 5160 Mailing Labels  
Copy Paper (white)  
Copy Paper (various colors/designs)  
Postage Stamps  
Small envelopes  
Sticky Notes  
AA, C, & D Batteries  
Ink Pens

#### **Baby Supplies:**

Infant Car Seats (new)  
Diapers: newborn (size "N")  
Bottle Brushes  
Baby Bottles (slow nipples)  
Pacifiers  
Baby bath towels & washcloths  
Baby Thermometers  
Baby Brush & Manicure Sets  
Diaper Bags  
Towels/Washcloths

#### **Resident Supplies:**

Socks, Underwear (Size 5,6,7,8), Sports  
Bras (size 32,34,36,38), Sweatpants & T-  
Shirts (S-XL), Large Duffle Bags,  
Disposable Cameras, Chapstick,  
Shampoo & Conditioner, Face Wash,  
Combs, Hair Brushes, Hair Spray, Body  
Sprays, Body Wash, Hair Bands,  
Sanitary Pads, Toothbrushes,  
Toothpaste, Hair Brushes, Cotton balls,  
Q-Tips, Razors

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Or Current Resident



#### In 2011....

- MEMH served 16 residents
- We had 3 babies
- 15 residents received education services from The Learning Center
- Our residents were from the following cities: Garden City, Wichita, Kansas City, Colby, Dodge City, Liberal
- MEMH received 29 calls for placement or other assistance
- Our residents received services from the following local agencies: Catholic Charities, High Plains Mental Health, Sunflower Family Services, and DREAM, Inc.

SPECIAL THANKS TO ALL OF YOU WHO  
DONATED TIME, EFFORT, SERVICES AND GIFTS  
TO OUR MINISTRY! WE WOULD NOT EXIST  
WITHOUT YOUR KINDNESS. THANK YOU.