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Donors Choose to Help Youth Stay Warm



IU-5 Instructor Steve McClune assists Hermitage House youth, Jesse Gable, select a winter jacket. Meanwhile, Jada Thompson is delighted with her new green all-weather jacket.

Teacher Steve McClune has been concerned for many years with the lack of warm outerwear brought by students when they arrive at Hermitage House. He discovered DonorsChoose.org which seeks to make it easy for anyone to help a classroom in need, moving us closer to a nation where students in every community have the tools and experiences they need for a great education. Thanks to our donors, our students now have warm coats, boots, and gloves for this winter!

Hermitage House sincerely thanks Steve McClune, DonorsChoose.org, Karla Butler, Stephanie Fabian, Shelley Leighliter, Farnese Motto, Pam and Ray Overholt, Linda and Jim Rummel, and many anonymous donors!

*Providing
Quality Care
TODAY
for responsible adults
TOMORROW*

Chaplain Steve Crowl, Team KJ Rep Amy Mulligan, and Exec. Dir. Ray Overholt happily broke the ground on Oct. 7th for our new Chapel. The building is being erected under the direction of M.G. Contracting at our South Campus. Much of the preliminary work is complete. It is expected that interior work will continue over the winter. We are hoping for a dedication ceremony in the late spring.





9th Annual 5K



**We congratulate our
2017 Overall Winners:**

Women's: Bridget Fetzner (23:04)
(Bridget's 2nd Overall for our 5K!)

Men's: Mark Niezelski (21:19)



Congratulations to our 1st Place Division Winners:

(Back Row left to right): Gavin Varner, Rod Brest,
Jim Tolon, Bridget Fetzner, Mary Tolon, Christine Tolon
(Front left to right): Ron Dombkowski, Nicole Burdick,
Jarvis Miller
(Far left): Amy Smith and Craig Smith
(Far right): Brad Kallay



Special Thanks to **Dan Albaugh,**
of **Erie Runners Club,**
for providing the precision timing.



We greatly appreciate
ERC's support and
Dan's commitment to our event!



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**Can YOU help our youth have a happy Christmas morning?
If you are able to help, please do so by:**

- 1) returning the enclosed envelope with your donation
- 2) Contact Lin Gabriel at 734-4951 or lgabriel@hermitagehouse.org to receive an ornament tag with 1 boy's or girl's gift wish **or** to receive a group of ornaments for your organization.

Thank You for your gift!

NYPUM 2017

We are so grateful to **Brian Lepley** at **Street, Track n Trail** for ongoing support of our NYPUM Program. We especially thank **Steve Wilttrout** for your assistance.

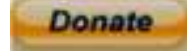
NYPUM also thanks **ProCycle** for offering discounted safety equipment for our young riders.



DID YOU KNOW???

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Simply visit www.hermitagehouse.org and click on



which will take you to the PAYPAL site!

For Christmas donations, simply write "Christmas Collection"

We are proud to announce that our Main Campus facility successfully completed an audit in July and is now officially PREA compliant. Through the audit process, HHYS was assessed on meeting the federal PREA standards for juvenile facilities and was determined to have met 35 standards, exceeded two standards, and four standards were not applicable.

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HOLE-IN-ONE CHALLENGE WINNERS:

Katie Deutsch - age 3
 Jessica Sherman - age 9
 Scott Anderson - age 44

EACH WINNER WAS AWARDED A HOLE-IN-ONE T-SHIRT AND GIFT CARD

Thank you, Carole Mook and Lacy Gallagher !!!



YOGA

"HUMBLE WARRIOR"

Mason Luna (left) happily poses with his grandmother, Marcy Shaffer. Mason won the Scavenger Hunt for children at this year's Heart to Home Festival.

Mason, who is 6-years-old, won a great basket full of Legos and Transformers.

Congratulations, Mason, and enjoy all your new toys!



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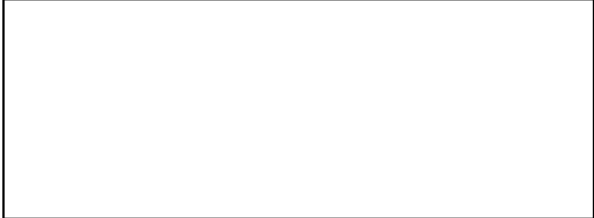


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