

# guild news

A publication for the members of the Children's Hospital Guild Association

## Friends for Life

A young woman overcomes a lot, achieves a lot, and along the way makes lifetime friends.



*Kami Sutton at the Miss Teen of Washington Pageant held at Central Washington University.*

"When I was born I wasn't breathing and I was blue," says 16-year-old Kami Sutton. "Doctors discovered that my heart was on my right side, and at four hours old I was transported to Children's Hospital. I had surgery when I was 12 hours old and when I was 36 hours old. The medical term for my condition is "transposition of the main artery." I've had 16 heart operations and I'm on my third pacemaker."

Twice this past July, Kami was in Children's intensive care unit. Her heart was not strong enough to pump out the fluids that had built up from too much sodium in her system. "The fluids just backed up into my body and I had swelling all over," explains Kami. The swelling occurred slowly over a few months. "I felt bad," she says. For the second time in her life, her cardiologist, Dr. Jeff Stevenson, began a blood workup in preparation for a heart transplant.

Kami, however, had other plans.

With treatment her system stabilized, and when Kami went home she kept to a strict low-sodium diet (only 1,000 milligrams a day), gave up favorites like macaroni and cheese, and slowly but surely got better. She had an incentive.

Last spring she had pre-qualified as a contestant in the Miss Teen of Washington Pageant, a recognition and scholarship event. The pageant's

sponsors sent letters to 500 "achieving young women" inviting them to compete for a place in the pageant. Sixty-two qualified, and on Aug. 14, Kami was among them.

"It was a wonderful weekend," says Kami. "I met so many neat, amazing girls and had so much fun." As one of five finalists, Kami had the opportunity to tell the judges and the audience about her passion for auto racing and for fundraising with the Children's Team Seattle and SOVREN guilds, and about her hope to be a pediatric nurse at Children's. Kami's zest for life came through in her answer to this question: If you were raising a child, what one value would you hope to instill, and why? "To live life to its fullest, because you never know how many more days you're going to have," she said. "When I was born, I wasn't expected to live through the ride to Children's. I choose to live every day to the ultimate and do everything I can to make my life great." Kami was third runner-up and thrilled, saying, "I didn't take my medallion off for a week!"

Kami's smiling face has been seen in many issues of *Guild News* and *Connection* magazine. For the past eight years, she's been a Children's patients spokesperson for Team Seattle's 24 Hours at Daytona and the Pacific Northwest Historic Vintage Car Race; she has also participated in the Miracle Makers Telethon and myriad events and programs. Her enthusiasm and pluck have captured the hearts of many — doctors, nurses, guild members, newscasters, racecar drivers, sports figures and her dear friend, "car salesman" Phil Smart, Sr. She is their wholehearted friend.

# A Conversation with ...

Dr. Michael Mitchell, chief of Urology, Children's Hospital

## Urology is Guild Association's Funding Focus

On Sept. 30, the Guild Association ended its fiscal year with its commitment fulfilled — \$1.5 million had been raised to establish the *Guild Association Endowed Chair for Pediatric Infectious Disease Research*.

In addition to raising needed funds for uncompensated care, the Guild Association's new funding focus is to raise \$1.5 million to establish the *Guild Association Endowed Chair for Pediatric Urology Research*.

Urology is one of the busiest clinics at Children's; it treats more than 800 new patients each year. A team of highly skilled physicians and nurses provides a complete range of diagnostics and treatment for any urologic problem a child or young adult might have. Bladder dysfunction in children can range from urinary incontinence to infections, from the serious bladder malformations associated with spinal cord malformations to misplaced valves or bladder exstrophy — a grievous birth defect in which a child is born with his/her bladder on the outside of the body. Dr. Michael Mitchell, chief of Urology, has pioneered surgical techniques that can correct some of the most complex urologic malformations in children.

Dr. Mitchell came from Riley Children's Hospital in Indianapolis, Indiana, 15 years ago. He says it was in the "pioneer spirit" that he moved west. "Nobody on the West Coast was doing major urinary tract reconstruction for children who had severe congenital defects. Like most people in medicine, I want to help people, and Children's offered me an opportunity to do that by starting this Urology program." Since then, Dr. Mitchell's methods have set the standard for urology care around the world.

Dr. Mitchell and his wife, Connie, are the proud parents of four grown children and have five grandchildren, all of whom live on the East Coast. They are eagerly anticipating Thanksgiving when they will meet their newest little granddaughter, Savanna.



Dr. Michael Mitchell

**Guild News Editor (GNE):** You are known as the world's leading pediatric urologist. How has your research changed the lives of children born with complex urologic malformations?

**Dr. Michael Mitchell (MM):** Because I work with the bladder, I'm concerned with how it develops, and if it is abnormal, I want to discover what the potential is to make it normal. My team worked with children who had major obstructions, like posterior urethral valves, a life-threatening condition in baby boys where urine is trapped in the body by one-way valves and prevented from leaving the bladder. Soon after birth, doctors would surgically divert the urine from the kidneys or bladder to the skin. They saved the kidneys but destroyed the bladder, which remained thickened and scarred. Those born with extreme malformations, like the rare but potentially disastrous bladder exstrophy, underwent multiple surgeries to enclose and close off the bladder, but no effort was made to ensure that the bladder worked. Unfortunately, these children remained incontinent and suffered chronic infections.

When I came to Children's, we elected to not divert the urine, but to destroy the valves and use the surgical techniques that we developed to primarily reconstruct the bladder in the exstrophy patients and ultimately just let the bladder heal. We found that the bladder actually got better very fast and that this occurred because of the normal filling (stretching) and emptying. This was the factor critical to its healing and development. Early repair is necessary for the bladder to develop the normal cycles of filling and emptying during the first few months of life. Children treated with these techniques will grow up with normal, healthy bladders.

**GNE:** What is the next frontier in urological research and medicine?

**MM:** To discover what molecular mechanisms are stimulated by the cycle of filling and emptying, which lead to bladder healing. We're studying some of the growth factors of the epithelium [cells that line the bladder] through cultured cells from exstrophy and obstruction patients. We hope to learn how the stretched cells trigger a response and how they "talk" to the cells below — the muscle and collagen cells that form the wall of the bladder. If, for instance, we learn that there are too many collagen cells, then we could "turn on" a process that would metabolize some of the collagen and make the bladder more stretchy and elastic. That's where we're going.

**GNE:** How will the Guild Association's endowment impact the work of the urology department?

**MM:** The endowment will provide support for our basic research. We've got to find out why these malformations occur and, ideally, prevent them from happening.

FROM LEFT:

Scott Kingdon, Jr.  
and Bonnie Sanchez  
Scott, members of  
the Scott Kingdon  
Memorial Guild.

# Guild Talk

## Congratulations to Our New Guilds

### **Scott Kingdon Memorial Guild, King County**

The guild is named in memory of Ivar's restaurants owner Scott Kingdon, who died a few years ago at the age of 51. Kingdon was a cardiac patient at Children's in the 1950s, when he was not expected to live to adulthood. He attributed his longevity to the care that he had received as a child. His son, Scott Kingdon, Jr., president of Ivar's, also is grateful to Children's — not only for the care his father received, but also because he was treated for leukemia at Children's when he was a young boy. Guild members are family and friends of the Kingdons and Ivar's employees. The guild will raise funds to benefit Children's Heart Center through their event, "The Grand Clam" golf tournament.

### **A Common Bond Guild, Snohomish County**

Melissa Norris credits Children's Infant Intensive Care Unit (IICU) with "really understanding the extremely stressful situation parents of sick babies are in." She hopes that the comfort kits that her guild will provide to IICU families will provide some practical support. Norris formed the guild in honor of her baby daughter, Charlotte, who died this year while being cared for in the IICU. Members of the guild are friends who have lost an infant due to serious illness or have had a child treated in the IICU, and their families.

### **Julie Strother Guild, King County**

Meredith Gibson was encouraged to form this guild by her family friend and Guild Association trustee, Sharon McCagg. Meredith named the guild after a childhood friend who was a Children's patient and died of cancer in the late 1990s. Gibson has profound memories of visiting her friend at Children's and witnessing "the incredible compassion the nurses had for their patients and the sensitivity they used in explaining Julie's condition to her friends when they came to see her." The guild's fundraising efforts will support the Children's Nursing Research Fund.

## WELCOME TO OUR NEW GUILD ASSOCIATION MEMBERS

The following members joined between Aug. 1 and Oct. 15, 2004.

Angela Ameny, Nightingale Guild  
Maureen P. Atkins, Imagine Guild  
Riley Atkins, Imagine Guild  
Tessie Baird, For the Love of Jacob Guild  
Beverly D. Barry, Tillicum Guild  
Susan Bennett, KC Howard Guild  
Agnes M. Beresford, Guild Associate  
Michelle Black, Marblemount Auxiliary  
Margaret G. Bland, Tillicum Guild  
Loretta Borowski, Issaquah Guild  
Sonya D. Byorick, Jordyn Dukelow Memorial Guild  
Ben Callahan, Jordyn Dukelow Memorial Guild  
Theresa Callahan, Jordyn Dukelow Memorial Guild  
Audrey C. Cambronero-Obiniana, Nightingale Guild  
Daena R. Cambronero-Umagat, Nightingale Guild  
Cecelia A. Campbell, Dr. Carl S. Leede Guild  
Erin S. Carlson, A Common Bond Guild  
Judy Carroll, Guild Associate  
Ellen R. Cavan, Guild Associate  
Bernadette Y. Chaves, Nightingale Guild  
Janet Cline, Friendly Village Guild  
Jan Clotfelter, Guild Associate  
Lisa J. Cole, Miracle House Guild  
Philip Coleman, Julie Strother Guild  
Dianna L. Cooper, Nightingale Guild  
Susan L. Cooper, Mackenzie Nesbitt Guild  
Sally Cruikshank, Guild Associate  
Ruby Daly, A Common Bond Guild  
Susan Detlor, Friends of Costco Guild  
Mary E. Dodd, Azalea Guild  
Jeremy A. Dodsworth, Indu Nair Guild  
Bonnie Donaldson, Friendly Village Guild  
Mary L. Eden, Betsey Wilson Guild  
Nylene F. Elliott, Guild Associate  
Mark A. Engleking, Jordyn Dukelow Memorial Guild  
Pamela W. Eshelman, Windermere Dr. Merrill Shaw Guild  
Theresa Evans, Windermere Dr. Merrill Shaw Guild  
Daniel Fletcher, Dr. Patrick J. Healey Guild  
Emily Fletcher, Dr. Patrick J. Healey Guild  
Sarah S. Frankenberg, Frances W. Nordstrom Guild  
Beth Gibson, Julie Strother Guild  
Meredith R. Gibson, Julie Strother Guild  
Paul Gibson, Julie Strother Guild  
Jennifer Gietzen, Windermere Dr. Merrill Shaw Guild  
Kathie E. Gustin, Dr. A. G. Allen Auxiliary  
Susan M. Harmon, Nightingale Guild  
Mae Harper, Guild Associate  
Mary Lou Harrington, Friends of Costco Guild  
Kari Hatlen, Miracle House Guild  
Joyce Heikell, Guild Associate  
Turine Higgins, Jean Thompson Guild  
Gretchen C. Howard, Guild Associate  
Caroline D. Hughes, Frances W. Nordstrom Guild  
Patricia S. Jackson, Primary Immunodeficiency Research Guild  
Lauren E. Jacox, Primary Immunodeficiency Research Guild  
Colette L. Jobs, KC Howard Guild  
Patricia A. Johnson, East Hill Meridian Guild  
Phyllis I. Kempter, Ephrata F Guild  
Daniel Kern, Hope With a Heart Guild  
Mac Kern, Hope With a Heart Guild  
Scott Kingdon, Jr., Scott Kingdon Memorial Guild  
Laura M. Komen, Frances W. Nordstrom Guild  
Joan M. Lawson, Emily Goudie Guild  
Lynne Little, Ann Wilson Guild  
Marianne D. Mack, Guild Associate  
Louise Malmo, Guild Associate  
Kimberly A. Mecham, Eleanor Henry Reed Guild  
Katy Mills, Mackenzie Nesbitt Guild  
Margaret E. Moore, Guild Associate  
Tracy Moran, A Common Bond Guild  
Michelle L. Murray, KC Howard Guild  
Kay Myers, Marblemount Auxiliary  
Susan K. Nicol, The Lollipop Guild  
Kimberly B. Noble, Mackenzie Nesbitt Guild  
Jeanne M. Noel, Nightingale Guild  
Melissa E. Norris, A Common Bond Guild  
Chris G. Pallis, Team Seattle Guild  
Anne H. Peschel, Friends of Costco Guild  
Sharon L. Petryszak, Dr. Forrest L. Flashman Guild  
Sonia Pillman, Scott Kingdon Memorial Guild  
Rosalia M. Powell, Panorama City Guild  
Deborah J. Powers, Nightingale Guild  
Karen S. Prins, Preston Kuppe Guild  
Evelyn M. Ramos, PT Cruiser Guild  
Patricia L. Randall, Silverdale Guild  
Suzanne Rebele, Windermere Dr. Merrill Shaw Guild  
Rebecca A. Ringhouse, Windermere Dr. Merrill Shaw Guild  
Edythe Rose, Guild Associate  
Bonnie Sanchez, Scott Kingdon Memorial Guild  
Shane A. Sanderson, Primary Immunodeficiency Research Guild  
Annie Saunders, Hope With a Heart Guild  
Dr. John G. Schreuder, Primary Immunodeficiency Research Guild  
Constance J. Schwegel, Primary Immunodeficiency Research Guild  
Stephanie J. Singler, Frances W. Nordstrom Guild  
Judith Slemmons, Guild Associate  
Kimberly Smerekanych, Preston Kuppe Guild  
Joy D. Smith, Guild Associate  
Janet M. Starr, Nightingale Guild  
Kimberly Striker Hall, Preston Kuppe Guild  
Frances C. Sutton, Rachel Knott Guild  
Gary Szymanski, Jordyn Dukelow Memorial Guild  
Kathy Szymanski, Jordyn Dukelow Memorial Guild  
Helen M. Tafajian, Eva Smith Guild  
Helen Terrell, Guild Associate  
Karen Vail, Marblemount Auxiliary  
Esther Van Winkle, Guild Associate  
Avis Warne, Guild Associate  
Margie Wasson, Windermere Dr. Merrill Shaw Guild  
Anita Weidkamp, Marblemount Auxiliary  
Janice M. Werle, Guild Associate  
Kay F. Wood, Guild Associate  
Aubrey B. Zimney, A Common Bond Guild

#### FROM LEFT:

*Beth and Meredith Gibson, members of the Julie Strother Guild.*



*Dr. Russell Saneto, his wife, Kathleen, and Mitochondrial Research Guild President Jill Herczog at the "Cure for Mito" event.*

# Round of Applause



*Members of the Kent Guild celebrate their 75th.*

On May 21, the **Kent Guild**, founded in 1929, celebrated its 75th anniversary with a gala luncheon at the historic Dr. Owen Taylor house. (The home, now owned by member Pat Curran and her husband, Pete, was the site of one of the guild's very first meetings.) More than 100 women attended, and a highlight of the afternoon was an exquisite vintage fashion show presented by Rosalie Pfiefer and her models from Children's South King County Thrift Store in Kent.

On a beautiful evening in June, members of the **Hillside Guild** hosted their 78th annual summer cocktail party at the beautiful home of Dr. and Mrs. Fidler of Bellevue. Proceeds from the party, which included a silent auction, came to \$10,000, and "a good time was had by all," says Judith White, guild president.



*Tate Goldberg gets hands-on instruction at the new research lab. Tate is four and was diagnosed with PI at 3 months.*

Families and friends and members of the **Primary Immunodeficiency (PI) Research Guild** toured the brand-new research lab on Aug. 28 with Children's doctors

Hans Ochs and Andrew Scharenberg. Following, all were invited to attend a Seattle Mariners game in one of the suites. Attendees showed their support by either joining the guild or buying a raffle ticket to help fund PI research. All raffle proceeds will benefit PI research and be matched by the Jeffrey Modell Foundation.

On Sept. 11, the **SOVREN Guild** and The Greater Kirkland Chamber of Commerce presented the second annual Phil Smart Inc. Kirkland Concours d'Elegance at Carillon Point and raised \$70,000. Guests experienced a blast from the past as they perused 75 of the most spectacular, rare and beautiful antiques: Jaguars, Ferraris, Foreign Classics and American Classics. Duesenberg was the featured class and 17 Model J Duesenbergs were on display. Special thanks to sponsors Phil Smart Mercedes-Benz; Woodmark Hotel; Cutter & Buck; AAA of Washington; Carillon Properties; Hart Properties; Griot's Garage and Park Place Motors.



*Chair of the Guild Association and Somerset Guild member Kandy Holley and her husband, Rick, at the Mystery Auction.*

The **Somerset Guild's** 5th Annual Mystery Auction, "A Star-Spangled Evening," was held on Sept. 11 at the home of Rick and Kandy Holley. One hundred thirty guests attended this festive event, topped (due to rain!) by a tent. Auctioneer Jill Kenly had the audience in stitches with her interpretation of the clever clues for several fun "mystery" items. The guild raised \$62,000 for Children's Hospital.



Members of the **Imagine Guild** gathered with Seattle Mariners second baseman Bret Boone following a poster-signing event on Sept. 11 that raised more than \$6,000 for Children's. Destination Harley-Davidson underwrote "Boonie's" limited-edition poster featuring the Mariners great on a Harley at home plate. To purchase a poster, visit the guild's Web site at [www.childrens-ride.com](http://www.childrens-ride.com).

The **Preston Kuppe Guild** presented a wine tasting and a silent auction and raffle of wine-related items at member Jolene Logue's home. They had a wonderful evening and raised \$1,500 for Children's.

On Sept. 18 and 19, despite rain, wind and a Husky football game, the **Marna Bloom Fleetwood Guild's** annual Children's Garden Sale was a flourishing success, raising \$2,000. Due to hospital construction, the guild held the sale in the fall rather than the spring, but gardeners should watch for the announcement of the April garden sale in the spring issue of *Guild News*.

The **Dr. Samuel Gordon Brooks Guild's** 22nd Annual Anacortes Home & Boat Tour on Sept. 19 was a glowing success with record attendance. The self-guided tour featured homes in Anacortes, where a century of architecture was represented. Two boats and a builder of luxury yachts were in the tour, which with the raffle raised more than \$11,000 for Children's.



On Sept. 10, the **Mitochondrial Research Guild** raised \$180,000 for Children's Neurology Department at their "Cure for Mito" auction and dinner at the beautiful Willows Lodge in Woodinville. Guild members are passionate about raising funds to support Children's neurologist Dr. Russell Saneto's mitochondrial disease research efforts. Members extend sincere appreciation to sponsors Callison Architecture; Kennedy Associates Real Estate Counsel Inc.; Trammell Crow Company; Sellen Construction; the McDevitt family, in honor of Tim McDevitt; Willows Lodge and MTM Management; JM Cellars — and special thanks to matching donors Kathy and Warren Lammert.



Members of the **PT Cruiser Guild** present their donation raised through *Sea Cruise 2*.

The **PT Cruiser Guild** cruised on in to Ocean Shores Sept. 17, 18 and 19 and hosted *Sea Cruise 2*, which raised \$15,500. More than 75 cars were registered, and participants took in car shows, trunk displays, parades, a silent auction and live musical entertainment. To view *Sea Cruise 2* photos, visit the guild's Web site at [www.ptcruiserguild.com](http://www.ptcruiserguild.com).



(LEFT) *Ann Wychoff* with *Kate Webster*, former Children's Hospital Board chair, at the *Alma Stewart Ballinger anniversary event*.

The **Alma Stewart Ballinger Guild** held a very successful Dinner and Music Party at the Sunset Club in Seattle on Sept. 30 that celebrated the guild's 50th anniversary. From the inception to the evening

of the event, the guild enjoyed generous support from long-time friends, which allowed members to raise \$5,000 for Children's. Thank you to Golden Pacific Embossing and M.C. Lile Printing; to Cal Knudsen and Argyle Vineyard; and to Stewart Ballinger, son of Alma Ballinger, who entertained guests with songs and memories. Member Alice Lewis says that "the evening overflowed — a lovely dinner and champagne, the comfort of old friends, music and dancing. It was great!"



Children's brain tumor patient *Allison Trudeau* and her mom, *Jennifer*, speak at the *Jordyn Dukelow Memorial Guild Auction*.

The **Jordyn Dukelow Memorial Guild** presented its fifth annual auction on Oct. 9 with a new theme, "Cruise for a Cure" 2004. "This year we took on the tremendous task of changing the theme and venue, and our efforts paid off," says member Heidi Hendrickson. "It was a huge success!" Two silent auctions, a live auction, a dessert contest and a live musical performance all helped members raise more than \$100,000 for the Children's Brain Tumor Research Program. Congratulations!



The "red hat ladies" were in attendance at the *Leede Guild's fashion show*.

Members of the **Dr. Carl S. Leede Guild** successfully raised \$5,000 on Oct. 2 at their "Step into Fall for Children's" fashion show at Anthony's Homeport in Edmonds. Featured fashions were from Chico's of University Village.



Volunteers share the holiday spirit.

On Oct. 16, Husky fans brought their team spirit and a lot more to Husky Stadium for the Washington-Oregon State game. Members of the **Guardian Angel Guild**, **Inglemoor JOG** and volunteers from Les Schwab collected 86 bags of toys and more than \$11,000 in donations for patients at Children's. Toys are given to patients through the holidays and the coming year. Thanks to Q13/WB22.

# This & That



## 2005 Annual Meeting

Please note that the annual meeting of the Children's Guild Association will take place on Thursday, April 28, 2005, at the Westin in downtown Seattle, not at the Sheraton Hotel as previously noted. Watch for further details about this inspiring guild event in the spring issue of *Guild News*.

## Guild Members Achieve Funding Focus Goal

That Guild Association members may be accurately described as overachievers is evidenced by their most recent remarkable achievement — raising \$1.5 million to establish the Guild Association Endowed Chair for Pediatric Infectious Disease Research in just one year. This outstanding accomplishment typifies the commitment and can-do spirit of Children's guild members and is what makes the Guild Association the most successful organization of its kind in the nation.

"I cannot imagine a more compassionate and dedicated group of individuals than our Guild Association," says Kandy Holley, Guild Association chair. "Our members are passionate about children's health and know that by supporting cutting-edge research, we personally will have a significant, positive impact on children's lives here in the Northwest and around the world. I am so proud to be associated with this outstanding group."

*Morning hosts Jackie and Bender with patient Renae Goettel and her guide dog, Lucy, at last year's One Big KISS Radiothon last year.*



## 4th Annual One Big KISS for Children's Hospital Radiothon

*Feb. 9–12, Children's Hospital*

You're invited to volunteer for the Radiothon, a four-day event broadcast live from Children's Hospital and featuring interviews with patients, families, staff and volunteers. Last year more than \$880,000 was raised, and much of that success was due to the work of hundreds of dedicated volunteers. If you are interested in serving on a phone panel or with pledge processing, please contact Maureen Wilson at (206) 987-4818 or [maureen.wilson@seattlechildrens.org](mailto:maureen.wilson@seattlechildrens.org) for details.

## Children's Hospital Health Fair

*Saturday, Feb. 7, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m., Children's Hospital Sound Café*

The finale to the Radiothon is the Children's Hospital Health Fair. Learn about hospitalization, health and safety through activities that include a Teddy Bear Clinic, a visit from the Tooth Fairy, ambulance tours, nutrition education, finger casting, microscope viewing stations, wheelchair obstacle courses and more. Activities are geared for children ages 3–8. Thank you to sponsor, Newman's Own.

## Membership Open House

*Saturday, March 5, 9:30 to noon, Children's Hospital Wright Auditorium*

Invite friends, colleagues and family members who are interested in forming or joining a guild to attend this fun, free event. Guest speaker Kiko VanZandt, Children's Rehab nurse clinician, will present "FACES," the art of outpatient nursing at Children's. Also included are hospital tours, refreshments, door prizes, goodies and guild information. Guild applications will be available and accepted. Space is limited, and early RSVPs are appreciated. Contact Carly McDowell at (206) 987-4923 or [carly.mcdowell@seattlechildrens.org](mailto:carly.mcdowell@seattlechildrens.org).

## Be at the Starting Line for a Great Guild Project

The Guild Association is seeking a guild to take over the management of the Run for Children's event — a 5K run/walk and a one-mile fun walk for families. Under the leadership of the Laura Brigman Guild, the Run for Children's has become a very successful guild project — it raised more than \$17,000 in June. The run is fun, rewarding and in need of a guild committed to its continued success. For more information, please contact Wendy Funicello in the Guild Association office, (206) 987-4876, or at [wendy.funicello@seattlechildrens.org](mailto:wendy.funicello@seattlechildrens.org).

# What's for Sale

**Tully's Gift Cards Benefit Children's** Purchase \$10 and \$20 Tully's Coffee gift cards and 10 percent of the sale will benefit Children's. Cards are available year-round at the Children's Hospital Gift Shop on the first floor or by calling (206) 987-2238. All phone orders require a credit card. Selling the cards is also a great guild project; call Lesley Odland at (206) 233-2070 for more information.

**Dish It Up! A Children's Charity Cookbook** The Tri-Cities Women for Children Guild has created a cookbook full of great recipes provided by members, friends and families. The book features more than 150 pages of recipes and is illustrated with artwork by Tri-Cities children who received care at Children's. Cookbooks are \$15 each, plus \$4 shipping and handling; to order, e-mail [deedeemcneill@charter.net](mailto:deedeemcneill@charter.net) or call (509) 374-0777.

**Embossed Bambino Note Cards and Seals** Card package of 10, \$7; seal package of 50, \$6. (425) 641-1855, Somerset Guild.

**Bambino Charms** Gold-filled, \$18; sterling silver, \$14. Available at Children's Gift Shop. Dr. D.A. Nicholson Guild.

**Crystal Bambino Earrings and Pendant** Created with gold or silver tone by Kusak Cut Glass Works. Earrings, \$40; pendant, \$20. (206) 985-6703. Dr. Jane L. Burns Guild.

**Handmade Baby Gifts** Already made or special-order gifts: beautiful sweaters, booties and hat sets, receiving blankets, crocheted afghans, crib-size quilts. (206) 985-6703 or [barbjking@msn.com](mailto:barbjking@msn.com). Dr. Jane L. Burns Guild.

**Baby Burp Cloths** Handmade with 100-percent cotton prewashed diapers, with assorted ribbon trim; \$6.50 each, or three for \$18. (425) 488-9653. Marna Bloom Fleetwood Guild.

**Babies' Beaded Socks** White, light blue, and light pink socks with multicolored bead handiwork, newborn to 1-year sizes, small and medium; \$12 per pair, plus 80 cents shipping. (509) 973-3290 or (206) 499-2200. Andrew Early Guild.

**Crystal Bambino Ornament** Ornament created by Kusak Cut Glass Works; \$15 plus postage. (206) 367-0849. Olive Claire Griffiths Guild.

**Handmade Cards** One-of-a-kind cards: birthday, thank-you, and blank; six cards plus envelopes for \$14. E-mail [lmawer@rchco.com](mailto:lmawer@rchco.com). Emily Goudie Guild.

**"I Love Kids" Pins** Handcrafted by our junior guild members; \$2 each includes shipping. We love large orders! (509) 973-3280. Andrew Early Guild.

**Freshly Roasted Coffee** Camano Island Coffee Roasters certified organic coffee, \$9.95/lb. plus shipping, benefits the Brain Tumor Research Program. (360) 387-7493. Jordyn Dukelow Memorial Guild.

**"We Love Kids" Terry Bib** White terry bib with poly PVC liner to protect against spills, 15" x 31"; \$10 plus \$1.65 shipping. To order, contact Mary McMillin, P.O. Box 3955, Sequim, WA 98382, or [mcnwife@olympen.com](mailto:mcnwife@olympen.com). Sequim Guild.

**Miracle House Cookbook** Enjoy 200 favorite recipes from Miracle House Guild members, friends and families; \$10 plus \$1 shipping. E-mail [wandlingjones@msn.com](mailto:wandlingjones@msn.com). Miracle House Guild.

**Hand-Knit Scarves** Beautiful hand-knit scarves make great gifts for the holidays and special occasions. Select from a large inventory. To order, call (206) 987-2153 (Monday through Friday, days) or (206) 361-7694 (evenings), or e-mail [terry.dimaio@seattlechildrens.org](mailto:terry.dimaio@seattlechildrens.org). Casting On for Kids Guild.

**I ♥ Kids Products** Kids' short-sleeve t-shirts, silk-screened logo: pastel blue or pink, white, navy and purple, \$10. Adult sizes with embroidered logo: long-sleeve shirts, stone-washed blue or navy, \$22; short sleeve, gray, navy or pine, \$14; adult sweatshirts, navy, black or gray, \$25. Adult baker's apron, stone-washed denim, royal blue or black, with silk-screened logo, \$16; kids' backpacks, blue or black, \$16; fleece scarves, red, royal blue, navy, \$8; tote bags, \$15; bistro-style coffee mug, navy w/silver logo, \$6; baseball caps, khaki, navy or black, \$12. To order, call the Children's Volunteer Office, (206) 789-2155. Dr. Jack M. Docter Guild.

## Mark Your Calendar

Please inform the Guild Association Office of the results of your guild's event or project so that your success can be recognized in our next issue of *Guild News*. (Please see contact information on the back cover.)

### Holiday Affair

**Friday, Dec. 3, 10 a.m., Children's Hospital Sound Café Dining Rooms, 5th Floor** Shop the holiday sale of exquisite gift baskets, baked goods, fresh poinsettias and a raffle presented by the Dr. Jack M. Docter Guild.

**Seattle Children's Theatre "Bunnacula"**  
**Sunday, Dec. 5, 2 p.m., Eve Alvord Theatre, Seattle Center** A dancing cat, howling dog and vampire bunny — the perfect pet combination for any family. These furry friends sing and dance their way through a hilarious mystery. Tickets are \$25 and can be purchased by calling (206) 365-0138. Helen Morrison Guild.

### Holiday Luncheon

**Monday, Dec. 6, 11 a.m., Elliott Grand Hyatt Hotel** Join members of the KC Howard Guild for their festive annual luncheon and auction. For more information, call (206) 987-2777.

### 2005 New Member Brunch

**Saturday, Jan. 22, 9 to 11:45 a.m., Children's Hospital Sound Café (for new members); Fundraising training presentations, noon to 1:30 p.m. (for all guild members).** All members who joined in late 2003 and in 2004 are encouraged to attend a free brunch featuring speaker Kim Korte, manager of Children's Child Life Department, who will share "A Child's View." All members are invited to attend three outstanding fundraising presentations:

> **Basic Training 101** — an overview of roles and responsibilities for guild treasurers, with emphasis on compliance, IRS and general book-keeping procedures, raffle do's and don'ts, etc.

> **Advanced Basic Training** — an expanded overview recommended for guilds that raise \$10,000 or more annually.

> **Guild Fundraising and Project Planning — Fundamentally Speaking!** — a presentation of ideas for keeping your guild fresh and fun.

Watch for information in the mail. Space is limited, so R.S.V.P. now for the New Member Brunch or the presentations. Contact Claudine Schneider at (206) 987-4827 or [claudine.schneider@seattlechildrens.org](mailto:claudine.schneider@seattlechildrens.org).

### 2005 Rolex 24 Hours at Daytona

**Feb. 5 and 6** Team Seattle and Children's have teamed up for the most famous sports-car endurance race in America. Be on the winning team by pledging your donation for each lap Team Seattle completes. Your pledge will be based upon the total laps accomplished by both Team Seattle cars, not to exceed 700 laps. To pledge, contact Barbara Koler in the Guild Association office, (206) 987-4877, or e-mail [barbara.koler@seattlechildrens.org](mailto:barbara.koler@seattlechildrens.org).

# Our Mission

We believe all children have unique needs and should grow up without illness and injury. With the support of the community and through our spirit of inquiry, we will prevent, treat and eliminate pediatric disease.

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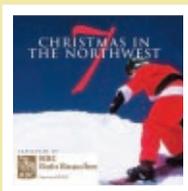
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## Memorable "Edgar Night"



On Oct. 2, during the memorable "Edgar Night" at Safeco Field, Ed Wallace, Sr., of Destination Harley-Davidson presented a check for \$13,600 to Kandy Holley, Children's Guild Association chair and Wendy Funicello, Guild Association project manager. In cooperation with Mariners Care, Destination Harley-Davidson donated \$100 to Children's Hospital for every Mariners home run hit this past season.

## Christmas in the Northwest 7



Purchase the newly released Christmas in the Northwest 7 at Amazon.com, Bartell Drugs, Ikea, Made in Washington stores, Safeway, Silver Platters and Walgreens. Money-saving coupons for holiday entertainment and activities are included in the CD. For more information, visit [www.christmasinthenorthwest.com](http://www.christmasinthenorthwest.com). The CD is presented by RBC Dain Rauscher and The Children's Music Fund Inc. to benefit Children's uncompensated care.

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