

Foundation for Annie Jeffrey
ANNUAL REPORT for our Fiscal year – July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020

The *Foundation for Annie Jeffrey* is a non-profit corporation organized to provide funding for projects (such as new medical equipment or facility renovations) that promote health care in the communities served by Annie Jeffrey Health Center. The *Foundation* is governed by an eight-person volunteer board. The hospital foundation keeps track of funds which are donated and for what purpose they are donated; seeks grants and other outside funding; provides tax reports to the IRS; recognizes donors in newsletters and on our Wall of Commitment; helps publish quarterly newsletters; plans fund raising events; and participates in numerous hospital and clinic activities. Donations to the foundation qualify as tax-deductible charitable gifts.

Here is a recap of the past years events and activities:

In August with funds from the golf tournament, the *Foundation* purchased an E-Z Lift for Annie Jeffrey Health Center.

In September, the *Foundation for Annie Jeffrey* kicked off its annual campaign to raise money to update our Mammography from 2D to 3D. At their May meeting, the *Foundation for Annie Jeffrey* Board of Directors voted to donate funds from their annual campaign to Annie Jeffrey Health Center to purchase the 3D upgrade to our Mammography machine. New information shows that almost 29% of invasive breast cancers are missed by 2D mammography.

The *Foundation* helped sponsor the 9th annual Lady's Night Out in October. The ladies enjoyed an evening of wine, delicious appetizers and coming together in the fight against breast cancer. Michelle Pruter and Nataly Sanley, Annie Jeffrey Mammography Techs, were available throughout the night to show the ladies the advantages of the recent 3D upgrade and the new SmartCurve paddles Annie Jeffrey has that offer a more comfortable exam.

The Annie Jeffrey Volunteers celebrated their 24th anniversary in November and received a Serve Nebraska certificate signed by the Governor in honor of their dedication.

The annual *Foundation* Family Tree Celebration was held in December. Funds raised from this event were used to help fund new equipment. This event allows community members to purchase ornaments to hang on a Christmas tree at Annie Jeffrey Health Center to remember and honor loved ones.

In February, the *Foundation* held their annual Wine & Beer Fest fundraiser at The Rose Colored Glass in Stromsburg. The money raised helped with our annual campaign.

The *Foundation* paid for a new bassinet and physical therapy rebounder and combo weight rack with mirror with most of the funds coming from the Annie Jeffrey Volunteers. The Annie Jeffrey Volunteers run the Thrift Shop in downtown Osceola and donate their proceeds to help the hospital pay for special items. They have donated \$117,560 over 24 years to the hospital.

The *Foundation* continued working with UNMC on a Tele-Dermatology clinic at Annie Jeffrey in the future.

The *Foundation for Annie Jeffrey* awards scholarships to the following high schools: Shelby/Rising City High School, Cross Country High School, Osceola High School and High-Plains High School. The winners of this year's *Foundation for Annie Jeffrey* scholarships are: Jayne Vrbka, McKensey Pinney, Kamron Pokorney, Amanda Giannou and Libby Scott. These scholarships are in addition to the scholarships offered to Annie Jeffrey employees.

The Dietary department held a one-day event for our Fit & Healthy Kids, teaching the kids knife safety, proper handwashing techniques and food safety with raw and fresh ingredients. The best part was eating the foods they made!

In June, golfers from vendors and local businesses participated in the twelfth annual *Foundation for Annie Jeffrey* golf tournament at Ryan Hill Golf Course. Proceeds from this annual event will be used to purchase a recovery room bed for Annie Jeffrey Health Center.

For more information about the *Foundation*, call Joe Lohrman at 402-747-2031 or Susan Chrastil at 402-418-1852.

The Foundation for Annie Jeffrey Board members are:

Brian Beckner
 Kathy Gabel
 LeRoy Gerrard
 John Girard
 Margie Hayes
 Mary Lerch
 Steven J. Peterson
 Karen Stevens

Income

Annual Campaign	\$88,776.93
Golf	\$5,600.00
Foundation Family Tree	\$1,035.00
Interest	\$1,209.80
Wine Fest	\$6,235.00

Expenses

3D Mammography	\$90,000.00
E-Z Lift	\$5,352.81
Bassinet & PT equipment	\$4,500.00
Scholarships	\$3,043.00
Supplies, Advertising, etc.	\$3,946.10

TOTAL Income \$102,856.73

TOTAL Expenses paid \$106,841.91