HOST AN EVENT
Parties with a Purpose

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IT TOOK 128 YEARS TO ASK FOR HELP....

Every day, front line workers at Southern New Hampshire Health are seeing increasing gaps in the health needs of patients. In addition to medical care, our patients are struggling with multiple barriers related to food insecurity, lack of access to transportation for medical appointments and significant stigma when it comes to seeking support for issues around mental health and substance use.

Over the last year, we have been building the Legacy Trust of Southern New Hampshire Health to improve the overall health and wellness of the community both within and beyond our hospital campus. Our priority initiative, Project HELP, is designed to Help Everyone Leave Prepared as they are discharged from the hospital. This includes sending patients home with servings of soup, arranging rides for follow-up appointments when needed, and providing basic supplies for people that can’t access or afford necessary items for their care. We also need to support patients needing specialized care, as well as ensure we are prepared for any future health threats impacting our community.

WE DON’T DO FANCY GALAS

Our priorities require that every cent of our donors’ contributions go directly to support our mission, so we are not planning events that require significant overhead or staffing. That’s where you come in! Instead, we are seeking to develop an array of community-hosted events through house parties, backyard BBQs, game nights, wine tastings, and more. The more creative, the better!

WILL YOU HOST A “PARTY WITH A PURPOSE”? 

If you enjoy entertaining friends and colleagues, we would love to partner with you for a Party with a Purpose to raise funds for the Legacy Trust of Southern New Hampshire Health. We can provide support with planning and logistics, invitation templates and more. This information is designed to help you get started envisioning the perfect event for your venue and guests – whether it’s your living room, backyard, local park, café or church basement.

Please contact Betsy Houde at (603) 281-9862 or Betsy.Houde@snhhs.org to talk about collaborative opportunities to raise funds for the Legacy Trust.
Parties with a Purpose

What’s better than a room full of friends and family, coming together for a good cause?

A party with a purpose is the perfect way to support the Legacy Trust of Southern New Hampshire Health while having fun with people you care about. If you don’t think you’re a pro-party planner, don’t worry! We will help you plan your event.

We recommend having a theme for your party. Anything goes! Host a birthday party and ask for donations to the Legacy Trust in lieu of gifts; celebrate an anniversary and invite guests to donate in honor of the happy couple. The options are endless.

As the host, you will:

- Choose the location
- Provide the food and beverages
- Identify the guest list
- Pick a fundraising goal

You can choose your own invitations or use our template. We’re happy to send the invitations to your guests if that helps!

During the event, we can provide a speaker, banners or posters featuring the Legacy Trust’s mission and priorities, handouts for your guests and a basket to collect contributions. While it helps to have a fundraising goal for your event, every donation makes a difference, and no contribution is too small.

We need you to help us spread the word about the important work happening through the Legacy Trust of Southern New Hampshire Health. We’ve assembled some ideas and local information to help you envision the perfect event for your time and budget. We appreciate your help!

THEME IDEAS
- Holidays
- Birthdays
- Health anniversaries
- Remembering a loved one
- Congratulations party
- Recovery celebration
- Memorial gathering
- Sports fun
- Solstice party
- Half-Birthdays, and more!

BUDGET-FRIENDLY BASHES

Hosting a party can be fun and affordable! Here are some ideas to consider to stretch your budget:

- **Take advantage of nature** – host a picnic or BBQ in your backyard, favorite park or waterfront.
- **Invite guests to your home** – host a gathering in your house or apartment.
- **Share menu options** – ask guests to bring a main dish or an appetizer, or plan a cooking party where people divide into teams and prepare food together. Another easy favorite is to ask everyone to bring their favorite pizza and have a vote for the best pizza!
- **Consider a BYOB event** – the cost of alcohol can be expensive, so ask guests to bring their own.
- **Team up with a friend** – spread the cost of hosting an event over more than just one person.
NASHUA-AREA VENUES

The following list of greater Nashua event spaces was compiled to give our event hosts a general sense of the seating capacity and cost for hosting a local event in a restaurant or catering hall. Please contact the venues directly for the most up-to-date menus, seating options and anticipated cost.

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For more information or help planning your Party with a Purpose, please contact

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