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HARRISBURG MEDICAL CENTER FOUNDATION HOLDS ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL FUNDRAISING EVENT

Harrisburg Medical Center Foundation held our annual fundraiser, *Great Gatsby Casino Night*, on Saturday, April 28, 2018. "Our committee did a wonderful job and was very excited about our charitable gaming night. We had delicious food, fantastic entertainment and raised over \$11,000 in support of Harrisburg Medical Center. We are very thankful to our community for their support," said Courtney Drone, Foundation Executive Director.

The event was underwritten by the following that were recognized in our advertising and programs for the evening.

Royal Flush Sponsors: Dogwood Hills Communications, Dr. Michael & Tammy Blain, Farmers State Bank, Heartland Mechanical Contractors, Illinicare Health, Peoples National Bank, SIH, Williams & Associates, and WKI.

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Full House Sponsors: Dr. & Mrs. Larry Jones, Beam's Alarm LLC, Ms. Rebecca Mitchell, State Representative Natalie Phelps-Finnie, and Steward Chiropractic Center.

Game Table Sponsors: In Memory of Danny Ragan, HMC Medical Staff, and Jelliffe Doerge & Phelps

We would also like to thank the businesses and individuals who made monetary and silent auction item donations: Dr. & Mrs. Charles Johnson, Ann Durham, State Senator Dale Fowler, Dinger Bats, Chris Street at Jim Hayes, Inc., Angie Yong – Perfectly Posh, Kasey Oglesby, Gin Price at Mirage Salon, Auto Zone, Mackie's Pizza, Harrisburg High School Athletics Department, CURLEQ Salon, Nadine Williams, Harrisburg Veterinary Clinic, Legence Bank, Williams Hill Pass, Silkworm, Ross Cottom Lanes, Eclipz Salon, Tri-State Business Equipment, James Williams, Ray Wallace, SI Dollar Saver, Joyner Therapy Center, Holiday World & Splashin' Safari, Southern Illinois Miners Baseball, Point Blank Range, Pickford Flowers, SI Workwear, Chocolate Factory, Craze Concepts, Fringe Salon, Erik Burtis, Steam Café, One Fine Day Photography & Salon, Angi's Eats & Sweets, Lindsey Atkins, Wit & Wisdom, Whimsey Children's Boutique, TCC Wireless, Shawnee Fitness, Dream Baskets, Oma Farmer, PLC Creations, Eldorado High

School Athletics Department, Morello's Restaurant & Catering, Child of Mine, Six Flags St. Louis, Koerner Distributor, Matilda Jane, and Korte Construction.

Special thanks to the Casino Night committee: Tricia Johnson, Jessica Stricklin, Denae Chapman, Kaitlyn Stout-Wilson, Lindsey Atkins, Alex Watkins, Tracey Brasel, Courtney Drone, and Kendra Zirkelbach.

We could not have done it without the help of our HMC and community volunteers: Charley Ferguson, Dorene Ewell, Kim Greenwell, Mandi Ratliff, Julie Metten, Tara Ferguson, Kendra McHugh, Troy Martin, Natasha Barger, Robin Bartok, Jarrett Hines, Tracey Brasel, Kaitlyn Stout-Wilson, Denae Chapman, Whitney Taylor, Lori Cook, Jessica Weirauch, Steve Black, Tom Butler, Jeff Thomas, Missy Furlong, and Lindsey Atkins.

Our DJ for the night was Music In Motion, who did a fantastic job. Photography was provided by Tina Norman. Photo Booth was provided Heart Breaker Entertainment. Thank you to Wooded Hills Bar & Grill for providing the delicious food. Thank you to Morello's Restaurant & Catering and Koerner Distributors for providing us with drinks for the evening. We also appreciate all of the assistance of the Bonan Business Center.

The HMC Foundation board members: Blake Wilson, Chairman; Charles Holland, Treasurer; Don Hutson, HMC CEO/President; Jamie Hayes, Director; Dr. Bric Steward, Director; Rod Wallace, Director; Tara Ferguson, Director; Jeff Smith, Director; Cameron Newbold, Director; Chris Street, Director; Courtney Drone, Executive Director; and Kendra Zirkelbach, Administrative Assistant would like to thank everyone for their donation of items, time and buying tickets to attend our event.