



John E. Moran

Foundation

Mission

To underwrite initiatives that benefit people with intellectual and developmental disabilities

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A Message from the President

It is hard to imagine that our foundation is completing 23 years of benevolent service for people who are challenged throughout their lives with a disability. Through two decades we have given over \$600,000 in grants to a countless number of not for profit organizations who work to enhance the lives of people with intellectual and developmental disabilities. The generosity of the late John E. Moran Sr. and his wife Rita continues to inspire and motivate us all to raise funds that benefit thousands of people.



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Listed below are a few of the many grant recipients:

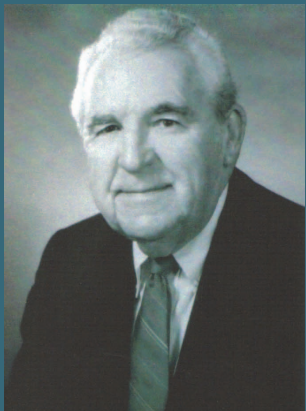
- The Homestead Group, Food Service Program - Woonsocket, RI
- Rhode Island State House Café operated by the John E. Fogarty Center
- The Blackstone Valley Arc, Horticultural and Gift shop, located in Slater Park - Pawtucket
- Woonsocket Special Olympics Team
- Advocates in Action, J. Arthur Trudeau and Sargent Rehabilitation Centers
- Kaleidoscope Theatre presentations of "I'm Special, You're Special"

All this support and more is made possible thanks to our many donors, volunteers, annual golf tournament players/sponsors, Club 100 members, and Charity Benefit Raffle sellers and buyers.

On behalf of John, his family and our Board of Directors, your generosity and support is greatly appreciated.

Gratefully yours,

Gerald P. Ventre



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Beach Bash

On a perfect August day, Advocates in Action had their 10th annual Beach Bash at Easton's Beach in Newport, Rhode Island. Thanks to the support of the Foundation, Clam Cakes and Chowder were enjoyed by more than 200 Self Advocates from all over Rhode Island.



Richard Giguere can't wait to eat his clam cakes.

Eat at the State House Café

For the past ten years, the Fogarty Center has operated a café/gift shop located within the Rhode Island State House. On weekdays, employees with disabilities prepare and serve breakfast and lunch to numerous employees, legislators and visitors.

The foundation granted a request to fund improvements for the Café. With this support, the café's expansion will offer employment to people with disabilities on a larger scale, improve profitability and enhance the organizations self-sufficiency.

West Wing Café



Joe Botelbo working at the SORT Program

The Arc of Blackstone Valley SORT Recycling Program

The support of the John E. Moran Foundation has provided valuable benefits to The Arc of Blackstone Valley's SORT Recycling Program. The SORT (Sort Our Recyclables Today) Program started over 10 years ago as an employment training program which also helps to improve the environment. Today, 30 clients work on a full or part time basis, five days a week.

With cutbacks in funding and reduced grant support, the support of the John E. Moran Foundation is helping this valuable business to expand, enabling the business to become self sufficient.

For more information on the SORT Program, call 401-723-6753.



Members of the Kaleidoscope Theatre

I'm Special, You're Special

Continuing support of the John Moran Foundation has been instrumental in bringing Kaleidoscope Theatre's production of *I'm Special, You're Special* to local schools that could otherwise not afford the program. Kaleidoscope Theatre is a not-for-profit professional touring children's theatre company based in Cranston, RI. This school year alone, four schools have already benefited from the funding. Started in 1979, the show continues to send an important message about tolerance, respect and dignity towards people with varying abilities.

Homestead Lunch Program

The Homestead Group, along with the generous support of the John Moran Foundation, now sponsors a Federal Food Program at the Homestead Community Center. With support of the Foundation, the program was able to purchase new equipment for better efficiency. The program provides free or reduced-priced lunches daily for more than 100 eligible participants.

Participants are now offered a second meal each evening along with an opportunity for companionship at a communal meal. All meals meet nutrition standards as established by the U.S. Department of Agriculture. The expansion has increased paid work and job training opportunities for many people.



*Matt Ventre helps
Denise Rousseau*

John E. Moran 21st Annual Golf Tournament

On August 17, 2009, 115 golfers enjoyed a beautiful day of golf with friends while remembering our benefactor, John E. Moran. This year marks the 21st Annual John E. Moran Memorial Golf Tournament. The tournament raises funds to honor Mr. Moran's beliefs in helping those in need. Participation and support of our golfers, volunteers, committee and sponsors, continues to make this event a great success. Once again the tournament was held at Foster Country Club, in Foster, RI. Sponsors included *Prime Sponsor* McLaughlin & Moran with *Major Sponsors* including Moran Family, Merrill Lynch, Dartmouth Holdings, MacLean Charitable Foundation, Morgan Stanley-Smith Barney, and Keough Kirby Associates.

Save the Date! 22nd Annual Tournament August 16, 2010.

*Harry Bilodeau and
Gregg Desroches
discussing strategy*



Ways of Giving

How can you help support the work of the John E. Moran Foundation? Please consider the following ways of giving:

Cash

Nothing could be easier than making a gift of cash. It is the most common way to make a gift and the one you probably think of first. There are several types of cash gifts you can make.

- *Annual or year-end gifts.* Many people make once-a-year charitable donations.
- *"In Memory of" gifts.* You can make a gift in memory of a friend or lover one. This can be done at the time of death or on the anniversary of a significant date, such as a birthday or holiday.
- *"In Honor of" gifts.* A cash donation can be made in honor of anyone you choose on the occasion of his or her birthday, graduation, anniversary, or other opportunities.
- *Gifts "in lieu of Flowers."* You may decide to make a gift to us in lieu of flowers when someone you know has passed away, because that person appreciated our work or had some connection to us.

Bequests

Have you considered making a provision in your will? Anything you leave to us will reduce the size of your taxable estate while helping a good cause. You may leave a specific bequest of a specified sum of money. Other options are to leave a percentage of your estate or a percentage of the residue to us after making provisions for family and friends.

For additional information on bequests or other tax wise gifts, please call Jerry Ventre at 617.259.5437.

John E. Moran *Foundation*



Dear Friends,

Thank you once again for the valuable support you give to the John E. Moran Foundation. It is your generosity that allows Jerry Ventre, the John E. Moran Foundation Board, and many wonderful volunteers to enrich the lives of those individuals who are challenged with intellectual and developmental disabilities.

For those programs and individuals, I thank you sincerely for your continuing support of the John E. Moran Foundation mission and vision.

Rita Moran, *Honorary Chairperson*



The Moran Family, left to right: Anne Jennings, Mary Jane MacLean, Terry Moran, John Moran Jr., Paul Moran and Tim Moran

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