



OPEN HEARTS, OPEN HANDS

## A Word of Thanks From a Client

*Oh my goodness- The people there are so so so nice. There is no judgment at SnowCap. They are there to help and that makes a world of difference. Thank you! -Mary*



## Do I know you from somewhere?

This is a question I am often asked when I am out and about. Almost always there is a SnowCap connection. I love learning about how supporters and clients experience SnowCap. Stories of volunteering as a child or receiving help when it was most needed are common themes, and there are a few phrases that come up every single time:

*“Everyone is so nice!” or “The volunteers always made me feel good,” or “I like giving to SnowCap because it gets right to the people who need it.”*

For many, summer is a time for fun. Here at SnowCap, however, we know that the extra expenses for families with children during these months can be overwhelming. We serve nearly as many clients in the dog days of summer as in the cold of winter. Unfortunately, summer is also a time when food drives and cash donations are scarce and stretch SnowCap’s resources, too.

*Will you help SnowCap meet the needs of your neighbors this summer?*

There are so many ways to make a difference. Check out the insert included with this newsletter for SnowCap events, items that are in short supply and ways to support our work.

Together we will make it a great summer!

*Kirsten Wogeman*

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Executive Director



## SnowCap By The Numbers



We helped more people in May than December...

*Hunger doesn't take a holiday!*

# Special Event Leads to a Special Friendship

There's just something about SnowCap that brings people together. Whether it's a shared love of helping others, or a common desire to improve their community, volunteering at SnowCap has always had a way of connecting people.

***It was a special event that brought fellow volunteers Roz Collins and Regina Blake together.***

After initially meeting through a CROP Hunger Walk around 10 years ago, Regina, who had already been volunteering at SnowCap, invited Roz to join her at the annual auction.

"Regina happened to mention that she was going to volunteer for the auction that year, and suggested that it might be of interest to me" said Roz. "Bingo! Sign me up!"



**Team Regina and Roz**

Roz took Regina up on her offer, and the duo quickly joined forces to head up the auction's famous Wall of Wine, raising funds for SnowCap and creating a very special bond in the process.

"I love the friendship that we've formed and the fact that we complement each other when we work together." said Regina. "We value each other's comments and suggestions" added Roz, "And after all these years working together, we can anticipate each other's movements in a tight space." In addition to their friendship and work at the auction, we asked Regina and Roz about some of their other favorite aspects of volunteering.

***"SnowCap is a great place to volunteer because they are very flexible in working with you to match your needs with theirs. Everyone is friendly and non-judgmental. I think everyone has a common goal to help people, and that makes it easy to form friendships." mentioned Regina.***

Roz continued that thought, saying, "I really like the flexibility to sign up for events when and where I can. Volunteering is a joyful activity. We're rewarded with smiles and laughter from our neighbors, the staff and our fellow volunteers."

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## Summer Volunteers Needed!

Are you looking to serve your community and neighbors through volunteering?

We've got a few spots that could use some more help. Here is a list of the most pressing current volunteer needs:

- **Receptionist** – Tuesday and Thursday (9:30am to 2:15pm)
- **Pantry Worker** – Mondays and Thursdays (9:45am to 2:30pm)
- **2nd Thursday Mobile Food Pantry Volunteer** (Noon to 3:30pm)

For these, or other current volunteer opportunities, please contact [nate@snowcap.org](mailto:nate@snowcap.org)

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PO Box 160  
Fairview, OR 97024

**Contact us:**  
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**Donation Drop-Off:**  
17788 SE Pine St  
Portland, OR 97233  
Monday to Friday 9 AM - 3 PM

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# SnowCap at a Glance

Share this page with your office, church, service club and friends!

## Most Needed Items

- Canned Fruit
- Infant Formula
- Chewy Granola Bars
- Baby Food (stage two/fruits & veggies)
- Shampoo

## Back to School Wish List

- Subject dividers
- Three-ring zipper pouches
- Colored pencils
- Multi-color highlighters
- Water color sets
- Pocket folders
- Pink pearl erasers
- Colored markers

## Play Golf for a Cause!

**What:** SnowCap Annual Sam Wolsborn Memorial Golf Tournament

**When:** Thursday September 19th at 1pm

**Where:** Gresham Golf Course

**Cost:** \$75 per player or \$300 per foursome with dinner included

**To register** visit our golf page at [www.snowcap.org](http://www.snowcap.org) or call 503.405.4293



## Upcoming Events

**Every Day until July 20th** – Ford Peanut Butter Drive – Drop off your donations at Gresham Ford.

**July 17th** - Rental Housing Alliance: Under A Starry Night, admission is \$24 per person includes dinner, contact [info@rhaoregon.org](mailto:info@rhaoregon.org) for more information.

**August 3rd** – Summer Concert in the Park – Cedarville Park, 2:30pm until 10pm, general admission is \$20, kids 5 and under free. Admission includes dinner.

**August 8-11** - WinCo Open at Pumpkin Ridge Golf Club – For Tickets please visit SnowCap's website.

**August 9th** - Last day to bring back-to-school donations

**August 17th** – Faithful Savior Lutheran Church Family Fun Day – 11100 NE Skidmore St., Portland, 10am to 2pm, free admission, carnival style games, food, and community resources.

**August 17th** – Rock the Block Community Festival – Nadaka Natural Park, 17615 NE Glisan St, 11am until 8pm, free admission, entertainment, music, food, scavenger hunt and more!

**September 19th** - SnowCap's Annual Sam Wolsborn Memorial Golf Tournament – see date and time on the left.

**March 14th, 2020** – SnowCap Annual Auction

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Monday thru Friday from 9 am to 3 pm

# Tax incentive for IRA Gifts and Required Minimum Distribution!

Did you know you can make a gift to SnowCap with a distribution directly from your IRA? This is a wonderful opportunity to make a charitable gift from retirement assets.

The "Charitable IRA Rollover Gift" enables you to use IRA distributions as gifts SnowCap without creating new income to report or taxes to pay. To qualify for an IRA rollover gift that is federal and state income tax-free:

You must have attained the age of 70 1/2 or older to make your gift from a traditional IRA or Roth IRA. The transfer must go directly from your IRA administrator to SnowCap. When you make a gift in this way, you can avoid taxes on the distribution to SnowCap.

If you choose, the gift from your IRA can even be used to satisfy annual IRA minimum distribution requirements.

Making an IRA gift is easy. Simply contact your IRA administrator and notify our office of your plans so we can ensure proper transfer and receipting of your gift.

For further information about giving through an IRA, contact (or have your adviser contact): Louise at 503.405.4294 or Louise@snowcap.org



Thank you to the  
Oregon Food Bank for grant  
funds to repair our cooler!



## Gifts in Honor of:

**Carlotta Allin:** Deane & Nancy Allin  
**Charles Ross:** John P Buckinger  
**Ingrid Dickman:** Eric Dickman  
**Jim Liefeld:** Ben & Kim Moore  
**Kevin Deneen:** JennySean Weaver  
**Maureen Jepson:** Lana Stillwell  
**Patricia Morton:** Deane & Nancy Allin

## Gifts to Celebrate birthdays:

**Hazel & Andy Fredrickson:** Anna Perry  
**Lael Hays:** Jenell Harry



## Gifts in Memory of:

**Andy Andrews:** Teresa Hubert  
**Betty Kuhnau:** Maxine Kuhnau  
**David Jackman:** Perry Jackman  
**Don Johnson:** Perry Jackman  
**Dorothy & Leonard Blair:** Elizabeth Blair  
**Flora Marston:** Scott & Shannon Darrow  
**Fran Kuskie:** Perry Jackman  
**John Buckinger:** Tamera Lynn Franks  
**Lillian Hjelte:** Maxine Kuhnau  
**Marie Squires:** Teresa Squires-Osborn  
**Mary "Billie" Cody:** Roland Havens  
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**Phillip Pham:** Peter Pham  
**Ray Broyles:** Allison Broyles  
**Roger Kuhnau:** Maxine Kuhnau

To make a gift in honor or memory of someone special, visit our website [www.snowcap.org](http://www.snowcap.org)