

Auxiliary Matters



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AUXILIARY VOLUNTEER SERVICES AT HILTON HEAD REGIONAL HEALTH CARE



**PRESIDENT
DAVE HALES**

Greetings, Fellow Volunteers,

I am hopeful that you are remaining safe and healthy during this unprecedented time in our lives, and that you are masking up and navigating the mayhem carefully. While our gift shops (one of the Auxiliary's main sources of revenue) remain closed, our other major funding source — The Annual Hospital Auxiliary Golf Tournament -- is a big GO. While traditionally we have held this two-day tournament at Harbour Town and Wexford, Wexford is not an option this year due to COVID limiting play to members only at that facility.

Our 2020 tourney will take place on **Monday, November 30 and Tuesday, December 1 at Harbour Town Golf Links and Oldfield Golf Club**. Strict COVID precautions will be in place, and there will not be a reception this year. However, our Golf Committee has been working hard, our sponsors have stepped up, and we are expecting to surpass last year's record total.

Several of our hospital volunteers will be helping out with the tournament again this year, and others have supported the tournament through our various sponsorship opportunities. For that we are very grateful.

For the first time in the history of this event, we have compiled a Tournament Booklet. I want to acknowledge Auxiliary Board member, Dee Judge, for her outstanding work on this new publication. We are sharing the Tournament Booklet with you to:

- provide our hospital volunteers with a greater knowledge of what has long been considered the premier charity golf tournament on the island, and
- acknowledge the hard work and contributions of our sponsors, golf course staff, prize donors and the Golf Committee.

This tournament, which is celebrating 34 years, has become the Auxiliary's major revenue source, with proceeds reaching \$50,000 in 2019. Our 2019 funds are allocated for Auxiliary programs as follows:

- TCL Nursing/Healthcare Scholarships - \$15,000
- USCB Nursing Scholarships - \$10,000
- Healthcare Scholarships for Children of Hospital Employees/Jr. Volunteers - \$14,000
- Women's Health (Support for patients at the Women's Breast Center) - \$5,000
- ACT Program (Medicine for patients in need at both hospitals/VIMs) - \$6,000

Thank you for volunteering and supporting The Hospital Auxiliary.

Please take a look at our Tournament Booklet file attached to this email.

We are pleased to introduce the 7 recipients of the Healthcare Scholarships funded by the 2019 Tournament:



Hello, my name is **KAYLA ANFINSON** and I am a freshman at Clemson University. I am majoring in biology and minoring in psychology. I hope to attend medical school after my time at Clemson in order to become a physician. I love helping others and have found the medical field to be a challenging and rewarding way to do just that. I am beyond grateful to the Hilton Head Hospital Auxiliary for both the opportunity to volunteer at Coastal Carolina Hospital and for this significant contribution towards my education. It means so much to me to have the support of such a generous and caring organization. Thank you to all members and supporters of the Hilton Head Hospital Auxiliary.



My name is **LAUREN CASTNER** and I am currently a junior at Clemson University pursuing a Bachelor's degree in Biological Sciences along with a minor in Spanish Studies. My goal is to become a Physician Assistant after my undergrad years. I am now a Certified Nursing Assistant as well as a volunteer at Clemson's free health clinic. I am looking forward to more opportunities that come my way. Thank you again for this opportunity!



My name is **ANNA COLLETON GRAVES**. I am currently a student at Clemson University where I am a biology major studying to become a registered nurse. I was born and raised in Bluffton, SC and continue to reside there when not in school. My family on both my mother and father's side are very local to our community. My mother is a registered nurse at Coastal Carolina Hospital in Hardeeville, SC and my desire is to follow in her footsteps. My long term goal is to become a nurse anesthetist so I can assist the Anesthesiologist in daily surgical operations and perform other duties that will help assist the patient through their surgery as painlessly as possible. I have enjoyed my time as a volunteer at Coastal Carolina where I have been able to witness compassionate care and assist in the daily duties that registered nurses perform to care for their patients. I am so thankful to have received the hospital auxiliary scholarship for the second year in a row and will put it towards furthering my education as a future nurse.



Hi, my name is **ABBI HARTBERGER**. I am currently a sophomore at the University of South Carolina and a part of the sorority Phi Mu. I am an Exercise Science major and studying to be a Physical Therapist. With my dad being the Battalion Chief of the Fire Department and my mom being a Recovery Room Nurse at HHH, they instilled lending a helping hand to those in need from a very early age. Outside of schoolwork I love to watercolor, take care of my plants, and go thrift store shopping. Thank you so much for providing me with this opportunity to continue my academic career. I am grateful for your investment in presuming my health care education.



My name is **MITT PATEL** and I am from Hilton Head Island, South Carolina. I am a junior at the University of South Carolina-Columbia. I am majoring in exercise science with a minor in sport and entertainment management, on the pre-medicine track. My goal is to go to medical school to become an orthopedic surgeon. One of the main reasons of why I want to become a doctor is the satisfaction of being able to make a difference in somebody's life and knowing that you made a positive impact on their life. Due to not being able to volunteer at the hospital this past summer due to Coronavirus, I have still kept active. I do athletic training with the football team here at the University of South Carolina since last January.



My name is **LILIANA MORALES PEREZ**. I am currently at the University of South Carolina pursuing a nursing major. My goal is to become a nurse at Hilton Head Hospital.



My name is **LARKYN TREMBLE** and I volunteered at Coastal Carolina Hospital in the gift shop and was a St Joseph's/Candler volunteer for over 200 hours. A 2020 graduate of Woodville-Tompkins Technical & Career High School I will attend Georgia Southern University (class of 2024) and major in Public Health with plans to go into nursing. I have my CPR and First Aid certifications and by the end of my senior year of high school will be a certified nursing assistant. Thank you so much for this opportunity.