

# **Latest Happenings**

### Save the Dates:

- If You Build It, They Will Run 5k Run/Walk Saturday, 8/10/2019
- Designer Purse Bingo
   Saturday, 2/1/2020

"No one is useless in this world who lightens the burdens of another. ~ Charles Dickens

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## **Project Updates:**

We are delighted to welcome Kevin and his family to Happy 2 be Home. We will be assisting the family as they look to add a ramp into the home to provide accessibility and safety.

Work has begun for the installation of new flooring, plumbing and sump pump in Gabriella's home.

Bids are being sought for Rubi's accessible bedroom and bathroom.

Work is pending for Penelope's ramp.

Bids for Elena's garage to bedroom conversion are being sought.

We are waiting bids on windows for Orianys new windows and 1st floor bed/bathroom.

If you know of a family with a chronically ill child who needs assistance in providing a suitable home environment to help enhance their quality of life, please have them get in touch with us.

## **Special Thanks:**

Thank you to all who came out in support of our Designer Purse Bingo on February 2<sup>nd</sup>. We all had a great night and together we raised over \$2,400.



Friendly's Family Night
Out raised just over \$300.
Thank you to all who
came out to join us for
dinner and ice cream!

### Volunteers Needed:

Do you enjoy helping others? We are looking for individuals to help serve on various committees (fundraising, membership, etc.). If you, or someone you know would be interested in finding out more, please contact us.

#### Technology:

Want to be in the know... Register your email by texting HAPPY2BEHOME to 22828. (You should receive a confirmation text.) Then watch your email box for information about upcoming fund raising events and our quarterly newsletter.

## **Fundraiser Update:**

If You Build It They Will Run 5K Run/Walk and 1 Mile Walk will be held Saturday, August 10, 2019 along the quiet back roads behind New Hanover UMC. The course follows the scenic

rolling hills of New Hanover Township, alongside Swamp Creek Park and the Gilbertsville Golf Club. This event is perfect for first time participants and a favorite for those who have enjoyed the run since the initial race in 2001. After the race, refreshments and music will be provided and door prizes and awards will be handed out. Registration starts at 7:15 am and the race begins at 8:30 am. Event is held rain or shine. Information on how to register coming soon.

## Designer Purse Bingo:

On Saturday, February 1, 2020, we will be holding third annual Designer Purse Bingo. Save the date. Additional information will be available as the date gets closer.

#### Raise \$ by Shopping:

Did you know that you can raise money for Happy 2 be Home just by doing your online shopping through Amazon? Using Amazon's charitable site – smile.amazon.com - ½% of all purchase prices will be donated to H2BH. All you need to do is pick Happy 2 be Home as your "charitable organization", then start shopping.

