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Residential Care for the Developmentally Disabled.

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Restaurant Raffle

Angels Unaware, Inc. is once again holding a "Dinner for Two" restaurant raffle to benefit Angels Unaware, Inc. The Board of Angels Unaware, Inc. has solicited many of Tampa's fine local restaurants for the "Dinner for Two" certificates. Last year this raffle helped raise \$4,300.00 dollars toward our goal of building and opening will a new home some day soon.

Enclosed in this newsletter you will find several raffle tickets. It is our hope that you will purchase these tickets and send in the stubs with your donation to the address posted on the stub. It is also our hope that you will call our office and ask for more tickets to sell to your family, friends, and co-workers. Please do not forget to utilize your churches, neighborhood kids, business, or service clubs, to assist in selling these valuable tickets.

The date of the actual raffle will be held in October. So all stubs and money must be post-marked no later than September 22nd. As with all our raffles you only need to mail the money and ticket stub to the corporate office, or drop it by during business hours

Our participating restaurants are listed in this newsletter and Angels Unaware would like to thank these fine restaurants for their assistance and hope that you will choose to frequent their place of business now and in the future. Without their support this raffle would not be possible. We also want to encourage all of our members, families, and friends to support this effort.

Thank You West Coast Roofers Association

On April 16th, the West Coast Roofers Association donated their time and materials to help Angels Unaware. They replaced the roof at Angels 7 on Kruger Avenue. They had crews from many of the local roofing companies and knocked it out in less than four hours! Many thanks to Steve Kruse for coordinating everything. Our thanks go out to Seacoast Supply, Bradco Supply, Gulf Eagle Supply, ABC Supply, Thompson Fabrication and RGM Products for supplying materials and to Alvarez Roofing for supplying the dumpsters.



Angels unaware appreciates your hard labor and thanks you for giving us a helping hand!!

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MISSION STATEMENT

Angels Unaware, Inc. is a non-profit corporation operating in Hillsborough County, whose express goal is to provide quality professional residential group-home care for severe and profound developmentally disabled individuals. We currently own and operate nine homes serving fifty-two handicapped residents. Each home is highly specialized to serve the individual needs of its residents. Current training utilizes a behavioral management approach designed to meet the needs of each individual. A Board of Directors made up of parents, concerned professionals and other concerned citizens from the community governs the Corporation.

H.A.L.O.

Update

The H.A.L.O. Foundation supports Angels Unaware, Inc. The foundation is close to their first year goal of raising \$50,000.00. They have been working hard to raise money to support our organization so please continue to support this organization. Please donate by sending your check to:

The H.A.L.O. Foundation
c/o Angels Unaware
P.O. Box 270040
Tampa, Florida 33688-0040

The foundation is looking for board members. If you are interested in becoming a board member please contact Ross O'Bannion at 813-961-1159.

A Word From Ross

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Ross O'Banion – Executive Director

Many Thanks to The Caribbean Cowboys and The Green Iguana



On June 23rd, the Caribbean Cowboys held a fundraiser that benefited Angels Unaware. It was held at the Green Iguana in Ybor City and it was a great success. It was well attended and there was much food and merriment. There was a gift basket raffle, 50—50 drawing and there was some really great gifts auctioned. The Caribbean Cowboys raised over \$1,300 for Angels unaware!!!!

Many thanks to all that donated their time and product donations. Also, thank you Howard Cash with Forte Talent! Howard really knows how to work crowd for an auction.

Letter From the President—Bob Albano

Many thanks to Gary Pailthorpe and his fundraising committee for putting together this year's restaurant raffle. Also, thanks to your board of directors for soliciting the restaurants. Most important.....THANKS TO THE PARTICIPATION RESTAURANTS!

There is a ticket insert in this newsletter and I encourage you to purchase these tickets or sell them to your friends. The funds will be used to purchase a new house. If the State of Florida ever gets it act together and stabilize our funding, we can look at expanding and these funds will cover the down payment and start-up costs of a new house. This is an important fundraiser, so please participate as much as you can. *SELL THOSE TICKETS!!*

The coffee purchase got off to a great start. You will see an order form in this newsletter. You can also order on our web site. I know that most of you drink coffee, so please buy your coffee from Angels Unaware. We are hoping that we can count on this fundraiser to supplement our scholarship fund.

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Costa Rican Coffee Purchase

Purchase gourmet coffee and benefit Angels unaware

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____

Zip _____

Phone _____

bags _____ @ 10.00 per
500 gram bag = _____

You can order on our web site or send order form with a check to our office and the coffee will be delivered to the address on the order form.

Service Clubs

We need your help with our Restaurant Raffle.

Please contact our office to help sell our raffle tickets.

Many Thanks!

Stolen Moments of Peace

By James Epperson, Personnel Director

The 'Home Vacations' that the residents used to enjoy have been all but eliminated by the grinding stones of budget, time and means, but, where there's a will there's a way, or at least where there are helpful folks at AAA Travel and Disney there is a way. These new vacations usually involve two or three of the guys, some creative staff schedules and long range planning.

One of these trips involved two guys from A3 and a friend of theirs from A8. They spent four days at the Disney Animal Kingdom Lodge before embarking on a three day Disney Cruise to the Bahamas.

Their favorite day was spent at the EPCOT Centre as they ate their way around the world. Even after eating a different native dish in each of the 12 countries represented at EPCOT we got back to the room and ordered the traditional bedtime pizza as we watched the giraffes retire for the evening from our verandah.



A pair of adventurers from A1 took three days at the parks and four days on the seas. From the Polynesian Resort to the Disney Cruise. This pair of brave souls braved the hammocks by the lagoon, challenged the lounge chairs by the pool and they even ventured into the heated whirlpool of ultimate relaxation.

Not to be outdone, three of the ladies of A5 took five days at the Polynesian Resort Hotel and the Disney parks. Between the luaus and the cigar boat trips there was a lot less rides and a lot more shopping. From the white sand beach to white sandals, from twirling tea cups to tweed jackets, these ladies enjoyed themselves thoroughly and with class.



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www.angelsunaware.com

Participating Restaurants

Pink Flamingo Café
Red Lobster
Rick's Italian Café
Ruby Tuesday
Shells Seafood
Stefano
Sweet Tomatoes
Tate Brothers Pizza
Thai Island
The Gardens Restaurant
The Spaghetti Warehouse
Valencia Garden
Village Inn
Whistle Junction

Antonio's Pasta Grill
Beef 'O' Brady's
Lupton's
220 East
Carrabba's Italian Grill
Catering By Rigatoni
Estella's Mexican Restaurant
Fortunato's Italian Grill
Golden Corral
Mimis Café
Olive Garden
Outback Steakhouse
Perkins Restaurant
Monstah Lobster
Bamboo Club

More restaurants are being added all the time!!!