



D'YOUVILLE LIFE & WELLNESS COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

WAYS TO GIVE IN 2022

Thank you all for your continued support of D'Youville Life & Wellness Community. We are so appreciative of your generosity!

Did you know that there are a variety of ways to give back to D'Youville? Here are just a few ways to help:

D'Youville Community Enrichment Fund

The **D'Youville Community Enrichment Fund** is an unrestricted fund for both anticipated and emerging needs of our residents. When needs arise, the Community Enrichment Fund provides a resource to continue to meet the needs of our residents, even if they shift quickly. Unrestricted donations, through individual giving, special events and various appeals are placed in this fund to directly benefit elders served on our campus. Gifts to this fund can be made at any time of year as a one-time gift, or on-going as a monthly donor.

Become a Monthly Donor

Did you know that you can become a monthly donor and give to D'Youville all year long? Simply visit our website at www.dyouville.org to sign up to become a recurring monthly donor, select your monthly giving amount and allow funds to be given each month.

In Tribute

Your gift to D'Youville can be made in to convey sympathy to the bereaved, memorialize a loved one, commemorate a special occasion or honor a person's life and accomplishments. In addition, we offer the following:

- Honor a loved one(s) with a **Memorial Brick** to be placed in the Sisters of Charity of Ottawa Legacy Park on the D'Youville Campus. (Donations start at \$175 per brick). To order a brick, please contact the Foundation office at fundraisers@dyouville.org.

Why I give back

DONOR SPOTLIGHT: Jean Marie Cull

Tuesday, January 23, 2018, I headed down my driveway to retrieve my trash barrel and get my mail. In a split second I slipped on black ice. As my foot slammed into the rock-like snow pile, I heard three cracks and knew I was in trouble. Fast forward to an ER visit and a successful surgery, I learned I would require 2-3 weeks of rehab before I could return home. **I knew D'Youville Center for Advanced Therapy (DCAT) was where I wanted to go** as a few years earlier, a friend raved about the wonderful rehab experience she had. I also witnessed first-hand the compassionate care given to my aunt years ago as nursing home care was needed at the end of her life.

During my 8 weeks at D'Youville at both the DCAT and Sweetland Unit at D'Youville Senior Care, I found support from the skilled care of the nurses and aids, the encouraging words from housekeeping staff, volunteers, religious staff, culinary staff, administration and even the residents who rooted me on and shared in the joy of my progress when I was able to move out of the wheel chair and onto a walker! I left D'Youville with confidence to successfully maneuver on my own. I will always remember my stay with a sense of gratitude. I recovered because the skilled, dedicated staff was there to care for me with kindness and compassion and an everyday "can-do" attitude! **That is why, I give back to D'Youville to acknowledge and express a heartfelt gratitude.**

Honor a Caregiver, Unit or Department

Everyday across our campus our caregivers impact the lives of our residents and their families. In the past, families often offered to send a special meal to a Unit to say thank you. With COVID, that has been put on hold. Many of you have reached out to ask how you can say "Thank You" after a positive experience. Did you know that you can make a donation to our Community Enrichment Fund in honor of the caregiver, unit or department? We will ensure that they are made aware of your gift and let them know that you appreciate them.

Sponsorships

Our individual and Corporate supporters are so important to help raise the most funds possible to fund programming and improvements for our residents. Sponsorship allows us to defer costs of an event or program, so that our ticket and other prices directly fund the Foundation and programs. To learn more, or to request a 2022 Sponsorship packet, contact Tara via email at tdhar@dyouville.org.

SAVE THE DATE: 2022 EVENTS

We hope to see everyone in-person in 2022!

Ladies Golf Classic | Tuesday, May 17th, 2022
Shaker Hills Country Club, Harvard, MA

Golf Classic | Monday, June 6th, 2022
Indian Ridge Country Club, Andover, MA

Lasting Impressions | Thursday, November 3, 2022
Four Oaks Country Club, Dracut, MA

For the latest on our events and happenings at D'Youville, please make sure we have your current email address. Email fundraisers@dyouville.org to update your info. We will also announce updates via our Facebook page.

Facebook Fundraiser

Did you know that Facebook covers all processing fees so that 100% of donations made are paid to the organization? D'Youville is officially registered so all funds designated in our name are sent directly to us. It's a wonderful way to honor a Birthday, Anniversary, or memorialize or honor a loved one.

Make a lasting Impact

We raise funds in many ways including: major gifts, grants, monthly giving, tribute gifts, sponsorships, events, online giving, appeals, estate giving and more.

Restricted Gifts

If you would like to give specifically to the area that has made the most impact on your family, you may make a one-time or recurring gift and ask that the funds are directed to a designated care area such as The Saab Residence, the Special Care Unit at D'Youville Senior Care, or Bruyere Gardens.

Planned Giving

Tax season is the perfect time to think about planned giving. We would be happy to speak with you to tailor an approach that works best for you and your family.

Endowment Gifts

An Endowment Gift is a gift in which the principal is left untouched and the interest is used to provide support in perpetuity. It can be made immediately or in the form of a bequest, and can be established to support our general purposes or designated for more specific needs. An individual may choose to create his or her own legacy or make the gift in memory of a family member or loved one.

HOW TO DONATE

For more information on giving options, please contact Tara Dhar, Director of Philanthropy via email at tdhar@dyouville.org or mobile at **323-697-8681**. Donations, ticket sales and sponsorship information will also be available on our website at www.dyouville.org. Mail donations to the D'Youville Foundation at 981 Varnum Avenue, Lowell, MA 01854.