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November 2014 Newsletter



Nana's House

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<http://www.nanaschildrenshome.com>

Mission: To provide a safe, secure, loving home where Neglected, Abused, Needy, or Abandoned children can come and experience God's love!

Wish List:

Visit the Website to view the list [Link to website](#)

Calendar of Events:

Visit the calendar on our website.

CALENDAR

Upcoming Events

Dec 13th - Annual Volunteer Appreciation Christmas Party

Feb 13th - 8th Annual Valentine's Dinner/Dance



**100% Community Funded (no State funding)
100% Volunteer Supported
100% about Neglected, Abused, Needy or Abandoned Children**

Message from Kim:

I am so **THANKFUL** to be a part of this awesome ministry - Nana's House! And I am **THANKFUL** for my God that loves, guides, and directs me.



I am truly blessed by the children that have been entrusted to us and our house parents that pour love into them every moment of the day. We have such an amazing family here at Nana's House. You being supporters makes you family too, I am blessed by you as well. Thank you! Your prayers are powerful and God is moving in mighty ways! I just love watching His hand at work! Words can't describe how **THANKFUL** I am for our wonderful volunteer family. Together we are making a difference in children's lives right here in our community!

My heart overflows with joy! May the peace of His love fill your hearts this holiday season!

With Love,

Kim Frodge
Executive Director & Volunteer
321.266.3829

House Parents Needed

We are looking for just the right Christian couples to parent our homes. If you or someone you know would be interested in this important role, please contact Kim Frodge.

Check out the **TD Bank Affinity Program** that puts your money to work for Nana's House
[Link to website](#)

Attention all United Way Donors

Please consider choosing Nana's Children's Home Inc DBA Nana's House as your charity of choice this year and share this idea with your coworkers!

Have Kim Speak to Your Organization

Let Kim tell your group her amazing story and share about Nana's House
[call Kim @ 321.266.3829](#)

Did You Know?

You can make a donation to Nana's House through a gift of cash, stocks, bonds, mutual funds, real estate or a bequest through your will.

Check our Website or Facebook for details.

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THIS EMAIL TO
A FRIEND**



We provide private housing, all utilities, groceries, and a vehicle. For those who feel called to this full-time Christian ministry and desire the opportunity to make a difference in the lives of these children, please email your resume to:

nanaschildrenshome@yahoo.com

We are Thankful for.....Our Houseparents and All They Do

News from the Pond House

This summer felt like fall at the pond house with so many things changing and seasons of our lives coming full circle. We are proud of the effort and determination that one of our little girl's bio-parents put behind making home a safe option again this summer. While we all will miss the sweet spirit of little Peyton, we pray every day that this will be a new chance for her and her family to thrive!



The school year is moving rapidly and we are amazed at how quickly children learn. Everyone here is reading avidly and the age old trick of spelling messages to Papa Bear is gaining more and more giggles from the back seat. :)

Tyler is now 6 and we are sure will grow to become a persuasive decision maker in whatever career he chooses! He loves playing basketball with Papa Bear in the yard and asking me for stories from my 'youth'. The Spirit in Tyler has softened him over the past 6 months and we are overjoyed by the tender heart he is forming!

Shianne just turned 5 and has the delicacy of a surgeon in everything she does. She loves music and all things girly yet buggy. She has an amazing memory for Spanish and prefers that to all other subjects. If ever we hear an ambulance you can count on Shianne to immediately say a moving prayer for the people involved.

Ava is a tall 5 year old and all tomboy except when she thinks no one's watching. She has a flare for the dramatic and keeps our house lively. Though shy in public she's a live-wire at home!

Thank you all for the support and prayer you lend our families every day. The longer our kids are with us the more stable and rooted they need to feel in order to move forward with their lives. You give them that opportunity and they shine with security because of it!



**Mama & Papa Bear
Jericho & Jarin**



P.S. Please welcome the new addition to our family - 5-month old, beautiful baby boy, Hunter - a wonderful inclusion to Nana's Pond House!

News from the Sunshine House

We did not like to see the summer end, but we have been blessed with new school routines, new extra-curricular activities, and great accomplishments from the kids as well as the volunteers that strive to keep us going.



Giovani has started Tae Kwon Do classes and has already received his first black stripe. He enjoys going to school and has been making very good grades in his classes.

Aliyah is playing soccer and is quite a natural. She is also enrolled in a private school and makes exceptional grades and just loves the classroom environment.

Zaniyah has now been completely potty trained and is also starting to learn her ABC sounds and how to count with counters. We have also learned to count to 10 in Spanish and Korean. She has grown into size 4 clothes and size 9 shoes and completely towers over most 4 year olds!

Malachi is talking and communicating very well. He signs to communicate his needs and he is also learning how to say all sorts of words because he tries to repeat almost everything that is said to him. He has also moved up to size 18 months and 24 month clothes and babies size 5 shoes.

We recently had members of the First Baptist Church come to the house and give us a much needed lawn makeover. It looks amazing and we have been so blessed with that extra time we can now use to enjoy the playground and yard on a whole new level.

We are looking forward to the holiday season and we are so thankful to all those who work so hard to keep our household going so that we can spend the majority of our time and energy building up the children and bonding with them.

God Bless You for all that you do for us!



Building Fund Banquet

Nana's House is so **THANKFUL** for all the support for our 2nd Building Fund Banquet. The Hilton Melbourne Rialto was the setting for the Banquet on October 9th. Over 300 people from the community attended this event with a common goal to learn more about the purchase of our land and raise money to help build our goal...a gated community that houses 40 children. We are proud and pleased to say that this fundraiser raised approximately \$50,000. We want to thank the following people who helped make this night such a success:

Guest Speaker- Colonel Danny McKnight

Entertainment- Sierra Russell

Ushers- Gage Harper, Dylan Reed and Nathan Reed

Invitation Design/Favors- Laura Clawson

Vases- Linda Lundstrom

Roses- Petals Florist

Program Design - Judy Deeter

Sponsors -

Bouvier & Associates CPA	Petals Florist
Buckman's Auto Body	Priest Chiropractic
Discover Life Church	Quail Run Inc
J.W. Edens and Company	Richard and Karen Dove
Eric the Gas Man	Stanley Homes
Florida Eye	Steer, Mercer & Co
Frogbones Family Shooting Gallery	The Produce Place of Suntree
Holiday Inn Express	Thomas J & Effie K Blue, DMD PA
Island Pasta/River Rocks	TJAL Enterprises Inc
James and Jenny Mountjoy	Valerie Karas
Kevin Hill	Wren Insurance Agency
New Hope For Africa	Zies Widerman Malek Attorneys

Table Hosts -

Ed & Jeanne Andre	Eric & Kim Frodge	Dave & Karen Pearce
Carol Awosiyon	Tara Gardner	Mike & Tammy Russell
Eddie Berkeley	Dave & Michele Hollis	Roger & Bobbie Ryall
Phil & Claire Brule	Valerie Karas	Jason Stanley
Pat Chadwick	Dave & Liz L'Allier	Jim & Julie Turman
Linda Davis	Marisol Luna	Brian Veil
Bill & Donna DiBongrazio	Michael & Tracy Melhado	Linda Williams
Rick & Karen Dove	Adam Mercer	Kevin & Becky Womack
Linda Durfee	Karen Mirley	Rich & Jan Yost
Frank Fortino	Debra Nixon	Zies Widerman Malek- Mark Malek
Janice Fox	Barbara Nooney	Zies Widerman Malek- Scott Dixon
Keo Fred	Gidget Owens	

We are Thankful for

Businesses that Support Nana's House:

PLEASE SHARE THIS INFORMATION WITH

**EVERYONE YOU KNOW. BY SUPPORTING THE
CHRISTIAN CULINARIAN, YOU WILL BE
SUPPORTING NANA'S HOUSE!!**

You love making a difference. AND, each time you order during the month of November, you will make a difference in the lives of all of those touched by Nana's Children's Home, Inc. ("Nana's House"). We are excited to announce that "Nana's House" will be our November recipient of the TCC "Give Back" Program. All of us at The Christian Culinarian look forward to giving and supporting Nana's House! Spread the word via phone calls, email, Facebook, ... to enhance the giving to our recipient! 10% of the November profits will be given. Each time you eat you give, so place your orders now! We can accommodate ALL of your culinary needs (no matter how big or small). Every dollar makes a difference in a life in our community. So, when you know think about food, think about us to "serve your need." You can view our website for catering and all menus for our Sandwich Shoppe & Bakery, Corporate Hot Food and our Smokehouse Barbeque. Our private clubhouse is available for any event you may have or be thinking about having! Your trust and satisfaction is our priority. We look forward to being of service to you.

Many blessings,

Chef Cathy

www.thechristianculinarian.com

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Businesses that have Nana's House

Donation Boxes:

Scott Dixon at Zies, Wideman, and Malek- Attorneys- Melbourne, FL

Hibiscus Women's Care- Dr. Patricia Zylman- Melbourne, FL

Life Force Chiropractic- Palm Bay, FL

IHOP- Palm Bay, FL

Thrifty2U Thrift Store

Businesses that held Fund Raisers:

Viera Models- Glitz and Glam Fashion Show

MOPARS of Brevard- Rock and Roll Review Dance

Beef O'Brady's- Casino Night

Texas Roadhouse- Family Night

Pilot Club of South Brevard Fashion Show

Space Coast Vettes

Viera High School

Palm Colony HOA

Ladies Night Out

Businesses that Partner with Nana's House:

Walmart- Sandy Wigley

Steadytown, Inc.- Keith Donald

TD Bank Affinity Program

Our Loyal PAYPAL monthly donors

Space Coast Licensed Roofer's Association

"The Coupon Lady"- Lynn Lehr

We are Thankful for.....

Donations in Loving Memory of Betty Henry

Patsy Ann Reed
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Donations in Loving Memory of.....

Eileen Erler "in loving memory of" Marie Jansen
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Josephine Minicucci "in loving memory of" Elizabeth Onifer
Hank and Donna Keller "in loving memory of" Thomas Keller
Diane Agud "in loving memory of" Gregg Taubert
Robert Kirby "in loving memory of" Erma Roat (Nana)

Birthday Remembrances.....

Andrea Miller "in honor of" Julie Herndon
Rich and Sharon Chadwick "in Honor of" Pat Chadwick
Those who donated birthday gifts for our children's birthdays
Those who donated cakes and cookies for our children's birthdays and to our families.

Foundation & Grant Donations.....

Margaret Binz Foundation
Silicon Valley Community Foundation (EBAY)
Kessel Foundation

Employer Volunteer Recognition Program Donations.....

Rockwell Collins in support of Rick Dove
Northrop Grumman in support of Dave Hollis
Kohl's in support of their volunteers assisting at Nana's House Events

Pineapple Cove Academy in Palm Bay for donating food gift cards and money as a Thanksgiving gift for our families.

We are Thankful for.....

Businesses that Supply Monthly & Emergency Services.....

Slug-a-Bug Pest Control

Pearce Power Spraying & Pest Control
Dave's Plumbing & Drain Cleaning
Sun Plumbing
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Country Green Lawn Care
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Fresh Trim
The Waterman - Craig
Flavin Nooney & Person CPA's
AmeriGas

All our Faithful Monthly Financial Supporters.....

All the donations from businesses and neighbors from our community and all over the country.....

Nana's House #3 Renovation Team - Volunteers & Businesses.....Video will be on our website soon

We encourage you to patronize the businesses that support Nana's House to show your appreciation.



In Loving Memory of our Faithful Volunteer

It is with much sadness that we announce the passing of our friend and longtime volunteer *Dennis Zampaglione* who went to be with the Lord on November 9, 2014. Please keep his wife, Terri, (also a volunteer) and son Aaron in your prayers. Thank you Dennis for your service to the Lord and Nana's House.



NEEDS at Nana's House

- Haircuts for the Kids
- Regular oil changes and maintenance on our vans
- Starter repair on the extra van
- Regular lawn care service for the Sunshine House

NEEDS

- Toilet Paper

Contact Kim at 321.266.3829 if you can help

Space Coast Licensed Roofer's Assoc.

blessed us with a check for \$750. This association donated thousands of dollars to local Brevard charities and we are one of the recipients. Shown here are volunteer, Lisa Reed, and President of SCLRA, Paul Alfrey.



In addition to the check, they also gathered volunteers and materials to help with Nana's House #3 renovations and put a new roof on the house.

Meals Ministry

Before coming to Nana's House, it is not uncommon for the children to not have been fed regular, nutritious, hot meals. The look of excitement on their faces when dinner is delivered clearly expresses that fact. We are so thankful for the Nana's House Meal Ministry volunteers who prepare these meals from the heart. Thank you for going above and beyond to provide for these little tummies.



If you would like information on becoming a part of the **Nana's House Meal Ministry** program please email nanas.meal.ministry@gmail.com or call the Meal Ministry Coordinator, Terra May, at 321-426-5240.

Christmas in October Thrift Cottage Sale a Big Success

The Thrift Cottage 'Christmas in October' sale raised \$1,000. Thanks to all our volunteers who helped and to all you "shoppers". Visit our website for more pictures.

All proceeds of the sales help support our homes.



Christmas Gift Ideas

Family Outings - Zoo feeding, train rides & Tree Top Experience
Museum passes
Gift Cards - Food, family restaurants, and items on the needs list on our website



[Link to our website](#)

Thank You to all who have chosen to support us at Christmas this year.

Good Information to Know

Amazon Affiliation

Amazon sales to date are \$2,859.03 For Nana's House to receive a % of your purchase, please go through our website each time you place an order.

[Click Here](#)



Facebook

We now have over 1830 likes on our Facebook page. To join our Facebook page, please visit <https://m.facebook.com/NanasHouseBrevard>.

United Way

Did you know you can designate funds to Nana's House through United Way? **Campaigns will be starting soon!** When your campaign at work begins, fill out your pledge card and put "Nana's Children's Home, Inc." as the beneficiary.

Gifting

Give a gift of cash, stocks, bonds, mutual funds, real estate or a bequest through your will

Misc.

We now are part of the **iGive** program, www.igive.com, under "Nanas Childrens Home Inc". You can shop with hundreds of companies through this website and Nana's House receives a percentage of the sales. Some of the companies include Michael's, Jo-ann Fabrics, Walmart, Target, 1800Pet Meds, Apple Store, Gap, airlines, hotels and more.

We are posting items on **Craig's List**. If you would like to see what items are listed you can do a search under Space Coast and type in NH. This will bring up any items we have listed.

Upcoming Events

Annual Volunteer Appreciation
Christmas Party - **Saturday, Dec 13**,
Noon - 4pm, Mustard Seedz Daycare

8th Annual Valentine's Dinner/Dance
Friday, February 13, Crowne Plaza
Melbourne Oceanfront



Thank You to all of our Nana's House Family supporters. Because of you, our children experience God's love, peace, hope and safety. At Nana's House they are Never Alone, Never Afraid!

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