









# A RAY OF HOPE ON A RAINY DAY

It would take more than a tropical storm to stop us from throwing a party! Fifty guests braved the rough weather and joined us for a fine dining experience to remember. Our Harvesting Hope Luncheon was a big success thanks to our thriving community. Big shout out to Academy members Maureen Flaig, Curia Murray and Stephen May, who showed our guests what recovery looks like. And thanks to Gulf Coast Community Foundation for sponsoring the meal.



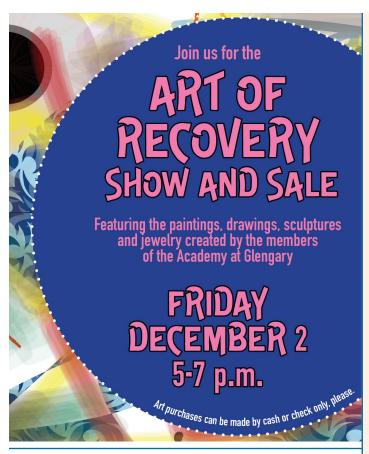












## **PUTTING OUR HEART INTO SERVICE**

Word is getting out that the Academy knows how to throw a party. Second Heart Homes must have gotten the memo; they asked us to host their 2nd annual Second Heart Homes Barbecue. Second Heart Homes is an amazing organization that provides housing and support for the homeless and mental health community. Our kind of people! We heard some of their residents giving moving testimonial about the life-changing support they received, support that got them off the street and into safe, affordable housing.

Our Culinary team pulled out all the stops, providing them with a grill station and full buffet. We set out an array of games for them to play (Cornhole, Jenga, and more), and our members facilitated everything. We always value the opportunity to hone our service skills by hosting our community partners. Second Heart Homes staff, residents, volunteers, and donors alike seemed to be having a great time, and we sure loved having them. When it comes to service, we put our hearts into it.



All events take place on-site at the Academy and many are offered through the Zoom app. Watch Slack for Meeting ID and Password.

#### Monday, November 14

Morning Meeting - 9 a.m.

Individual Team Meetings - 9:30 a.m.

▲ Graphic Des/Multimedia Team Meeting - 1:15 p.m. Bus & Tech/Culinary Team Meetings - 1:30 p.m.

#### Tuesday, November 15

Morning Meeting - 9 a.m.

Individual Team Meetings - 9:30 a.m.

Academy Meeting - 1:30 p.m.

Individual Team Meetings - 2 p.m.

#### Mednesday, November 16

Morning Meeting - 9 a.m.

Individual Team Meetings - 9:30 a.m.

Newsroom Meeting - 11 a.m.

Menu Planning Meeting - 11:45 a.m.

Graphic Des/Multimedia Team Meeting - 1:15 p.m. Bus & Tech/Culinary Team Meetings - 1:30 p.m.

Wellness Wednesday Workshop - 3 p.m.

### Thursday, November 17

Morning Meeting - 9 a.m.

Individual Team Meetings - 9:30 a.m.

Graphic Des/Multimedia Team Meeting - 1:15 p.m. Bus & Tech/Culinary Team Meetings - 1:30 p.m.

Mission Meeting - 4 p.m.

#### Friday, November 18

Morning Meeting - 9 a.m.

Individual Team Meetings - 9:30 a.m.

Art Show Planning Meeting - 10:30 a.m.

Writer's Workshop - 11:30 a.m.

Graphic Des/Multimedia Team Meeting - 1:15 p.m. Bus & Tech/Culinary Team Meetings - 1:30 p.m.

Spanish Workshop - 2 p.m.

#### Friday, December 2

Art of Recovery Show and Sale - 5-7 p.m.

Gardening available daily through Culinary Arts



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