



Donors Making a Difference



President's Message



I and everyone here at CASA of New Hampshire would like to share our deep gratitude for your continued support. Without people like you, we could not fulfill our mission to ensure that children who have experienced abuse and neglect have a dedicated advocate by their side. We are incredibly thankful to have such a dedicated, compassionate community of friends and partners who, time and time again, offer their generosity to help CASA reach more vulnerable children throughout the state.

Thank you,

Marcia (Marty) Sink
CEO and President
CASA of New Hampshire

Donor Spotlight: The Brophy Family



Steve Brophy and his wife, Janeece, are longtime supporters of CASA of New Hampshire. Steve and Janeece first learned about CASA when a neighbor introduced them to Marty Sink, CASA's president and CEO. After attending an event and hearing from two judges who spoke highly of CASA advocates and the reports they prepare for the courts, Steve and Janeece decided to become donors. Having children themselves, they felt compelled to help CASA grow.

As the Senior Wealth Manager at Brophy Wealth Management, LLC, Steve discovered that one of his clients was also a CASA volunteer, which soon led to the company supporting CASA on a corporate level. As a company that values giving back to the community, they have been a proud sponsor of CASA Cares for several years, and feature CASA of New Hampshire as a charity of choice on their website. They also generously support other causes that focus on children and families, such as Friends of Aine, Families in Transition, and Toys for Tots.

Steve is passionate about CASA's mission and praises the character of those involved in the organization. He has seen firsthand the commitment and care demonstrated by both staff and volunteers. "When you get close to the organization, you can see that these things shine," he says.

CASA of New Hampshire is incredibly grateful for the Brophy family's unwavering dedication to raising awareness about our cause, and for their generous donations that support our advocates and their vital work.

Day's Jewelers



Day's Jewelers has been a significant supporter of CASA of New Hampshire since our partnership began in 2020. During our virtual CASA Cares that year, they joined as a Guardian sponsor, donating a pair of diamond earrings for the auction.

Day's has continued to demonstrate their generosity by providing a beautiful piece of jewelry to raffle at each CASA Cares since. One hundred jewelry boxes are available for purchase at the event, one of which contains a stunning piece of jewelry. At last year's Cares, the remaining boxes contained varying matching donations from Day's, totaling \$3,600!

Apart from sponsoring CASA Cares, Day's is committed to promoting our organization and mission year-round. They have shared information about CASA on their social media channels, and recently began displaying flyers for CASA in their stores.

"We're proud to partner with CASA of New Hampshire, supporting their vital work in advocating for children in need," says Joe Corey, president of Day's Jewelers. "At Day's Jewelers, we believe in the power of community and are committed to making a positive impact. We're immensely proud to play a small part of the incredible work CASA is doing for the children in the state of New Hampshire, and we're deeply grateful for the opportunity to be contribute to their remarkable efforts."

We are immensely grateful for Day's Jewelers continued support and their dedication to making a difference in the lives of vulnerable children throughout the state.

30-Year Advocates



We are so grateful for the support that we receive from our donors. Your generosity enables us to serve more children through the recruitment, training and supervision of our nearly 600 advocates. At this year's Annual Celebration, we honored two of our amazing advocates who are celebrating 30 years with CASA. Fred Hurwitz and Marc Clement share their insights into what it means to be a CASA volunteer, and what it has meant to them.

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Creative Fundraising



To kick off this year's annual year-end campaign, Christmas Décor of Southern NH owner Dan Bernard proposed a unique incentive to donate: Everyone who contributed at least \$100 before November 30 was eligible to enter a drawing to have his company design and install holiday lighting and decorations at their home. Additionally, they also generously matched every donation of \$100 to CASA with a \$10 donation, with a maximum match of \$2,500.

Donor Doreen Boissonneault, who has supported CASA of NH since 2011, was the lucky winner! Doreen told us that while she's not in a place to be an advocate, she's glad to help by donating every year.

Christmas Décor of Southern NH owners Dan and Kristine Bernard are longtime supporters of CASA of NH. Dan, a former CASA of NH board chairman, says, "After serving on the Board of CASA for nine years, I've seen firsthand the difference the organization makes in the lives of New Hampshire's children. Given their importance in deriving positive outcomes for our most 'at-risk' population, I can't think of a worthier cause to support than CASA." Dan and Kris are also owners of Mosquito Joe, providing mosquito control to the southern New Hampshire area.

We're thrilled to report this year's campaign was incredibly successful, thanks to dedicated supporters as well as 65 new donors, an increase of 38 new donors over last year.

Thanks to their generous support, this year's Giving Tuesday campaign was the biggest ever for CASA. Over \$16,000 was raised in 24 hours from 74 donors, including 11 new donors and 14 advocates.

Ways to Give: Donor-Advised Funds



Did you know you can use a donor-advised fund to donate to CASA of New Hampshire? A donor-advised fund is an account you establish with an administrator such as a nonprofit, bank, investment firm or other financial services provider. You can make contributions to the

fund when you choose and then advise the fund administrator where to give. Just remember that this is an “advised” fund, so the administrator is not bound to follow your advice. However, administrators almost always follow the account holder’s advice unless there is a problem with the intended recipient.

Benefits of donor-advised funds include:

- Control over the timing of your donation and income tax deduction
- Ability to easily give anonymously
- Pass ownership to children

If you’d like to learn more about how to utilize a donor-advised fund to give to CASA, please contact Suzanne Lenz at slenz@casanh.org.



Is your company interested in becoming a sponsor of CASA’s largest and most successful fundraising event, CASA Cares? We offer sponsorship levels for every budget! You can view all the sponsorship levels and benefits using the link below.

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Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA) of New Hampshire provides a voice for children and youth who have experienced abuse and neglect by empowering a statewide network of trained volunteers to advocate on their behalf so they can thrive in safe, permanent homes.

