



## 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

# Corporate Sponsor Spotlight: Members First



We would like to thank one of our valued corporate sponsors, [Members First Credit Union](#), for their commitment to furthering our mission. Asked why they choose to support CASA of New Hampshire, they shared the following:

“Members First Credit Union continues to support CASA NH because of our shared commitment to our community’s welfare and the belief in the importance of advocating for children in need. Supporting CASA aligns with our mission to improve the lives of individuals and families in New Hampshire.

For Members First, CASA NH represents a vital resource that empowers children by giving them a voice and ensuring they receive the support they need during challenging times. By partnering with CASA, Members First, through our Illuminating Change program, hopes to help raise awareness and funds for this important cause, reinforcing their dedication to social responsibility and community engagement.

Ultimately, CASA NH embodies hope, protection, and advocacy, values that resonate deeply with the Members First mission to foster a supportive and caring community for all its members. We are honored to be able to support the annual CASA Cares event and can’t wait to see the great things they accomplish in the future.”

## Planned Giving



Stephen A. Brophy, senior wealth manager at [Brophy Wealth Management](#), shares strategies for giving to your favorite charities and the tax benefits that follow. Most are familiar with how to make a one-time donation, or to establish a systematic monthly donation plan. But there are other ways to contribute, and often these lead to more impactful donations. Please click [here](#) to read the full article to learn more.

# Thank You!



We would like to thank and recognize all those participating in [Granite United Way](#), as well as those who have chosen to designate CASA of New Hampshire.

As we faced a growing need for CASA advocates following the pandemic, Granite United Way provided critical funds that helped us better support our current volunteers while working to reach and recruit new advocates so we could serve more children throughout the state.

“Granite United Way’s partnerships with organizations like CASA of NH are key to building stronger communities where our neighbors have access to critical services. CASA of NH has been a long-time partner and we work together to identify ways to further their mission,” says Nichole Reimer, Chief Engagement Officer at Granite United Way. “We appreciate the work done by CASA of NH staff and volunteers and recognize the impact it makes for families across New Hampshire.”

## Get Creative with Third-party Fundraising



One of our staff members, Melissa Desrosiers, used her artistic skill to help fundraise. She had the opportunity to display and sell her photography, and advertised that she’d be donating the proceeds to CASA of NH. Third-party fundraising comes in all shapes and sizes, and we encourage you to come up with your own unique ideas! For more inspiration, here are a few other recent examples:

CASA of NH Board Member KT Thomas rode her bike across the country.

Perhaps a little more achievable for many of us, a couple asked wedding guests to donate to CASA of NH in lieu of gifts. Or, couples have donated to CASA in lieu of favors.

Host a birthday fundraiser.

A local Manchester yoga studio led an in-person and virtual class to benefit CASA of NH.

CASA of NH is happy to talk about your idea or assist with creating a page for third-party campaigns. Please contact Tarah Bergeron at [TBergeron@casanh.org](mailto:TBergeron@casanh.org) or 603-626-4600 ext. 2113.

## You’re Invited!



November 20: Join us at Firefly Bistro in Manchester to support CASA! As a part of their Community Partnership Series, Firefly will contribute 10% of all food and non-alcoholic beverage sales (excluding alcoholic drinks) throughout the day to benefit CASA. To learn more or to make a reservation, click [here!](#)

March 8: On Tap For CASA, our barstool marathon, returns! Each team captains a stool at the bar for 10 hours while competing in a variety of fun competitions. Come for the cause, stay for the friendly competition!

*Teams must be 5-10 members and commit to a \$1,200 fundraising minimum.*

[Registration](#) is now open!

## Holiday Inspiration



CASA Cards for a Cause are available! When you buy CASA Cards, you support our mission to protect every child's right to grow up in a safe, permanent home. All of the artwork is created and donated by New Hampshire artists, photographers and students. Cards can be personalized. Click [here](#) to purchase cards!

And if you're struggling to find a gift for the person who has everything, donating to improve the life of a child makes for a wonderful present.

## Meet an Advocate



During her 10 years as a CASA of NH volunteer, Jane Hoover has served on six cases and advocated for 11 children. Read more about her impact and experiences [here](#).

## Help Spread the Word



CASA of NH needs more volunteer advocates to serve children in every part of the state. You can help in many ways, by simply sharing more about us with family and friends to hosting a lunch-and-learn for your employees. If you're interested in helping our recruitment efforts, please contact Erica Thoits at [ethoits@casanh.org](mailto:ethoits@casanh.org) or 603-626-4600 ext. 2111.

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