



Elmore Medical Center Foundation

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EMC Foundation Wine & Music Event Raises Scholarship Funds

MOUNTAIN HOME, ID (June 20, 2011) – The EMC Foundation Wine & Music Event, held on May 14th raised just over \$1,000 to provide for scholarships. Cold Spring Winery from Hammett provided a variety of wine for tasting and Marathon Cheese donated an assortment of cheese.

This fundraising event will be held on the lawn at Elmore Medical Center. Participants received a souvenir wine glass, six tastes of wine and heavy hors d'oeuvres. A variety of local vendors had booths displaying their products and art work. A silent auction, with a variety of gift baskets and art items was held .

All funds raised are used locally to support the Elmore Medical Center Foundation Educational Scholarships and the Endowment Fund. The EMC Foundation offers nursing scholarships to current EMC employees who wish to obtain their nursing license as part of a "Grow Your Own" initiative to ensure that EMC has a strong, well trained nursing staff. The Youth Health Care Scholarships are awarded to graduating seniors who intend to pursue a health care career. The 2011 Youth Health Care Scholarships were awarded in May in memory of Dr. A. Wakelee Bledsoe, who passed away in 2011 after an extended battle with cancer.

2011 Youth Health Care Scholarships of \$250 were awarded to two Mountain Home High School students Angelica Deese and Dannan Krabbenhoft. Both girls will attend Boise State University. Deese will study Physical Therapy and Krabbenhoft will pursue a Nursing Degree

"Elmore Medical Center Foundation was created to provide opportunities for community members to support our local hospital with their donations and by participating in activities like the Wine & Music Event" stated Doreen Krabbenhoft, Foundation Director. "All the money raised is kept local to provide the best possible health care services to our community."



L to R: Anna Hissong, Larry Ashcraft, Dannan Krabbenhoft, Nancie Brininger, Connie Cruser, Jeanna Still, Angelica Deese, Shirley Rist, Armand Hebert and Patrick Cruser