



When **HELP** Can't Wait

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NEWSLETTER

2nd QUARTER – 2019



Our Second Quarter continued our trend of getting back on our feet financially.

The Augusta Newcomer's Club held a Live Auction for our benefit and awarded us with a sizable donation which was much needed and greatly appreciated. Our long-time Volunteer, Donna Bowles is a member of the club and worked very hard on helping with the auction.

The Columbia County Chamber of Commerce's Leadership Class of 2019 continued their help by hosting and sponsoring a very popular, "BINGO de' MAYO" at Westlake Country Club and it was very successful - in fact so much so, that they plan to do it again next year!!

We have been busy fulfilling our mission as usual – lack of funding has not slowed our ability to assist with activities and supplies furnished by in-kind donations. Activity directors continue to shop daily for their residents with trips to our store (warehouse).



We have held Clothes Closets as usual, Jewelry Shows, Gospel Singings and of course Pet Therapy with Lady Bug – our favorite ‘fur’ volunteer and her mom, Jewel.

We were fortunate to win a Contest offered by Atlas Heating & Air and we were grateful for that \$1,000 win! What a great way for them to give back to the community.



While our concentration is on Nursing Homes – because they are so plentiful and the resident’s needs so great – we also help Personal Care Homes and Hospice groups on an Emergency basis. If there is a senior in need – we are here to help. In this quarter, there were many occasions when we donated clothing, toiletries and other items to different Hospice groups as well assisted a Personal Care home when the residents there required all

new wardrobes.

We want to THANK THE COMMUNITY for the outpouring of love that kept our mission alive of serving Nursing Home residents across and beyond the CSRA. We will continue to need your support to remain active and we are encouraged to know that there are caring people in our community who are willing to help those who cannot help themselves – we call them “The Forgotten Ones” – our Nursing Home residents without family to help care for their personal needs.



We are deeply grateful to those loyal donors who continue to send their monthly donations that give us consistency in the ability to meet our recurring expenses of operation.



May God richly BLESS you all for your loyal support and caring!

Ways that you can help:

Financial Gifts may be made in honor of or to remember a special loved one. A notice will be sent to the honoree or to the family of those being remembered.

- **Tax Laws encourage charitable giving and these gifts may significantly reduce income taxes for some donors.**
- **Planned gifts or bequests made through estate planning or trusts as well as allowances for IRA owners who must take RMDs are some of the best tax advantages of giving.**
- **Our goal is to establish an Endowment Fund to insure the continuance of When HELP Can't Wait into the future.**

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When HELP Can't Wait is a 501©3 organization. All donations made to our organization are tax deductible. At the current time, there are no administrative salaries in our organization. Our Board consists entirely of volunteers, including our President . We are dedicated to keeping administrative costs low. Our Board is composed of local CSRA business men and women.