



The HANDS Foundation is dedicated to improving the quality of life for Medina County seniors. We have proudly been serving the seniors in Medina County since 1995.

The HANDS Foundation believes:

- Aging should be a supportive partnership among seniors, families, caregivers, the community, and HANDS.
- All seniors deserve dignity and a respectful quality of life.
- The community has a responsibility to ensure sources exist and are made available.
- Seniors are a valuable asset in the community wheel.

The HANDS Foundation is most known for our Senior Wish Program. Funds are made available by grant application to seniors and their families for special needs they could not otherwise afford or obtain through any other resource. This program fills a huge void in services to seniors and no other organization has a program like Senior Wishes.

Aside from our Senior Wish Program we also have our Helping HANDS Newspaper. Helping HANDS is a 32 page, bi-monthly newspaper that is directly mailed free of charge to 11,000 Medina County seniors, family members, and community leaders 6 times per year. The paper contains educational, informational, and entertaining articles geared towards seniors and their specific issues and topics of interest. There is no other publication like it in Medina County and our feedback from readers has always been very positive. This publication is supported solely through advertising revenue.

There are a multitude of ways you can impact a Medina County senior's life through the HANDS Foundation and we are writing to you today about one of them! Coming up on May 20<sup>th</sup>, 2023 is our Major Fundraiser for the year. The fundraiser is called Spring Breezes- I Want to Hold Your Hand. This fundraiser will be the main support of our Senior Wish Program for the remainder of 2023 and into 2024. We are hoping you will consider sponsoring, donating, or attending our event!

The HANDS Foundation is a community foundation and is exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(3) of the IRS code. All trustees, officers and the Executive Director serve without compensation. Contributions to the Foundation are tax deductible. HANDS is a local charity, not supported by any national organization. All money raised here stays here in Medina County to benefit our older adults.

Sincerely,  
Christina Waller-Executive Director

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Today we granted a wish for a 69-year-old Wadsworth gentleman! His front storm door was broken during a high wind situation-glass shattered! The Medina County Office for Older Adults worked hard to get this senior the help he deserved. The office reached out to Wadsworth High School carpentry class. It was decided that if HANDS could purchase the door, The carpentry class would install it. Seniors on fixed incomes have little to no money left for home repairs- we were honored to grant this wish!

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HANDS received a request for a wish for a 81 year old Brunswick couple. They were soon to celebrate their 63rd wedding anniversary! The wife is currently going through chemo for breast cancer & funds are super tight. Their wish was for a dinner to celebrate their anniversary which included themselves & their 5 grandchildren-time is precious & family is everything so OF COURSE we granted the wish!

The HANDS Foundation had received word that a 81 year old Brunswick senior was in desperate need of some help with covering personal care items that were unexpectedly no longer covered by her insurance! The board voted quickly to grant her wish- we NEVER want to see a senior worry about something so important!



Spring Breezes

I WANT TO HOLD YOUR HAND

**BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND**

# THE BEATLES

Band: The Liverpool Lads

Date: 5.20.2023

Location: Buffalo Creek Retreat

Doors Open: 5:30p.m.

Band Starts: 6:00p.m.

Dinner is Served: 7:00p.m.

Ticket Donation: \$60.00

At No Additional Cost: Dinner and Drinks

Dinner: Will be prepared by Chef Cheyenne

Nichols a Medina County Native who worked alongside Gordon Ramsey on Hell's Kitchen.

Drinks: Wine & Beer

Attire: Black and White

RSVP: [chrissy@plumcreekseniorliving.com](mailto:chrissy@plumcreekseniorliving.com)



# I WANT TO HOLD YOUR HAND SPONSORSHIP'S

## GEORGE HARRISON SPONSORSHIP

- Name in sponsor program
- Name in HANDS Publication

\$175  
+  
Auction  
Item

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## RINGO STARR SPONSORSHIP

- Name in sponsor program
- Small AD in HANDS Publication

\$250

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## PAUL MCCARTNEY SPONSORSHIP

- Name in sponsor program
- 1/2 page AD in HANDS Publication
- One FREE ticket to the event

\$500

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## JOHN LENNON SPONSORSHIP

- Name in sponsor program
- Full page AD in HANDS Publication
- Two FREE tickets to the event

\$1000

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## THE BEATLES SPONSORSHIP

- Name in sponsor program
- Full page AD in HANDS Publication X2
- Table of 8 at the event

\$1964

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Sponsorship Level:

Company Name:

Contact Name:

Email Address for Contact:

Email or Mail Invoice:

Mailing Address:

I would like \_\_\_\_\_ tickets at 60.00 each.

I would like one 8 top table for 450.00\_\_\_\_\_.

