

“Standing United” Fall Banquet

On Tuesday evening, September 27, Hope With Options Pregnancy Care Center (HWO) hosted a fundraising banquet at the Pendleton Convention Center. The theme was “Standing United.”

The hall was decorated with a variety of eucalyptus greenery, gold branches, colorful pumpkins, and peach rose arrangements. Each table was styled with antique books, topped with black river rocks, a gold willow wreath, and a whitewashed pot planted with sedum and herbs, all of which was designed by Jubilee Howell.

The banquet started with the guests standing united as Jolena and Dawn Jeffers led them in a rousing “God Bless America.” Pastor Harley Jeffers of the Life Church (Pilot Rock) was the master of ceremonies for the evening. He opened up the banquet with prayer, thanking God for His provision.

Camie Britt, Hope With Options’ new Executive Director, shared a client’s testimony about the benefits she gained from the parenting classes. Camie also encouraged the audience to practice the theme verse (1 Peter 3:8) by being “tenderhearted and courteous” with each other, and especially to those who oppose the pro-life position.

Additionally, Dr. Bob Johnson, Hope With Options’ new Medical Director, announced that HWO is now a fully participating and registered affiliate with the Abortion Pill Rescue Network. In partnership with Heartbeat International, HWO will have Abortion Pill Reversal Services available starting this fall.

The featured speaker was Dr. Ben Carson, who was accompanied by his delightful wife, Candy. Dr. Carson has a gentle manner and a soft voice, yet presented a powerful, forty-five-minute speech. He included comments about his mother and her influence on him developing a reading habit early in his life. He regaled the audience with surprisingly mischievous childhood moments as well. He commented on race and our country’s founding fathers, including an appeal for everyone to register and vote this November. His recollections of the difficult, moral decisions that he faced as a neurosurgeon were inspiring, especially considering the complex and ground-breaking surgical procedures he performed on preborn babies, saving their lives. He emphasized the value of every person and their right to life. Furthermore, he gave a somber description of what a surgical abortion does to a preborn baby. Dr. Carson’s speech was a special opportunity to hear from one of our nation’s



Dr. Ben Carson, Chrissy & Alan Froese

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“Finally, all of you be of one mind, having compassion for one another; love as brothers, be tenderhearted, be courteous” (1 Peter 3:8).

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most prominent black conservatives right here in Pendleton.

Many people sacrificially gave of their time, talents, and money to make this banquet such a resounding success. The cost of the banquet was fully covered by the generosity of our banquet underwriters, allowing every dollar raised the night of the banquet to go toward funding Hope With Options' operating expenses. By Standing United for Life, we raised approximately \$150,000 on the night of the banquet. All glory and praise go to God for the abundant blessings He has bestowed on this important ministry for preborn babies and their families in Umatilla County.

Introducing: Amber Klimek Office & Client Services Manager

Amber joined our team on October 3rd and brings three years of experience and skills to her new role at Hope With Options. She will be handling the overall office management, client services, and will oversee our volunteer programs. She comes with ideas to strengthen our client services and will do a great job. We are excited to have her join us in Pendleton.

Before joining the Hope With Options team, Amber was the Director of Client Services at Next Step Pregnancy and Relationship Center in La Grande. She has a passion for sharing education on adoption and positive adoption language. She is a birthmother (which means she placed a child for adoption) and has an open adoption with her six-year-old son. Additionally, she is married and has two boys, 18 and 12 years old. She enjoys crafting, home decorating, and Zumba. She also loves Mexican food, going to the beach and spending time with her family.

Introducing: Brandi McGarva Office Assistant

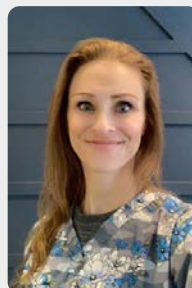
Brandi McGarva recently joined us at the center. She will be answering the phone, greeting clients, tracking data, assisting with the boutique, and many other tasks as needed. We are grateful to have her help and are confident in the value she will add to the center.

Brandi and her husband have three children, two dogs, and one cat, and recently moved to the area from La Grande. She loves singing, traveling, and taking photos of nature. Her favorite food is Mexican. At Hope With Options, she loves meeting new people and connecting with visitors. Brandi is excited to be a part of a

Our Staff



Camie Britt
*Executive
Director*



Sarah Edmonds
*RN
Nurse Manager*



Amber Klimek
*Office & Client
Services Manager*



Brandi McGarva
Office Assistant

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growing ministry and see the growth that clients make through the various services offered.

Goodbye & God Bless to Madison Hull



We are sad to be saying goodbye to our beloved Office Assistant, Madison Hull. She has been serving in a key role in the center for almost three years. During that time, she managed reception duties, worked on publications, marketing, fundraising, social media, and much more. Madison's computer skills and insights into the teen population have been invaluable. In so many areas, she willingly offered her help and enthusiasm. This organization has grown and improved because of her efforts.

Madison and her husband Domynik feel God is calling them, and daughter Grayson, to Texas. Madison has accepted a position with FundEasy as their Marketing Specialist. This company offers fundraising software to non-profits and pro-life organizations.

We will miss them all so much. We are grateful for the season they were able to serve with us here in Pendleton. We pray for God's blessing upon their move and for this new adventure in Texas.

Speak up for those who cannot speak for themselves, for the rights of all who are destitute. Speak up and judge fairly the rights of the poor and needy.

Proverbs 31:8-9



Ready For Year End Giving?

If you plan to make a year-end donation and want it recorded for 2022, please make sure that we receive it in our office by Wednesday, December 28th so we can get it recorded and deposited in 2022.

Merry Christmas and a Blessed New Year!

Heavenly Father,
May your favor be upon each donor. Cover them with your Presence and blessing. May they experience the abundance that you have for them in every area of life: spiritual, emotional, and physical. In this Christmas season, remind them of your goodness and longsuffering patience. For their families, may they make the most of the moments you give to connect, encourage, and forgive each other. Cultivate in each of them the gratitude and worship that pleases You.
In Jesus' Name, Amen.

"Behold, the virgin shall be with child, and bear a Son, and they shall call His name Immanuel," which is translated, "God with us." Matthew 1:23 NKJV



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