

Monroe Community Hospital Auxiliary Times

We love our residents!

Spring / Summer 2026

Our Mission: To promote and advance the well being and quality of life of the residents of Monroe Community Hospital through volunteer service, fund-raising activities and program and service provision.

Celebrating 60 Years ~ 1966 - 2026 ~

of growth & change in service to our residents

As the Auxiliary begins the next 60 years of service to the residents of Monroe Community Hospital, take a look back at just a few of the many happy memories we've experienced along the way!



Original Library - 1996



Auxiliary Board Meeting - 1975



First Thrift Shop - 1969
Created by Rita Martens



First Harvest Craft Faire - 1998



Gift Shop - 1973



Central Park - 2001



Women's Retreat - 2014



Salt Water Aquarium - 2001

The Auxiliary of Monroe Community Hospital was created in 1966. Even after 60 years of dedication we are still going strong! Throughout the years many milestones have been reached and many hearts have been touched. We have been blessed with remarkable individuals that have turned what could have been stumbling blocks into stepping stones – all for the betterment of MCH. From the beginning, dedicated volunteers have demonstrated the amazing spirit of giving and helped to create a foundation of compassion on which a stronger community has been built.

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Vegas Night



Beehive Opening



Camp Friendship



New Hospice Unit



New Thrift Shop

APRIL 24, 2026

6:00 PM - 9:30 PM

MCH AUDITORIUM

Ticket Price \$75

\$500 in Gaming Chips
Food & Raffles • Entertainment
Door Prizes • Cash Bar

Tickets on sale at the MCH Tapestry Gift Shop
or the MCH Volunteer Office • call 585-760-6151

**Event
SOLD OUT
Last Year
Get Your
Tickets
Today!**

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DID YOU KNOW?

- When the Auxiliary was founded, Monroe Community Hospital was named "Monroe County Home and Infirmary."
- In 1968 Dr. T. Franklin Williams was appointed Medical Director and held the position until 1983.
- The MCH Auxiliary was one of the first to include men in a traditionally women's organization.
- The Thrift Shop opened in 1969 and is now located on the 1st floor of the Hope Building.
- In 1973 the Gift Shop opened for business. After relocating many times, the "Tapestry Gift Shop" proudly stands on the first floor in the Faith building.
- In 1983 the Auxiliary became a designated donor for the United Way. The donor number is 1311 and remains an option today.
- The first fundraiser the Auxiliary held was at the Eastman Theater in 1986.
- The Auxiliary allocated \$5,000 in investment capital to help implement the T. Franklin Williams, M.D. Foundation in 1989.
- The Auxiliary provided funds for the fish aquarium in the Garden Lobby in 2002 and continues to maintain it today.
- Over the last 15 years, 100% of your donations to the Auxiliary have been used to fund resident projects and special needs. Your contributions to the Tapestry Gift Shop and Thrift Shop have been used to bring joy to the MCH Family.
- 50 Resident Projects and Events have been approved for 2026.
- MCH Auxiliary sponsors a wheelchair accessible bus to transport residents to community events and shopping trips.



MCH Auxiliary Officers & Board of Directors

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