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Shared Success! Gala VI is Best Ever!

Saluting the people who made it possible

Gala VI Fiesta was the most successful fundraising event that the DeWitt Medical Foundation has hosted over its 12-year history, bringing in approximately \$200,000 in funds for Cuero Community Hospital. This biennial effort has evolved into a community-wide event with close to 600 guests and patrons attending and offering their support through contributions in the form of ticket purchases for the event and raffle, sponsorships, and auction donations.

The monetary contributions are the obvious path to reaching the goal in this type of fundraising effort, but it's not just the financial support that ensures such a fantastic accomplishment. There's good, old-fashioned manpower, womanpower, or should we say person-power, behind the Gala. The time and efforts that



To everyone
everywhere who
helped in every way
imaginable ~

muchas gracias

from the
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individuals willingly provide says as much about their kindness and generosity as it says about the importance of the community hospital in their lives. The success of Gala VI Fiesta is a testament to a very important relationship.

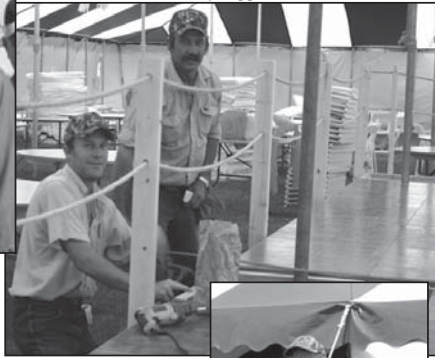
The 2007 Gala VI Fiesta was under the direction of Gala Chairs Rhonda and David Kleinecke and Suzie and Nathan Post, Steering Committee Chairs Marilyn and Mike Weber, and Gala VI hosts Peggy and Travis Basham. Committee chairs along with countless committee members pitched in their ideas and talents to make sure every detail fell perfectly into place.

Since its inception in 1995, the mission of the DeWitt Medical Foundation has been and continues to be to encourage, accept and steward all public and private gifts

Gala Chair Suzie Post confers with caterer Don Strange on site several months before the Gala.



The stage goes up, thanks to GL&L Construction and Brett Duckett and Tracey Lapp.



Parking Chairs Pat Elder and Travis Spears have definitely let their good work go to their heads!

What you don't see -- all the hard work that goes on before the Gala!

Auction committee members Nancy Blackwell (top photo) and Emily Davis (bottom photo) helped to set up the live auction display the day of the event.



Invitation committee members and other volunteers all pitched in many months ahead to assemble the invitations.



CCH Administrator Darryl Stefa is on ant patrol.



Yvonne and Jackie Childs along with Rex Burdett worked hard at hanging the pinatas.

in support of Cuero Community Hospital. To date, DMF has donated almost three-quarters of a million dollars to the hospital through the generosity of area donors.

Funds accrued through the 2007 Gala have been directed toward the complete renovation of the

This year's Gala VI Fiesta, raising close to \$200,000, was the most successful Gala ever!

hospital's existing Radiology Room #1, including the purchase of an ergonomic, height-adjustable X-ray table. In addition, funds have been allocated for an enhancement package at the Cuero Wellness Center, including the purchase of two dry saunas, a HydroMassage table, Hydration Station machine, and Lumiere Light Therapie. Funding will also be used to install new flooring specifically designed for fitness centers.

To learn more about the **DuWitt Medical Foundation** or to make a donation, please contact us at 361.275-0511.

Where the Money from Gala VI Goes...

To funds for the renovation of CCH's Radiology Room #1 including the purchase of a height-adjustable, ergonomic X-Ray table



The Proteus XR/a

To purchase equipment for the Cuero Wellness & Rejuvenation Center



Lumiere Light Therapie



HydroMassage table



Hydration Station



Dry sauna

Destination - Paradise in Mexico!

Winners of the Villa La Querencia Raffle at this year's Gala were Howard and Rosemary McElroy, here being congratulated by DMF Board Member Charles Papacek along with his wife, Jackie Papacek, who sold the winning ticket to the McElroys.



Howard & Rosemary McElroy and Jackie & Charles Papacek.