

The Cutting Edge

As we close out another year of helping others, I want to share a testimonial from a recent patient. Her gratitude should remind us all why we do what we do, and I hope you are encouraged by her words.

I want to thank each and every one of you that I came in contact with on the day of my surgery. Each person was kind, gracious, and displayed a quick and friendly smile. The nurses were wonderful, very knowledgeable, and answered all my questions. They relayed info in a timely manner to my husband. The nurses who assisted the surgeon were so helpful and eased all my fears. It is so true that those who work and volunteer at an organization reflect said organization. God's love and grace was quite evident on that day. Again, from the bottom of my heart THANK YOU!

Thanks to each of you for your support of Surgery on Sunday and best wishes to you and yours this holiday season!

Gratefully,

Amanda Ferguson
Executive Director

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Volunteer Spotlight

December's volunteer of the month is PACU nurse Cindy Frazer, RN. Originally from Colorado, Cindy has worked with Surgery on Sunday since 2008.

Cindy's first job out of nursing school was with the Air Force Nurse Corps and she was in active duty for more than 5 years. While serving, she met her husband, Bob, and they lived in Germany for 3 1/2 years. Now married for 34 years, they have 2 daughters - Anne Clemmons (30) and Robin McGuffin (27).

Cindy enjoys watching college football, especially UK and Notre Dame although she is a graduate of the University of Northern Colorado.

Her favorite thing about Surgery on Sunday and caring for patients is the people she feels privileged to work with. Cindy says "It is a great group, and I always enjoy the day."

Thank you, Cindy, for your dedication to SOS and your devotion to our patients!



The GoodGiving Challenge Continues



Less than 2 weeks remain in the 2017 GoodGiving Challenge, a month-long giving program for local non-profits presented by the Blue Grass Community Foundation and Smiley Pete Publishing. Thank you to everyone who has already donated and put us over half way to achieving this year's goal of \$10,000!

Is there someone on your shopping list who has everything? This holiday season, you can give the gift of good health to someone in need by donating to Surgery on Sunday in honor of another. When you donate at the link below and include the name and address of your honoree, we can take care of sending a card in recognition of your contribution.

[The GoodGiving Challenge](#)

Sweat4Surgeries 3.0

Registration remains open for Sweat4Surgeries 3.0, a 24-hour fitness marathon on January 26 and 27th. Josh Bowen at Aspire Fitness is well on the way to his goal of \$50,000 from this event.

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For more information and to register, click the link below.

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Register Now!



Registration remains open for the third annual Perfect 10 miler & 10K road race on Saturday, March 10, 2018 at 9:00 am. All proceeds will benefit Surgery on Sunday.

Participants will run through picturesque Mt. Brilliant Farm and along tranquil Huffman Mill Pike. All registrants will receive a commemorative dri fit race shirt. Chip timing will be provided, and overall & age group awards (10 Miler) and overall awards (10K) will be presented. Post race food and drink will be served at the Mt. Brilliant Entertainment Barn.

This race is great preparation for many area half and full marathons like Run The Bluegrass, Kentucky Derby Festival, and Horse Capital, and the course is entirely on paved surfaces. Runners will be capped at 500 so sign up now at the link below!

[The Perfect 10 Miler and 10K](#)

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