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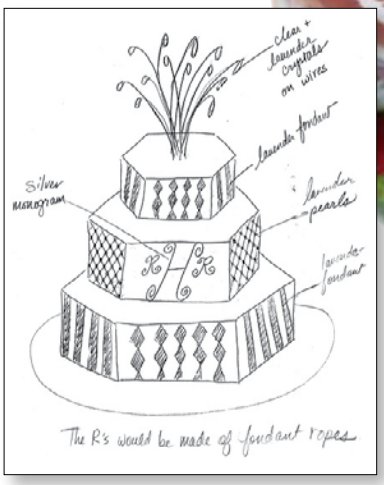
The newsletter of Meals on Wheels of Charlottesville–Albemarle

Calling all cooks! Calling all cakes!

Calling all bakers — and calling all butchers and candlestick makers as well! What's a birthday party without cake — and lots of it?!!?! To celebrate our 30th birthday, we're having a birthday cake competition, and we'd like to invite you to enter your very own cake design! We'll have three categories — professional, amateur and junior chef, each category judged for theme decoration — and a silent auction so you can bid on the professional cakes! YUM!!!

Do you have an idea for a cake to commemorate this special year for Meals on Wheels? Plan and bake a cake to honor our 30th birthday! We're looking for 30 cake entries to honor each of our 30 years of service to the community.



You've got plenty of time — our birthday party will be on October 29, 2007, at the Charlottesville Omni — with guest judges and prizes — and, best of all, the whole community is invited to come to our party, to have a piece of cake and celebrate this special 30th birthday for Meals on Wheels!

Call the Meals on Wheels office at 293-4364 to register in one of our divisions!

10% TUESDAYS AT ORZO . . .

August is Meals on Wheels month at Orzo Kitchen & Wine Bar in the Main Street Market! Each Tuesday of the month, Orzo will be donating 10% of their profits to our home-delivered meals program! You've got to eat that month anyway, but remember that on Tuesdays in August, you can feed a hungry neighbor as you feed your family! So … *mangia*!

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Meals on Wheels is an independent, non-profit local organization that provides hot, nutritious lunchtime meals to homebound Charlottesville and Albemarle residents who are unable to cook their own meals and who have no one to help them. Meals are delivered by volunteers every Monday through Friday, including all holidays that fall on weekdays.

All contributions to Meals on Wheels are tax-deductible. Donations from the community are what make this program possible.

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From the Director's Chair

Halfway through our thirtieth anniversary year, we continue to celebrate YOU, our friends and supporters, our drivers and packers and committee members, and to celebrate as well the amazing and wonderful ability of our community, time and again, to rise to the occasion to make sure that Meals on Wheels continues to roll along, as it has (and with gathering steam!) since 1977!

Through the generosity of Better Living, Inc., we were able back in May to thank our volunteers in style, with a special luncheon at the Omni Hotel, with remarks by Mayor David Brown. We thank Better Living, Inc. not only for underwriting this wonderful event, but also for their generous sponsorship of our quarterly newsletter, which allows us to keep you informed in this stylish way!

Speaking of STYLE, we are so thrilled with our new logo and the new look of our newsletter, and owe all thanks to Roseberries Graphic Design Associates for their design work and tutorials!

As we head into the summer, we welcome back all of our summer volunteers — including, but not limited to, our good friends from TeensGIVE and People Places. Thanks so much for making Meals on Wheels a part of your summer break!

Finally, we bid a fond farewell and give many thanks to Dolly Prenzel and Brian Kennedy as they finish their terms of service to our board of directors.

— Mandy Hoy

June Volunteer Spotlight

David Ferrall, a longtime substitute driver for our western Albemarle delivery routes, recently joined Summit Realty Company as an agent — and he is (from our point of view!) an agent with a generous heart and a wonderful idea: he has pledged to Meals on Wheels a portion of the proceeds from each property he sells!

While we are of course already grateful for the time he contributes to our program, now we are grateful as well for this wonderfully generous gift!

These kind folks' generous donations, received this past quarter, help to sustain our home-delivered meals program:

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We're 30! and proud of it!

All thanks to **Ellen Beard** and **Sheila Garrison** for organizing Meals on Wheels' participation in the Dogwood Parade, and to **Olwen Fabiano** and Girl Scout Troop #208, Brownie Troop #397, and Cub Scout Pack #114 for marching for us!

Take a look at this crew and see if you don't think they represent us well! These are faces we can — and do! — love!

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