

PASS Welcomes Donor Choice, Corporate Matching Gifts

Polish American Social Services (PASS) is a leading source of information, referral and direct social services to low-income clients in the Philadelphia area. Thousands of clients, especially the Polish-speaking elderly, have benefited from our efficient and effective services. To continue its work, PASS relies on government, foundation, and corporate support, as well as gifts from individuals, especially through the United Way Donor program.



A Message from **John Groch**
Director of Development

As soon as your workplace campaign begins, ask for a Donor Choice form and designate all or a portion of your contribution to Polish American Social Services. Also encourage co-workers to consider a gift to PASS.

If you work for a company that matches employee gifts, double your gift by filling out the appropriate form. Many companies who would otherwise not support agencies like PASS, do provide support through this program.

Important information you'll need in order to fill out your form:

Polish American Social Services
(sometimes listed as "United Polish American Social Services")
308 Walnut Street, Philadelphia, PA 19106

Code numbers for the Philadelphia and Pennsylvania areas:

(Numbers are subject to change. Check your campaign booklet.)
United Way of SE Pennsylvania - 1869
Combined City Campaign - 11-01869
Combined Federal Campaign- 9327

Donor Choice contributions to PASS are honored in many states along the East Coast. It is important to ask your campaign management about this option no matter where you live.

For more information, call PASS at 215-923-1900. Ask for John Groch. Also visit our web site at www.PolishAmericanSocialServices.org.

Thanks for your support!

The Polish National Youth Baseball Foundation is an American based non-profit organization that has been working for over eighteen years to establish and support Little League baseball and softball programs in Poland. The organization collects good used baseball equipment and uniforms and sends them to Poland. They also assist with coaching, direction and field construction. Currently they are working to raise funds necessary for baseball field construction projects being planned in several cities. Donations are appreciated. Call for more information at 716-941-6504 or visit the website www.PNYBF.com.



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Congratulations!

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Thank You From Polish Children's Heartline

This year over \$230,000 worth of medical/surgical equipment for children has been sent to Poland, including cardiac monitors, neo-natal incubators, anesthesia equipment and burn grafting instruments. Each year over 3000 children with congenital heart problems receive medical or surgical treatment in hospitals, in Zabrze, Katowice and Mother's Hospital in Lodz. Additionally, hundreds of children receive medical and surgical care at the pediatric units in Bialystok, Grajewo, Suwalki and Legnice. Ronald Syslo, President, and Alexandria Patras, CEO, of Polish Children's Heartline thank everyone for all their past support and ask for continued support since much is still needed. Contributions may be made in memory of someone. Each donation is tax exempt and acknowledged. For information call 732-680-0680 or 732-341-5044.



Polish Gift of Life Thanks Its Supporters



P.O. BOX 273
Albertson, NY 11507

The Polish Gift of Life, Inc. would like to thank all of its generous supporters, who, for over 25 years, have made it possible to help sick Polish children. Over 250 children have been brought to the United States for live-saving heart surgery, which was not available to them in their own country. This year therapy equipment and medical supplies were sent to an orphanage; also an EKG machine was sent to a rehabilitation center. Much-needed medical equipment and supplies were provided to several hospitals in Poland. A 24-hour ambulatory blood pressure monitor with softwear, cuffs, battery charger and batteries, an ambulatory Doppler machine, and a pulsometer were sent so that more children can be helped. Your financial support will allow the Polish Gift of Life, Inc. to continue to give Polish children the precious "gift of life!"

Save The Date to see the Philadelphia Premiere of Deco Diva

By Kara Wilson - Starring Rene Goodwin
Shubin Theater, 407 Bainbridge Street
(1 block South of South Street)

August 10 through August 26, 2006

The play, Deco Diva, is about the artist, Tamara de Lempicka, the daughter of a Russian Jewish father and a Polish mother. Accustomed at an early age to a life of wealth, the adjustment to a life of struggle after the Russian revolution was a difficult one for Tamara, her husband Tadeusz Lempicki, an attorney, and their daughter, Kizette. Settling in Paris, she began studying painting. Her determination and extraordinary talent emerged to make her one of the foremost portraitists of the Art Deco era. Galleries around the world exhibit her work, including the current exhibition in Boulogne, France. The beauty and passion of her work and life, which were intertwined, have earned her the title "Deco Diva".

This one woman, one act play, is performed by Philadelphia born actress, Rene Goodwin, who is of Polish descent (her mother's maiden name was Olszewski). Ms. Goodwin, a trained actress, singer/songwriter, and voice teacher, sings in Polish, Russian and French in the play.

Rene has two CD's available with seven original songs included in the mix. She has choreographed for stage shows and for the Mummies Parade. She studied Shakespearean theatre at the London Academy of Music & Dramatic Arts and performed as a featured act in Japan. Ms. Goodwin teaches voice at her studio. She will be appearing in a production of "Imaginary Friends" next winter at the Walnut Street Theatre's Studio Five.

For information/tickets call 215-271-5872 or e-mail: rengood@comcast.net.



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