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Janet Torstenson - 2013

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## MCCSN Support Meeting

**Thursday, March 3, 7:00 p.m.**

at the  
Multi-County Cancer Support Network  
Office  
110 East Lauderdale St.  
Tullahoma, TN

Everyone encouraged to attend!

## MCCSN's office days and hours have changed:

**Carla is now in the office on  
Tuesday, Thursday & Friday**

**8:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.**

**12:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.**

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**MCCSN's mailing address  
has also changed:**

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## Folding day

for April newsletters

Tuesday, March 29, 9:00 a.m.

Many thanks to our faithful volunteers!

## Officers/Directors elected

The annual election of officers and directors was held at the last support meeting. The far left column reflects the changes – alphabetically by the year their term ends.

Cile Alexander and Jan Hix were re-elected as President and Secretary, respectively. Brenda Knight was elected as vice president succeeding Frank Cantrell; while Linda Goodman assumes the treasurer's position, succeeding Stacey Duckworth.

Two newcomers to the board of directors are Dwight Schultz and Philip Sherrill. Philip will be finishing Brenda Knight's unexpired term. Fran Gray, Jim Neale, and Janet Torstenson, whose terms expired after 2010, were re-elected as directors.

MCCSN's appreciation is expressed to all officers and directors for volunteering their time and expertise in these areas.

## Change in Chaplain's position

Another change for 2011 is in the chaplain's complimentary position. Because she has recently relocated, MCCSN has lost a dedicated survivor, supporter, director and chaplain in Jean Kalt. Her Chaplain's Corner articles have been appreciated and have added to the reading of the newsletter.

Though Jean will be a hard act to follow, Fran Gray will ably assume the chaplain's post. Fran has been associated with MCCSN for many years and, as noted above, is also presently serving as a director.



**MCCSN Prayer List** — Please pray for each person listed, their families and friends; your help in keeping MCCSN updated on the status of each one is appreciated.

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| <p><b>Altamont:</b><br/>Joanne Childers<br/>Patricia Myers</p> <p><b>Beechgrove:</b><br/>James C. Sherrill</p> <p><b>Beersheba:</b><br/>Hershel &amp; Brenda Perry<br/>Jeff Spain</p> <p><b>Belvidere:</b><br/>Levi Howard<br/>Annie Dean King<br/>Ralph McGee<br/>Lynn Moss<br/>Gloria Simmons</p> <p><b>Coalmont:</b><br/>Amanda Bean</p> <p><b>Cowan:</b><br/>Tim Lewis</p> <p><b>Dayton:</b><br/>Verenda Skiles</p> <p><b>Dechard:</b><br/>James Champion<br/>Ida Hill<br/>Nancy Hopkins<br/>Bill Kelley<br/>Boston Mantooth<br/>Leslie Kinslow Nard<br/>Charles Neely</p> <p><b>Estill Springs:</b><br/>Joyce Archey<br/>Mary Cathey<br/>Gladys Dutz<br/>Henry Dutz<br/>Loretta Grant<br/>Mark A. Hill<br/>Sandra Hill<br/>Ann Hokirk<br/>Juanita Little<br/>Brian McDowell<br/>Elizabeth Peters<br/>Isabelle Rankin<br/>Billy Seals<br/>Marsha Ann Smith<br/>Elaine Weaver</p> | <p><b>Fayetteville:</b><br/>Becky Bankston<br/>Jim Chambers<br/>Bonnita Coulter<br/>Jeanette Keith<br/>Rachel Logan<br/>Frances Street</p> <p><b>Flintville:</b><br/>Jean Hall</p> <p><b>Gruetli-Laager:</b><br/>Geraldine Davis</p> <p><b>Hillsboro:</b><br/>Karen Barnes<br/>Billy L. Jones<br/>Kathy Webster<br/>Leland Whirrell<br/>Jasey Willis</p> <p><b>Huntland:</b><br/>Linda Baggett<br/>David Garner<br/>Lindsey Knoer<br/>Marie Moore</p> <p><b>Jasper:</b><br/>Tim Bowlin<br/>Allen Cash<br/>Delores Cash<br/>Brenda Johnson<br/>Cody Raulston</p> <p><b>Kelso:</b><br/>Janice May</p> <p><b>Lynchburg:</b><br/>Virginia Amacher<br/>Molly Johnston</p> <p><b>Manchester:</b><br/>Jeannie Bowling<br/>Martha Buckley<br/>Mary Bush<br/>David Fiske<br/>Bonnie Gallaway<br/>Judy Garner<br/>Barbara Hall<br/>Gary Hall<br/>Mary Ellen Hawthorne<br/>Gene &amp; Lois Holmes<br/>Jess Lewis, Jr.<br/>Ruth Mankin<br/>Debra Moreau<br/>Tony Morris<br/>Nancy Orange</p> | <p><b>Manchester (cont'd)</b><br/>Connie Sargent<br/>Gerald Adair Sinkfield<br/>Jean Waits<br/>Frederica Williams</p> <p><b>McMinnville:</b><br/>Carolyn Ashburn<br/>Hunter Bernhardt<br/>Connie Holt</p> <p><b>Monteagle:</b><br/>Doris Guyear<br/>Lewis Layne<br/>Jan G. Taylor</p> <p><b>Murfreesboro:</b><br/>Joe Bean<br/>Terry Jolley</p> <p><b>Normandy:</b><br/>Edna Brazier<br/>Robbie Sheffield</p> <p><b>Sewanee:</b><br/>Erica deGrasse<br/>Janet Jacobs<br/>George Sargent, Jr.<br/>Dolores Snowden<br/>Clifford Tomes<br/>Linda Faye Weaver</p> <p><b>Shelbyville:</b><br/>Penny Barnes<br/>De De Bird-Reed<br/>Barbara B. Brown<br/>Danielle Crosslin<br/>Alice Davis<br/>Allen DeCosta<br/>Debbie Fanning<br/>Cara Lee Francis<br/>Mike Head<br/>Marilyn Heron<br/>David Knight<br/>Clarice Mallard<br/>Frank Mantanona<br/>Louise McAlister<br/>D. Richard McCabe<br/>Wanda Gail McPeak<br/>Lori Mitchell<br/>Lisa Pigg<br/>Lisa Renegar<br/>Debbie Rogers<br/>Eva Sherrill<br/>Karen Smotherman<br/>Carolyn Thomas<br/>Loretta Trust<br/>Betty Turner<br/>Lydia White</p> | <p><b>Smithville:</b><br/>Katasha Leggett<br/>Barbara Morris</p> <p><b>South Pittsburg:</b><br/>Lois Jean Norman</p> <p><b>Tracy City:</b><br/>Reba Cash<br/>Ralph Jones<br/>Sue Parson</p> <p><b>Tullahoma:</b><br/>Stanley Anderson<br/>Tabitha Baskin<br/>Wendy Batson<br/>Jerry Bryant<br/>Frank Cantrell<br/>Billy Glenn Clark<br/>Mary Ruth Clark<br/>Carol Davis<br/>Nancy Davis<br/>Woody Dorrell, Jr.<br/>Juanita Dunlap<br/>Lisa Kay Hayes<br/>Mary Hice<br/>Carol Hogan<br/>Edna Jackson<br/>Eric Johnson<br/>Dawn Kane<br/>George Knoer<br/>Dan Langford<br/>Viva Mansfield<br/>Carolyn Michael<br/>James W. Moore<br/>Ray Morgan<br/>Jayron Morris<br/>Bettie Patton<br/>Alan Pegram<br/>Jean Robertson<br/>Sandy Sebren<br/>Georgia Short<br/>Becky Snell<br/>Joyce Stafford<br/>Cheryl Underwood<br/>Peggy Underwood<br/>Elisabeth Zidan</p> <p><b>Wartrace:</b><br/>Casey Colvin<br/>Mary Floyd<br/>Debbie Hargrove</p> <p><b>Whitwell:</b><br/>Chris Caldwell<br/>Jacob Caldwell</p> | <p><b>Winchester:</b><br/>Josh Anderson<br/>Rebecca Baker<br/>Pam Burton<br/>Polly Ann Carleo<br/>Emily Carson<br/>Dot Cutrell<br/>Teresa Darvin<br/>Treica Davis<br/>Robert Everett<br/>Jackie Finney<br/>Donald Gipson<br/>Jo Ann Golder<br/>Dickie Hollis<br/>Janet Hudson<br/>Mike Hunt<br/>Patty Johnson<br/>Brenda Lines<br/>Richard Lockmiller<br/>Sunnys Mantooth<br/>Emily Moore<br/>Martha Moran<br/>Barbara B. Morris<br/>Eli Dexter Neyman II<br/>Wil Price<br/>Kim Ray<br/>Delbert Reed<br/>Kyle Reed<br/>Donna Sanders<br/>Dwight Schultz<br/>Helga Shockley<br/>Roy Tankersley<br/>Billy Wallace</p> <p><b>Out of State</b></p> <p><b>Georgia</b><br/>Larry Shelnut</p> <hr/> <p><i>"The million little things that drop into our hands, the small opportunities each day brings, He leaves us free to use or abuse and goes unchanging along His silent way."</i></p> <p><i>- Helen Keller</i></p> |
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## Memorials received

In Memory of Giles Bennett  
by Vergie Schwartz

In Memory of Sharon Brandon  
by Vergie Schwartz

In Memory of Doris Brock  
by Timothy Brock  
Michael & Carolyn Cates  
Megan Carter  
Elk Valley Beekeepers Association  
Mary De Elliston  
The Harts and Arnolds  
Joe Hunt & V R Williams and Co.  
Janis C. Parrott  
SouthEastern Equipment Dealers  
Association

In Memory of Nelle Caldwell  
by The Golden Girls

In Memory of Brett Desplinter  
by Frank Haynes, Charles Haynes,  
Randy Haynes family,  
Larry Haynes family,  
Chris & Frances White

In Memory of Helen V. Keele  
by Jackson & Joyce Graham

In Memory of Elizabeth Kelley  
by Charles & Sarah Clark

In Memory of Charles H. Morris  
by Rickey & Beverly Woods and family

In Memory of Ross Neal  
by Charles & Sarah Clark

In Memory of Oscar Paul Russell  
by Coffee County Soil Conservation  
District Board of Supervisors & Staff  
Jeanette Gilliam family  
Wyman & Mary Gilliam  
Marietta & Dewey Mullican  
Jerry L. Noe and family  
Arthanise & Anthony Wright

In Memory of Bobby Scharber  
by Betty E. Edens  
Bobbie Jones

In Memory of Ken Smith  
by Doris Smith

## Honorariums received

In Honor of Dr. Jerry Anderson  
by Wings of Hope Widows Ministry

In Honor of Janet & Ray Torstenson  
by M. Lynda Bishop

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## Donations

Alto FCE Club  
Alma Jo Sanders

All gifts, donations and memorials are  
deeply appreciated by MCCSN

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## Magic Wand

I wish I had a magic wand  
To make it go away;  
I'd wave my scepter over you  
Until you were okay.

I'd think good thoughts; I'd send you  
love;  
I'd transmit healing vibes;  
My wand and I would surely beat  
Whatever the doc prescribes.

But there is no magic scepter,  
so I cannot cast a spell;  
Just know you're often in my thoughts,  
And I hope you'll soon be well!

—Joanna Fuchs

Our thanks to Jan Hix who suggested this poem as  
perfect for the newsletter. She received it from a  
friend in honor of a mutual friend who is very sick.  
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## Deepest Sympathy

to the families who have lost  
loved ones,  
including the families of

Doris Brock  
Billy G. Floyd

*"In my Father's house there are  
many dwelling places. If it were not  
so, would I have told you that I go  
to prepare a place for you?"*

— John 14:2, NRSV

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## Looking ahead

As capacity is limited, this 'heads up'  
is being given for interested MCCSN  
readers to apply early for the spring  
session of Camp Bluebird, a 3-day,  
2-night camp for adult cancer  
patients (18 and over) that takes  
place in April and is co-sponsored by  
AT&T Pioneers and St. Thomas  
Hospital.

The camp offers an opportunity for  
cancer patients to 'get away,' to  
make decisions on their own, and to  
gain from and be with others who  
have had or are having the same or  
similar experiences with cancer.

Contact [ibradfor@stthomas.org](mailto:ibradfor@stthomas.org).

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*"Cancer is a journey,  
but you walk the road alone.  
There are many places to stop  
along the way and get nourishment.  
You just have to be willing  
to take it."*

— Emily Hollenberg

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**The Fabulous 50's are doing it again! 25 Successful Years of Entertainment!**

**Front Page News on the Back Page! So it will not be overlooked!**

The Fabulous Fifties Show was started in 1986 as a fundraiser for cancer patients. It is an entertainment extravaganza made up of singers, dancers and a full band. Songs of the 1950's, '60's, '70's are performed and supported by very talented actors. This is a show that all ages will enjoy and will not want to miss! Funds raised are for The Multi-County Cancer Support Network. This 25th Anniversary performance will feature a recap of all previous shows. You may also read about it on Facebook. Tickets are already on sale and go fast, so act quickly.

Location: Ninth Grade Academy, Fayetteville, TN

Show dates and times: March 15, 17-19, 25 & 26 at 7:00 p.m., plus 1:30 p.m. matinees on March 19 and 26.

Tickets: \$12 Adults \$5 children; children under 3 held by an adult admitted free

Available at: Bagley & Bagley Insurance; Carter's Drug Store; Fayetteville/Lincoln County Chamber of Commerce; all of the following banks: Lincoln County, CB&S, 1st Commerce, 1st National

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**Let's go green!**

Just a reminder, this newsletter is posted each month on the MCCSN website [www.mccsn.org](http://www.mccsn.org) and readers are encouraged to read it there. Those of our readers who are 'computer savvy' and/or possess 'green awareness' know this availability contributes to resource preservation by using less paper, postage, labels, and ink (cartridges). Where 'hard copies' are needed, it reduces time in assembling, folding, labeling, postage. An e-mail reminder can be sent to online readers when the website newsletter has been posted. The newsletter can also be sent as an e-mail attachment. Please choose one of these methods by contacting Office Manager Carla Glosson at 1-800-497-4322 or [mccsn@lighttube.net](mailto:mccsn@lighttube.net). MCCSN is pleased to send the newsletter, but if you choose not to receive it or whenever you have an address change (e-mail or regular mail) notification is appreciated. Savings also mean more help for more people needing MCCSN's assistance.