



My beautiful sister,
Hillary Silver

New Website Ready to Take Donations

We are proud to announce that our new website, SilverPlatterFoundation.org, is in the process of receiving a facelift but is ready to take online donations. Thanks to Alex Lugones of AXA Media Group for donating his time and skills to create this beautiful site. Also, we would like to give special appreciation to Rachel Edwards of Dreamscape Design Group who created our original splashpage.

Charitable Giving: Where Do the Donations Go?

For families from Maine to New Jersey, we have provided goods and services to help them through their difficult time. We have donated dental exams and extensive dental work prior to stem cell transplant, winter propane fill, one year tax bill, food and household supplies, one month's rent, security deposit and rent for a family to move into affordable housing.

We plan to extend our region in 2016 and provide support in any way the families need. We cannot provide these much needed services without the support of our generous donors!

Blood Drives Help Save As Many as 220 Lives

We held two well-attended blood drives, one in Ridgefield, CT and one in Manchester, NH. We collected a **combined 87 pints of blood** that helped **save the lives of as many as 220 patients!** Find a local blood drive near you by going to www.redcross.org/blood.

If anyone wants to coordinate a blood drive in their area, please contact us and we will help you coordinate.



Kirstin Cerulli donates blood in Ridgefield, CT

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- Helped raise \$116M as part of the global #GivingTuesday campaign
- Raised over \$1,000 in opening week at Canvases for Cancer event held in Ridgefield, CT

"We want to extend our reach and provide much needed services and be a support network for anyone in need"

*– Rachel Langberg,
Founder, Silver Platter
Foundation*

Canvases for Cancer

We held a very inspiring event in January called "Canvases for Cancer" in Ridgefield, CT. We received over 75 original paintings created by adults and children in the community who donated their beautiful artwork to our organization.

During our opening reception on January 8th, we made over \$1,000 in painting sales. The artwork will be displayed throughout January and February at the Ridgefield Recreation Center, 195 Danbury Road in Ridgefield, CT. If you are local, stop by and take a look at the inspiration hanging on the wall.

"Like" our Facebook page, The Silver Platter Foundation, Inc., to see all the incredible artwork that is still for sale.



Kids show their purchased paintings at the Canvases for Cancer event on January 8th at the Ridgefield Recreation Center in Ridgefield, CT

SPF Part of Global #GivingTuesday

After Black Friday and Cyber Monday comes the most important day, #GivingTuesday, a global day of celebration dedicated to helping others through the gift of donations, time, goods, and your voice.

We are proud to be part of raising over \$116M in one day! In addition to raising money, we also won \$500 courtesy of Kiwi Country Day Camp in their online competition for #GivingTuesday. We received the most votes out of 19 worthy organizations.

Kiwi Mini-Camp

We held a very successful "mini-camp" event on Columbus Day at Kiwi Country Day Camp in Mahopac, NY. Over 150 children enjoyed a day of gaga, sports, cooking, archery, crafts, jumping pillow, SkyRider zipline, and more. The camp generously donated 100% of all proceeds and the kids had a blast!



Kids enjoy the Kiwi Mini-Camp

The Silver Platter Foundation provides goods and services to families affected by adult blood cancer with children living at home. We are here to help with food, transportation, housekeeping, school supplies, clothing, or any other everyday need. Whether you are a family seeking assistance or a donor looking to help, we want to hear from you. Visit our website and contact us!