

# MARY JO BROWN FOUNDATION

- Spreading Smiles Through Acts of Kindness -



*Spring Time Happenings*

*May 2017*

Before we tell you about our successful spring fundraising, we have a favor to ask of all of our supporters. We need your feedback as to how we are doing—any suggestions for different fundraising—changes to our existing events—ideas for newsletter articles. Let us see our foundation through your eyes—just reply to the email that brought you this newsletter. Thank You!!

NOW, about that fundraising.....

On Sunday April 23<sup>rd</sup> we had a great afternoon at the Muse Paint Bar in Lynnfield. Everyone had a different, original version of “I need my Vitamin SEA”

Congratulations to our Ryan, Cheri Watson, Bruni, and Cindy Tulimieri. attendees—especially events. And we would be our sincere gratitude to his generous continued

door prize winners: Tracy Shauna Murphy, Sherry Thank you to each of our those who were new to our remiss if we did not extend Muse owner Stan Finch for support; event coordinator Nancy Potts; and our very patient and talented instructors Zhana Levitsky and Rob Sack. If you are looking for a great place for a night out with a friend or a group, we highly recommend that you consider Muse—they have multiple locations and a vast selection of artwork to choose from. Check them out at [www.Muse.com](http://www.Muse.com)





**Davinci Damsels**

**To view more pictures of these lovely women and their awesome artwork please visit our page on facebook.**

**Right on the heels of our Muse Event, we had another EXTREMELY successful Textile drive, held in conjunction with the Epilepsy Foundation. On Tuesday May 2<sup>nd</sup>, their truck picked up TWO HUNDRED AND FOUR bags of clothing, linens, shoes, etc. Just look at the photo on the next page of the massive pile of bags. The garage floor at Christina and Kevin's home in Wilmington was creaking from the weight which came in at a whopping 1952 pounds.**



**Because of the great response, we will be repeating the textile drive again next year. Please remember us when you are doing your closet and drawer purging!! Proceeds from the two fundraisers totaled \$966.40! These monies will go directly to Child Life Services at Floating Hospital for Children at Tufts Medical Center via The Mary Jo Brown Smile Fund.**

**On a bittersweet note, two of our board members have resigned their positions. Many thanks to Karen Bowden and Pat Ward for their contributions and getting us to our sixth year. We know you all will join us in wishing them well.**

**Our next newsletter edition will be at summer's end and will have all the details for this year's Luau at the Elks Club in Saugus, MA. PLEASE SAVE THE DATE, Sunday, October 15<sup>th</sup> 3-7PM.**

**And if you hear/know of any young candidates for our 2017 Kindness Campaign, please make sure that a nomination is submitted—all the details and forms are on our web-site [www.maryjobrown.org](http://www.maryjobrown.org)**

**Have a great summer!!! And as always...may all your dreams come true!**