

# About Mary House

## **Celebrating its 30th Anniversary, Mary House**

was started by Bill and Sharon Murphy in 1981 as an effort to address the food and shelter needs of one family and has evolved into an organization offering shelter, transitional housing, and support services to as many as 50 families at any one time. Mary House was founded on the concept that "smaller is better" and Bill and Sharon's philosophy has always been to help others as they would want to be helped while providing a safe haven that allows families to reclaim their dignity. Mary House operates out of 15 different sites it owns and operates in both DC and Maryland. We work predominantly with refugee families displaced by war and extreme poverty, including our low-income Latin American population. Currently we are helping relocate more than a dozen families who had to flee their homes in Iraq because of terrorist threats against them for their service to the U.S.

## **Mary House...**

- Is the only shelter in DC with volunteer families in residence as working staff.
- Is the only local shelter serving both single mothers and couples with children.
- Receives no government subsidies for the care it provides.
- Has no salaried staff, currently relying on 3 full time resident Americorps volunteers, and more than 1,000 volunteers annually.
- Was rated in 2004 the most cost efficient transitional housing program in the country by Success Markets, Inc.

For more info visit

[www.maryhouse.org](http://www.maryhouse.org)

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## **Golf and Walk for a Cause**

The Mary House Golf Benefit is one of 10 mini-walks Mary House is organizing this Fall as part of the Fannie Mae Annual "Help the Homeless" Walkathon, with the major walk being held on the Mall on Saturday, November 19, 2011. \$30 from each player's fee is the 100% tax-deductible registration for the mini-walk. All walkers receive a Help the Homeless T-shirt. Mary House hopes to again register 3,000 or more walkers this fall, which earns the organization an incentive grant of \$50,000 from Fannie Mae, in addition to the registration fees of all walkers.

**Langston Golf Course is one of the National Park Service Historic Courses of Washington, DC. Just 5 minutes from Capitol Hill, it offers a scenic golf course that is fun for beginners and experts alike.**

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# "Help the Homeless" Golf Benefit

**Friday, September 30, 2011**

**Langston Golf Course**

2600 Benning Rd. NE, Washington, DC 20002



# Event Day Schedule

**11:00 am**

Registration Opens

**12:00 pm**

Putting Contest / Box Lunch

**1:00 pm**

Shotgun Start

Format: 4 person Captain's  
Choice, Team prizes & par 3  
closest to the pins

**6:00 pm**

Awards / Door Prizes / Barbecue  
with chance to meet some Mary  
House Families



# Golf Benefit Sponsorship Packages

## **Golf Benefit Sponsor** \$1,000

- Exclusive Hole & Green sponsor with signage
- Recognition in print and media materials
- Recognition at Barbecue
- Right to place promotional items in golfers goody bags
- 100% tax deductible

## **Barbecue Sponsor**



## **Box Lunch Sponsor & Provider**

- Capital City Cheesecake Bakery & Café of Takoma Park, Md.  
[www.capitalcitycheesecakes.com](http://www.capitalcitycheesecakes.com)

## **Beverage Cart Sponsor**



## **Hole Sponsor (shared)** \$500

- Signage at hole
- Signage at Barbecue

## **Mary House Supporters**

All contributions are appreciated

- Listed on signage at Barbecue
- 100% tax deductible

## **Promotional Partners**

- Recognition in print and media materials
- Signage at Barbecue

## **Award & Door Prize Contributors**

- Signage at Barbecue

## **Foursome Individual Player** \$360 \$90

- Box lunch
- Barbecue
- Official registration in "Mary House Help the Homeless Mini-walk"
- HTH T-shirt, Tax deductible receipt for \$30 for each player
- Golf cart & Green Fees for 18 holes

To register to golf, visit [www.maryhouse.org](http://www.maryhouse.org)  
To be a sponsor, contact [Jake@SellingDC.com](mailto:Jake@SellingDC.com)