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## Your July Newsletter

### A strong community of support...

# Girl's Night Out by Shawn Yancy Benefit

At the beginning of the month Shawn Yancy hosted her yearly benefit "Girl's Night Out". This year Shawn Yancy generously donated the proceeds of this benefit to My Sister's Place. This event had a delicious tasting menu, 30+ boutiques to shop at, and an amazing runway show.



Our Executive Director, Mercedes Lemp made a short speech before the runway show to express our gratitude and to remind the party goers just how much their donation means and how their donation helps some of the most vulnerable women in D.C. Overall it was a great party and we'd like to thank Shawn Yancy and all those who attended the party and donated to MSP. Thank you!



### When a Community Comes Together



Once again My Sister's Place partnered with KindWorks this month to serve a deserving family. MSP's client and her daughters were forced to flee their home to escape a dangerous situation. While excited and grateful to move into their own apartment, they fled with few belongings. Volunteers came together to make sure this deserving family was able to move into a fully furnished apartment, including a girls room decked out in all things unicorn! Now, with the

help of MSP and KindWorks volunteers, this family is enjoying a new home with everything they could need. It is work such as this that serves as a reminder of how important it is to have a safe comfortable space and how

pivotal volunteers are to this work. Thank you to everyone who came out and helped, including the Rockville Maryland High School Football Team!





#### **Help Us Stock Our Library**

During the summer break we are encouraging everyone to read more. Please help us stock our library with books. We are looking for teen and adult books that are appropriate for our shelter families. If you would like to donate your books please call 202-529-3328 to make arrangements to do so. Thank you!

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