



January Events

Tuesdays: Fundraising Night at The Local

During 2025 when you dine at The Local West End on Tuesdays and mention "Hope Chest", a donation of 10% will be given to the Hope Chest Foundation.



January 25 Frozen Fairway Open for Hope Chest

The Waconia Dandyions invite you to the 4th Annual Frozen Fairway Open on Saturday, January 25, 2025, from noon to 4:30 PM. It is 9 holes of snow golf on the shores of Lake Waconia. Live music by Mike Bustin. A percent of the proceeds will benefit the Hope Chest Foundation. More details [HERE](#).

FROM THE OFFICE



Laura Holasek *Incoming Board Chair*

As a new year begins, I find myself reflecting on the moments and people that have made the Hope Chest for Breast Cancer Foundation such a wonderful organization. A feeling of gratitude for our committed donors, community partners, Hope Chest Team and Board members, all coming together for such an important cause. In a world that often feels rushed and chaotic, you are a beacon of light for breast cancer patients in their time of need and have made a difference. Hope Chest for Breast Cancer Foundation is truly grateful for the continued support.

As we step into 2025, we are eagerly planning for a busy year with our goal to reach even more women than ever before. The need is there across the state and in every community! Hope Chest for Breast Cancer Foundation understands the impact of rising prices and the stress that comes to breast cancer patients who can't afford gas to get to treatments, nutritious food, or pay the rent. We continue our commitment of making access to help easy and quick. Providing relief to women and families at their most vulnerable time allows breast cancer patients the ability to focus on what is most important, their healing.

I look forward to meeting you at the store or one of our many events in 2025! Thank you once again for your generosity and kindness. I hope this new year brings you much happiness and peace.

With heartfelt gratitude
-Laura Holasek

TRIBUTE GIFTS



Eagan Rotary Club

The Eagan Rotary Club presented checks to non-profit organizations to support their causes. The Hope Chest Foundation was one of the recipients to help local breast cancer patients.



David Yurman for Hope Chest

The David Yurman store in The Galleria hosted an evening fundraiser event benefiting the Hope Chest Foundation.



Northern Taphouse

Northern Taphouse Woodbury presented a check to the Hope Chest Foundation from their "Burgers for Boobs" fundraising event on October 16 in conjunction with Breast Cancer Awareness Month. There was a raffle, silent auction, t-shirts sales, drink special, and \$5 from every burger sold benefited Hope Chest. Plus, the waitstaff gave 100% of their tips to Hope Chest.

In Honor of

Kirsten Coder
Missy Rilea
Tracy Isakson

In Memory Of

Susan Rantala

Dedicate a donation [HERE](#)

FACTS ABOUT US

- The Foundation started in 2001 (23 years)
- 35% of our patients are the primary income earner in the household
- 40% have household incomes less than \$25,000

GRANTS DISTRIBUTED

41%
to pay
Mortgage or Rent

30%
for
Groceries

20%
for
Transportation

9%
for Utilities and
Adult/Child Care



Spavia Spa Cares!

Spavia Spa - Minnetonka donated 10% of their proceeds to the Hope Chest Foundation during Spavia Cares Month.



BEERGO At Luce Line

The cold weather didn't keep people from attending BEERGO fun at the Luce Line Brewing in Plymouth. A warm-hearted crowd turned out to support the Hope Chest Foundation.



Pink Patch Project

The Pink Patch Project is a charity campaign designed to raise breast cancer awareness by Law Enforcement agencies nationwide during the month of October. The goal is to generate awareness by wearing the patches and raising money for the Hope Chest Foundation. The campaigns varied from wearing the distinctive Pink Patches, police marked squad cars displayed Pink Patch license plates, they sold challenge coins, displayed at the Wild games, sold tumblers, and more.



Thank You 2024 Partners

During 2024, people and businesses around Minnesota partnered with the Hope Chest for Breast Cancer Foundation creating fundraising events to support breast cancer patients while they are in treatment and enduring stressful financial need. These organizations and partners got creative, they gathered friends, co-workers, and family in fun and engaging ways to support our mission. Their partnership has been so beneficial in helping to provide non-medical grants for our Minnesota breast cancer patients. We thank them!

FROM THE STORE



Thank you for helping us make the Hope Night Out event such a memorable one. Your participation not only brought holiday cheer but also supported our mission to the Hope Chest for Breast Cancer Foundation.

Stay tuned for more events, and until next time, happy holidays from all of us at Hope Chest Resale Shop!

Participating in the fundraiser were St. Paul Police (photo), Rosemount Police, St. Louis Park Police, and Apple Valley Police.



Plugz Electric Gives Back

During October, Plugz Electric in Forest Lake donated 100% of all “travel charges” for home and business services to the Hope Chest Foundation.



Minnoco “Fuel Minnesota with Hope”

During October, participating local Minnoco Fueling locations held their “Fuel Minnesota with Hope” fundraiser, donating \$.05 of every gallon purchased to the Hope Chest Foundation.

Hope Chest For Breast Cancer Resale Shop Hours

Monday-Saturday 10am-6pm

Sunday 11am-5pm

Pink Points

Earn one point for every dollar spent. At 500 reward points you’ll receive \$50 in Pink Point Rewards to use at the Hope Chest for Breast Cancer Resale Shop.

Donate Your Items

Donate your gently loved furnishings, home decor, women’s clothing, and accessories to the Hope Chest Resale Shop and feel good about the difference you’re making. A portion of our proceeds provide urgently needed assistance to breast cancer patients and their families in our communities.

[Donate Items](#)



If you or someone you know is in treatment for breast cancer and in need of non-medical support during treatment, refer to our Hope Chest GO program.

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