

MASONIC HOMES of KENTUCKY

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that make a difference in people's lives*

Sam Swope doesn't walk away—from caring Louisville's new building is Sam Swope Care Center

When the new Louisville Care Center opens in December, it will bear a name that is familiar across Kentucky: Sam Swope (Morrison Lodge No. 76).

"Mr. Swope may be best known as founder of Sam Swope Auto Group, but he made Masonic Homes' history by giving the largest individual gift we have ever received," said Homes CEO Gary Marsh. "It is with respect, affection and profound gratitude that we name our new Care Center after him."

Swope said the Homes' Capital Campaign was critical to keep up with changing times. "I believe you have to not only keep up with the times, you have to keep ahead of the times, and Masonic Homes are doing just that with the new facilities and projects," Swope said. "People's needs have changed, they're living longer and they're going to need the services Masonic Homes will be providing in the new Care Center. I'm very glad to be part of the support."

A legendary community servant, Swope has served on numerous boards including the Lincoln Heritage Council of Boy Scouts of America, The Louisville Area Chamber of Commerce, The Louisville Community Foundation, the University of Louisville Overseers, and is a past board chair of Kosair Charities. He currently serves as honorary chairman of the Homes' Capital Campaign Committee.

Swope also has received countless awards in recognition of his leadership and service including the Hickman-Camp Award from University of Louisville Athletic Department, the Whitney M. Young, Jr. Service Award from the Boy Scouts of America, and the Advertising Federation of Louisville's 2009 Louisvillian of the Year award.

Hundreds honor Old Glory

The sixth annual Parade of Colors Flag Day celebration drew more than 50 color guard units and hundreds of observers to the Homes' Louisville campus.

Sovereign Grand Inspector Emeritus John E. Moyers received the Homes' Patriot Award in recognition of his lifelong promotion of patriotism. "I truly appreciate

the honor the Homes has given me, along with the recognition and the beautiful award," Moyers said. "I shall always cherish it and remember from whence it came."

Maj. Gen. Carl Black served as master of ceremonies of the event, highlighted by the Parade of Colors accompanied by the Kosair Brass Band. The Ladies of Liberty led the crowd in *The Star-Spangled Banner* and performed other patriotic songs.



Sam Swope was recognized at the Care Center cornerstone ceremony in 2009.



Maj. Gen. Carl Black presented John E. Moyers with the Patriot Award at Masonic Homes' Parade of Colors Flag Day observance.



The Ladies of Liberty entertained with a wide range of patriotic songs.

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Pediatric Day Care Center closer to reality



Since her husband L. Todd Eastham became Kentucky's Grand Master, Angie Eastham has been raising awareness and funds for the Homes' pediatric day care center on the Louisville campus.

Angie's *One Step Closer* program highlights the need for more pediatric day care services to meet the challenges faced by families of medically fragile children. "Angie has been supportive of the Homes' plan to provide pediatric day care from the start," said VP of Fraternal Relations John Cauley. "Her *One Step Closer* initiative has generated a lot of interest and support."

The First Lady's *One Step Closer* pins are now available for \$10 each from District Deputies and District Ambassadors. The pins were created from Angie's original design using crayons, blocks and a puzzle piece to form a square and compass.

Through the sale of limited edition pins, *One Step Closer* hopes to raise \$10,000. If all the pins are sold, Angie has pledged to make a matching gift.

Masonic Homes hopes to break ground on the day care center before fall 2010.

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Worth a thousand words

◀ Crescent Hill Community Council's Kathleen Batsel (left) accepted baked goods from Homes' Sr. VP/Communications CJ Parrish for the cake walk at the Council's Old-Fashioned 4th of July celebration. The sweet treats were made by Louisville Dining Services' Gary McCurdy and The Bistro's Jarrod Guthrie.

▼ The Homes held a Masonic Day open house at Club Olmsted. From left, Homes' CEO Gary Marsh, VP/Human Resources Trasee Whitaker, CDO Bruce Lott and VP/Mission Advancement Phyllis O'Daniel welcomed Glen and Mary Alice Bloodworth.



St. George Lodge No. 239 Master Shawn Warren (front) and lodge members gathered at The Bistro to present a check to Homes' Phyllis O'Daniel. St. George Lodge made the gift to furnish a resident's quarters in the Louisville Care Center.