

TRANSPLANT NEWS

Akron-Canton Transplant Recipients Int'l Organization (TRIO) July, 2016

2016 Schedule of Events

Monthly Meetings from 6:30 to 8:30 on the 3rd Tuesday of every month at Education Building "A" at the North Canton Medical Center.

Celebration of Life Picnic, August 14, 2016 from 1:00 to 5:00 at John Torok Community Center, Green.

November, 2016 Akron Children's Hospital Holiday Tree Festival.

Please contact Sue or Rosie if you have a tree or ornaments for this year's "Donor" theme tree.

Holiday Celebration of Life Dinner on December 20th 6:30 to 9:00 at NCMC. A Lifebanc Donor family recognition followed by dedication of ornaments by organ recipients or their loved ones.

Please keep the following members in your thoughts & prayers. Mary Fread, Isabelle Gordon, Rosie Price and Jacqui Scolaro's mother.

2016 Akron Canton TRIO

Details:

Transplant Games of America Cleveland from June 10th to 15th



We were 741 members strong!! Way to go Team Ohio.

The Lifebanc Gift of Life Walk & Run for 2016 was part of the Transplant Games and was held on Saturday June 11, 2016. Pat Summer's Kidney Kats team represented Akron Canton TRIO



Jacqui Scolaro also participated in several events and at our June meeting, Jacqui and Pat described their adventures and shared their pin collection they gathered from other state tams.



Celebration of Life Picnic, August 14, 2016 from 1:00 to 5:00 at the John Torok Community Center, Green. Note that the picnic will start at 1:00 and end at 5:00 this year . The playground has been updated since last year and will be a welcome addition to the picnic.

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About TRIO (Transplant Recipients International Organization)

Website: www.trioweb.org

TRIO's MISSION

TRIO is a non-profit organization improving the quality of lives touched by the miracle of transplantation through support, advocacy, education and awareness.

Support

We provide support to transplant candidates, recipients and their families, donors and donor families to help alleviate the stresses and problems associated with the process.

Advocacy

We make the concerns and needs that affect the welfare of transplant candidates, recipients, and donor families known to federal government bodies. We also effectively communicate the views of transplant candidates, recipients and their families,

donors and donor families to the general public.

Education

We provide current information (with respect to developments in organ and tissue donation, transplantation, medications, social issues, and finances) to transplant candidates, recipients and their families, donors and donor families about initiatives and protocols in the field of transplantation.

Awareness

We promote organ and tissue donation as an important social responsibility. We develop and support mechanisms to improve the availability of organs and tissues on an equitable basis to meet the need of transplant candidates.

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