

The BRIDGEPORT HOSPITAL Auxiliary is honored and proud to be the beneficiary of the 2011 Fairfield Christmas Tree Festival Handmade Quilt Raffle



from left to right: Ilene Feldman-President Bridgeport Hospital Auxiliary, Cecily Zerega-quilt creator and FCTF Honorary Board member, and Kevin Lesko-Lesko & Polke Funeral Home and Quilt Raffle Sponsor.
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For over 50 years, the mission of the Bridgeport Hospital Auxiliary has been to support the exceptional medical resources at Bridgeport Hospital, to connect the hospital to the areas that it serves, and to create programs that make our children, families, and greater community healthier. All proceeds from the raffle, together with the earnings from the Bridgeport Hospital Auxiliary's gift shop, support capital projects such as the Emergency Department and Burn Unit renovations, nursing scholarships, grants to promote community education and wellness and a panoply of other programming.

Raffle Grand Prize is a magnificent 58" x 58" hand-appliquéd and hand-quilted "Special Stars" Quilt designed and created by Fairfield Artist Cecily Zerega for the Christmas Tree Festival. Made of over 1100 pieces with 14 different reds and 5 different cream colors, this is a true work of art. Zerega, a graduate of Rhode Island School of Design, has focused on textiles for many years and has been designing quilts for the Christmas Tree Festival since the inception of the Festival. Her work has also been displayed in many venues and has benefited a wide variety of good causes.

Second Prize is a family photo session and a 16' x 20' canvas wrap from Capitol PhotoInteractive in Fairfield with a value of \$525.

Third Prize is a dinner for 6 from *Catering by Greystone*, created by Chef Fred Kasowitz, a preeminent caterer, valued at \$300.

Raffle tickets are \$5 and can be purchased from Auxiliary Members, at the Bridgeport Hospital Gift Shop and at Capitol PhotoInteractive in Fairfield. The drawing will be held on Sunday, December 4th at 3:00pm at the Burr Homestead in Fairfield, CT.

For more information, please contact the Auxiliary 203.384.3331, www.bhaux.org, or contact us on Facebook at "Bridgeport Hospital Auxiliary, Inc."

