



May 2023 | Updates and Info



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Welcome to our May newsletter! This month, we're excited to share updates on our upcoming Almost Home event, celebrate our 40th anniversary, and share other important news and events happening at the Shelter Association. Read on to stay informed and stay involved.

Almost Home

Monday, June 26th | Barton Hills Golf Course  
730 Country Club Rd, Ann Arbor, MI 48105

We're excited to announce that Austin Hatch, motivational speaker and grief survivor, will be joining us as our keynote speaker at our signature event, Almost Home – a dinner reception and golf outing. As a two-time plane crash survivor and former University of Michigan basketball player, Austin's story of perseverance and resilience has been featured in People magazine. You can read that article [here!](#)



Sam White, a former client and now current Operations Specialist at the Delonis Center shares his 11 year battle with homelessness, depression, anxiety, substance abuse and loneliness and why he gives back to the community that served him.

Whether you are coming for dinner only or to golf and dine, we look forward to seeing you. Be sure to get in on the action early and sign up for our "Drive for a Difference" Golf Outing. Tee up for a thrilling afternoon of 9 holes and stay for the Almost Home Reception! This is your chance to make a difference and support a great cause while enjoying an evening you won't forget. Don't wait, tickets are available now for purchase - join us for an unforgettable night!

[Click Here to Register For Almost Home!](#)

Thank you to our amazing sponsors for making this event possible!



Interested in becoming a sponsor? [Click here!](#)



Ante Up

TO END HOMELESSNESS!

Purchase a card from our deck. If we pull the matching card at Almost Home, you win \$2,600!

If you can't attend the event, no problem! We will contact you when you win!

[Click Here to Register for Ante Up!](#)



Thursday, September 14th

Help us celebrate 40!

We're turning 40 this year! To celebrate this milestone, The Shelter Association of Washtenaw County is throwing an event filled with great company! We want everyone to join us in honoring this momentous occasion and the amazing community that has supported us throughout the years. Mark your calendars and come celebrate with us and watch a special musical performance!

We are still looking for some awesome sponsors for this event! For more information please contact Sarah Paspal-Jasinski at [paspals@washtenaw.org](mailto:paspals@washtenaw.org)

Thank you Limnotech!

Friday Morning Breakfast Club



We want to give a huge thank you to the wonderful team at Limnotech for volunteering their time to serve breakfast to our clients at the Delonis Center. Because breakfast is not served at SAWC, we need volunteers like Limnotech to step up and volunteer their time to help us feed those in need.

Your generosity and kindness are deeply appreciated by both our staff and the individuals we serve. Your willingness to give back to the community is a true inspiration and we hope that other local businesses will follow your lead. Thank you for helping us make a difference!

If you would like to be a part of our Friday Morning Breakfast Club, please contact Sarah Paspal-Jasinski at [paspals@washtenaw.org](mailto:paspals@washtenaw.org)



VOLUNTEER AT DELONIS

The Shelter Association of Washtenaw County

Summary of Opportunities

- BREAKFAST CLUB
- MOVE OUT BASKET CREATION
- BED FAIRIES
- INKIND DRIVES
- THIRD PARTY EVENTS
- STREET FAIR VOLUNTEERS
- PICNIC IN THE PARK

For more information about these and other volunteer opportunities, please contact Dawn Gemler at [gemlerd@washtenaw.org](mailto:gemlerd@washtenaw.org)

Join us in keeping the Delonis Center beautiful! We're looking for volunteers to help with our garden and landscaping. Your time and effort will make a big difference in the lives of the individuals we serve. Contact our volunteer coordinator, Dawn Gemler at [gemlerd@washtenaw.org](mailto:gemlerd@washtenaw.org) today to learn more and sign up to volunteer!



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