

Your NFC

a weekly newsletter for the
people of the
Newberg Friends Church
community

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Living Out Love Locally ▶ Globally

by Bailey Sherwood



About two summers ago I had the idea of putting on a race that supported a program that fought against world poverty. Last summer I got to watch my dream become a reality. With the help of my family we put on a

fun run to raise money for Mercy Corps. We called it *Run for Relief*.

Our first step was getting sponsors for the race. I wrote letters to businesses and met with people. Dr. Kern, Scott Winter, Fisher Roofing, the McNeal family, Brent Peterson, and Hampton Plumbing agreed to be sponsors.

I designed the logo for *Run for Relief*. Later my dad and I took the design to have it put on t-shirts. We ordered two boxes of t-shirts and little did we know that that would not be enough!

The owners of Heirloom Rose Garden, the Hanna family, let us hold the race at their gardens. Days before the race my dad, Matt Ingalls (one of the Newberg middle school cross-county coaches) and I walked and measured the course. The day before the race the three of us marked the trail.

To advertise *Run for Relief* I spoke at the Children of Light Sunday school class; they grew extra enthusiastic when I told them it supported Mercy Corps. One of the men in the class, Stu Willcuts, works for Mercy Corps and has an apartment in Gaza and one in Jerusalem. I also told my middle school cross-country team about the run during our summer running clinic. The coaches decided to have *Run for Relief* be the finale for the clinic. Because of these connections we recruited a lot of folks from the Children of Light class and middle school cross-country runners.

The day of the race we had a great turnout with 80 runners. It was a beautiful day and definitely the highlight of my summer. After the race, participants could enjoy homemade cookies and brownies made



by Rachel (my sister), our friend Jolee, and my grandmother Carol. There were prizes from Newberg Bakery for the top runners. At the end of the day we felt good about the fact that \$2,500 was raised for Mercy Corps. Thank you to everyone who participated!

I would like to thank the photographers Gary Fawver and Bruce Murphy. They took wonderful photos of the race. Here are some for you to view.



Need Sheet

Needed:

- A GFU female student from China is looking for a room to stay. Her mom will be with her for spring semester. Please contact Ping-Yi at pyshihor@gmail.com.
- [possible duplication of above] A female George Fox University international student and her mother need to rent a furnished room or apartment in Newberg. They are willing to pay up to \$600 in rent. Please contact Joanna Cox at 208-697-0119.
- Working, responsible 50-year-old mom seeks a room for rent. I currently live in McMinnville, but I work in Newberg. Please e-mail me at mamaturtley@gmail.com with any questions or to set up a phone interview.

Available:

- Piano lessons by Doreen Fertello. I teach all ages, beginners-advanced levels. 30 yrs teaching experience. Music history, theory, composition. Will come to your home. Call 503-560-8364.
- House for rent, available now. Two bedrooms, partially furnished, washer/dryer, dishwasher, microwave, basic kitchen supplies. Off-street parking. 720 sq.ft. Elizabeth Todd's house, managed by Arnie Mitchell—503-537-4535.

For Sale:

- 9-foot pontoon boat, for rough water, used once, stored inside. Paid \$699, sell for \$450. Call Marvin Hampton at 503-538-3578.
- Firewood for sale. Oak, maple, fir. Call the Hamptons at 503-538-3578.

To place a one-time free ad— • e-mail: sherry@newbergfriends.org

• mail: NFC, P.O. Box 487, attn. Sherry

• bring a written ad to the NFC office at 600 E. 3rd Street

deadline: January 21 • no phone-in ads; please resubmit repeated ads



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What's Ahead

Monday, January 12

Intercessory prayer | 9am | Barclay C
Strong For Life | 10:30am | Barclay B

Tuesday, January 13

High school youth group | 6:30pm | Youth House

Wednesday, January 14

Strong For Life | 10:30am | Barclay B
Middle school youth group | 6:30pm | Friends Center gym
WBFpm | 7pm | Barclay C

Thursday, January 15

Women's Bible Fellowship | 8:45am | social hall

Friday, January 16

Strong For Life | 10:30am | Barclay B

Saturday, January 17

Men's prayer meeting | 8am | Friendsview Creekside, 2nd floor, TV room

Plan Ahead

January 19 | NFC office closed for MLK holiday
January 26 | 3M (Monthly Marriage Maintenance) | 6:30pm | social hall
January 26 | Margaret Fell WMF | 7pm | Spaulding Oaks Community Center
| featuring Christine Stanfield, WGM in Uganda

NFC's Calendar on the Web!