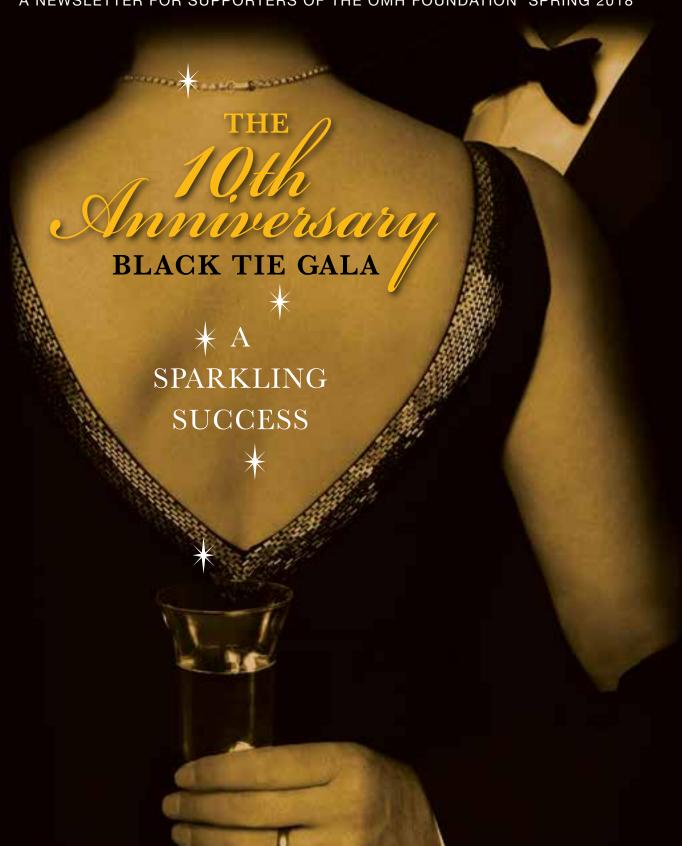


A NEWSLETTER FOR SUPPORTERS OF THE OMH FOUNDATION SPRING 2018





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#### **MISSION**

To generate financial and other public support for the mission of Onslow Memorial Hospital through fundraising and community empowering activities.

#### VISION

To position Onslow Memorial Hospital as the hospital of choice in Onslow County.

#### **FOUNDATION BOARD**

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# Together we raised over \$130,000!

The Free proved to be the perfect fit for the spectacular 10th Anniversary Black Tie Gala! This upscale party band blended modern style with their authentic southern roots. They effortlessly engaged the dance floor with high-energy sets that pulled from the best of rock & roll, pop hits, country, and classic R&B.

The Black Tie Gala guests could not praise this band enough – we hear you!

When they weren't dancing, Black Tie Gala patrons found time to bid on a fantastic array of silent auction items using their smartphones. Many guests also had lots of fun taking photos in the Props Photo Booth.

Golden Corral did a wonderful job as always, with the focus again on heavy hors d'oeuvres, available throughout the night, which everyone loved. Lots of compliments were given for the carving station and shrimp cocktails. And oh, the red velvet cake was the ultimate anniversary celebration.

Did I mention the tuxes and dresses?! You really did us proud! From the ladies' lovely floor length dresses, to the men's sharp tuxedos, you brought glamour and sophistication to Jacksonville!

Thank you all for a friend-filled night of fundraising to benefit **Building for Babies!** 

#### Lee Ann Thomas

Executive Director
Onslow Memorial Hospital Foundation

# The Foundation would like to offer a special thanks

to our Hall of Heritage supporters: The Sewell Family and Marine Federal Credit Union. Thank you to all of our sponsors including: dinner sponsor Golden Corral, title sponsor Johnston Pain Management, OMH employees, physicians, local businesses and individuals. Your support for quality healthcare is truly commendable. We appreciate all that you do for our community and our hospital.

We are grateful for the remarkable work of our Foundation Board, the Events Committee, the local area Marines/Navy Volunteers, Donors, Volunteers and Community Members that help make the event possible and help to impact the entire community by providing the best healthcare, right here at home. A special thanks to Karin Dickerson, Maria Dempster and their team of volunteers for for dressing the banquet hall in silver and black – creating the perfect formal ambience. The silent auction was a huge success as well due to the expertise of Gayle Alvis and Paula Garris.















## **Building for Babies**

**The 2018 fundraising campaign** to renovate the **Women's and Children's Services** floor at Onslow Memorial Hospital got off to spectacular start with The Black Tie Gala!

"We raised just over \$130,000, which is fantastic," said Lee Ann Thomas, Foundation Executive Director. "It was an enthusiastic start, and showed us how much the community is behind this project."

"Improving our **Women's and Children's Services** line will positively affect all those we serve – from our newest patients and their family members, to our own OMH staff. To accomplish our goal, we are aggressively pursuing grants, and looking for new community support."

Every gift to **Building for Babies** will further the mission of providing compassionate care, with the best services and the newest technologies in the most pleasing of environments, for all Onslow County moms and babies.

If you are interested in being a new donor for our Building for Babies Campaign, please pick up the phone and call Lee Ann Thomas!











### "This is the tenth year

in a row that the great people and businesses of Jacksonville and Onslow County have come together at this gala event to support the Foundation's goal of providing the best healthcare facility for the entire community." said OMH Foundation Board Chair Ed Garris. This event could not have been possible without the dedication of the Foundation Board, the Events Committee and our Marine Corps/Navy volunteers. "We are extremely grateful for the community involvement and are looking forward to another fun event next year!"

Mark your calendars for February 23, 2019 for our **Awesome '80s** Gala!

























# MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR 2019!



FEBRUARY 23rd, 2019

OMH FOUNDATION'S 11TH ANNUAL EVENT TO SUPPORT ONSLOW MEMORIAL HOSPITAL





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Thank you for supporting Building For Babies!