

good things are happening

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good news



### Audiology and Hearing Aid Services

Good Samaritan Regional Medical Center's Audiology and Hearing Aid Services department provides comprehensive and professional audiological care, from prevention to rehabilitation, for individuals of all ages with hearing concerns. By providing care directed to the unique needs of each patient, patients will have improved quality of life through better hearing.

THE AUDIOLOGY DEPARTMENT provides patients with a wide variety of diagnostic and rehabilitative services including:

- Comprehensive audiologic evaluations for infants, children and adults
- Consultation and fittings for state-of-the-art digital hearing aids, which include no charge follow up appointments. All hearing aids come with a 45 day trial period and are competitively priced.
- Hearing aid maintenance and repairs. Batteries and custom made ear molds are also available.
- Hearing conservation services and programs, including custom-made earplugs, musician plugs and sleeping plugs.

The hospital's Audiologist is a Fellow of The American Academy of Audiology, and holds both an Audiology License and a Hearing Aid Dispensing license in the State of New York. She has over 30 years' experience in the fields of Audiology and Hearing aid dispensing.

For an appointment, please call 845.368.5253.

## Warwick Community Kitchen

On January 19th the Goshen Home Care staff had the pleasure of meeting Victoria Garloch, a remarkable Girl Scout from Warwick. The staff first noticed Victoria from an article in the local newspaper.

As part of her Gold Award project, the highest award in Girl Scouting, Victoria started a soup kitchen that prepares dinner once a month for local migrant workers. The migrant workers in the Warwick community have been harshly affected by the severe weather disasters that destroyed a large portion of the farmland in Orange County this past fall.

Victoria's family is extremely supportive of her generous mission; her Dad cooks the meal, her sister grows some of the food they serve and her Mom helps in numerous ways. Victoria has also organized a tremendous amount of community support, the local junior ambulance core is sponsoring the January dinner.

The first dinner served about 70 people, while the last one nourished over 100 people; the Garloch family says that they anticipate 120 people to attend this month's dinner. Victoria hopes to develop enough interest in this very worthy cause to inspire a local community group to continue and expand this project into a full time soup kitchen for those in need.

As a part of the BSCHS holiday giving in 2011, the Goshen Home Care staff made a monetary donation to help Victoria continue her dream. Victoria stopped by with her mom and sister to accept the gift and thank the staff personally. Victoria's younger sister is now following in her footsteps and is farming one acre of her uncle's farm which she will be donating to the soup kitchen as part of her Silver Award project.

If you would like to assist in this very worthy endeavor you can contact Victoria via e-mail at [warwickcommunitykitchen@gmail.com](mailto:warwickcommunitykitchen@gmail.com).



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