

Dedication on the Green

On Wednesday, May 28th members of the Board of Trustees, Baker staff and Manville School students gathered on the Manville recess field for a very special dedication. This field, previously unnamed, was named in honor of long-time trustee, Thomas W. Cornu. For the past 22 years Tom Cornu has served both as a Trustee, and spent a term as Board Chair. Tom has shown great leadership, friendship and admiration for everyone and everything within Judge Baker Children's Center; the Baker is very proud to name this field in his honor.

A bronze plaque embedded in a large rock was selected as the dedication monument. This was chosen to complete the natural look of the field. The plaque reads:

Cornu Field
In Honor of Thomas W. Cornu
Recognizing 22 years of Friendship,
Support, Vision and Guidance
As a Dedicated Trustee and Board Chair.
Judge Baker Children's Center ~ 2008

Staff at the Baker was pleased to honor Tom Cornu in this way. The weather was spectacular, filled with abundant sunshine, making this a truly memorable morning.



Members of JBCC Board of Trustees in attendance at the Cornu Field Dedication: (left to right) George Macomber, John Weisz, Ph.D., ABPP, Kathryn Cade, (Board Chair), Thomas W. Cornu and Carol Iskols Daynard Ed.D.

Hole-In-One for Team Baker!

The Baker's third annual Cadillac Invitational Golf Tournament took place on Monday, June 23, 2008 at Wollaston Golf Club. With over 100 players on the course there was a trail of golf carts with smiling golfers traveling from one hole to the next.

The winning foursome, with a score of 59, consisted of Mark Horgan, John McCarthy, Ed McCarthy and Doug Morgan. They received an invitation to the Cadillac Invitational National Finals at TPC Sawgrass in Ponte Vedra Beach, Florida in January 2009.

As always, the Cadillac test drive was a big hit, allowing participants to test drive one of the three latest luxurious vehicles from Cadillac. There were many exciting auction items involved in this year's tournament; ranging from weekend get-a-ways, to a new set of Callaway Golf Clubs, to other unique prizes. This year, the Baker was lucky enough to auction off a basketball signed by the entire 2007-08 Boston Celtics team, now the 2008 Champions.

Everyone here at the Baker would like to extend a huge thank you to all those who were involved in the success of this event. Judge Baker Children's Center is proud to announce that together we raised over \$68,000! Please stay tuned for more information about the fourth annual tournament coming in June 2009.



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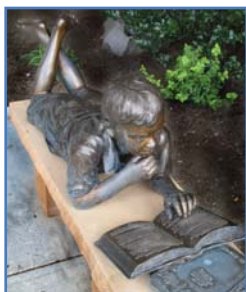
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Summer Fun at The Baker

Each year about three quarters of the eighty plus, Manville student body take part in the Manville Summer Program. This program runs for twenty days over the course of four weeks, and provides Manville students a fun, comfortable experience where they can make friends with students in other age groups, and experience personal growth. During this four week period, students spend their mornings in the classroom, and take part in elective activities in the afternoons. These electives vary from arts and crafts, to sports and games, to a daily fieldtrip. Each school, lower, middle, and upper has one field trip per day that students may chose to take part in. These trips are designed to help students get into the community and feel comfortable in new settings. There is also a cookout each Friday which provides special treats for the children to enjoy. This year, the Summer Program employed four previous Manville Students, and five current Manville Student's, Counselors in Training (CIT). For most of the former students that come back, this is their first real job. They assist the teachers in tasks, and help the children deal with their feelings from a first person perspective. The current students attend classes in the morning, and then assist with the younger students outside and on field trips in the afternoon.



Manville Students play in the outside sandbox during their last week of the Summer Program.

The Baker campus was very busy this past summer, as it was the first year a new summer program option was offered for non- Manville students. This program, the award winning Summer Treatment Program (STP) was run by Erika Coles, Ph.D. a psychology professor from the University of Maine. The STP is for children ages 6-12 with ADHD or other behavioral disorders. In its first year, the STP brought in eleven children from Boston and the surrounding areas, to take part in a six week long program instituted by a registered psychologist and supervised by undergraduate camp counselors. As the program came to a close, there was a great deal of positive feedback from all the parents and families involved. The Baker hopes to make this program an annual summer option for local families of children with ADHD or behavioral disorders.

Trustee Update

The Board of Trustees is very pleased to welcome its newest member, former basketball player and coach, M.L. Carr. Mr. Carr's commitment to children's issues and his belief in the importance of helping children lead safer, healthier, happier and more fun-filled lives, makes him a perfect fit with the Baker's mission.



Carr is the President and CEO of WARM2Kids, a social mission company working to inform, inspire and instruct teenagers and young adults to make positive life decisions. "I am very happy to help make a difference in children's lives in another way," said Carr. "Children need so much more attention than they are given, and they need help in being successful, and I am glad to be a part of the Baker, where together we are helping children overcome challenges, and succeed." With his experience and leadership at WARM2Kids, Carr is sure to be a wonderful addition to Judge Baker Children's Center's Board of Trustees.

Dr. Ellen Berger began her career as a Child Psychologist in 1956, when she completed her post doctoral training here, at the Baker. She then became a staff psychologist at the Baker's Manville School in 1957, and stayed until her retirement in 1992.

Dr. Berger passed away in August of 2007, and with her fond memories of the Manville School, she made a bequest of \$35,000 to the Children's Fund. "Ellen loved Manville, and loved the kids; this was her way to give back to the kids," said Hanna Savransky, Manville Principal. During her time here, the Children's Fund existed to provide necessary items for the school, as well as help out students in emergency situations. Over time this fund slowly evolved into the Campership Fund, now known as the Ruth Wirtz Campership Fund; which helps children pay for summer education and programming. Since Dr. Berger's bequest, the Children's Fund at Manville has been re-established and will provide financial assistance for educational, therapeutic and/ or recreational activities for Manville students in school or in the community. It will also assist in humanitarian relief for students and their families.

During her 35 year span working at the Manville School, Dr. Berger was a wonderful supervisor to the psychology interns, and was known to be thoughtful and loved by many. She took a great interest in working with children to identify learning disabilities, and assist in language development. She was very willing to try new things, but was always very content remaining at the Manville School. She only left in 1992 to retire and never had an interest to go into private practice. Dr. Berger was loved by many over the years, and her generous gift will continue to make a difference in the lives of Manville students for many years to come.

The Unexpected Gift

In our first article on planned giving, we discussed a trust structure that gives to a wonderful charity while also benefiting you, the donor and your family. But sometimes, we may decide that we really want to do something uncomplicated and simple, yet very important to a non-profit organization that is meaningful to us. The recent bequest by Dr. Berger made an unanticipated but very positive impact to Judge Baker Children's Center.

Individuals can name a charity as a beneficiary in their will. This bequest can be a gift of any amount or any form such as articles of property. For example, the donor may decide to make a bequest of appreciated stocks or other securities. These stocks and securities receive a step up in basis to the fair market value of the security on date of death. Therefore, any appreciation that the stock may have carried disappears and the charity benefits with the capital gains tax savings. In this scenario, there is no additional tax, should the executor decide to sell the security outright and issue a check to the named charity or the charity receives stocks or securities in-kind. The estate of the decedent also benefits by receiving the charitable deduction for the gift made to the charity.

It is beneficial to share your decision with the charity when you plan to make a gift from your estate. First of all, the charity wants to recognize your intention for such a special gift. Secondly, it may provide you, the donor, a chance to share your thoughts about what the organization means to you and how you would like to see your funds dispersed. This discussion can also help the charity plan for the future of its programs. Your "unexpected gift" now takes on new meaning to both you the donor as well as the charity. It allows you and the charity to work together to ensure your gift meets your desires; and, is no longer an "unexpected gift."

A charity, like the Judge Baker Children's Center, very much appreciates all gifts received to help continue the great work we do helping children regain their childhood. If you have remembered Judge Baker Children's Center in your estate planning or would like to do so, please contact Michele D. Urbancic, Vice President of Advancement at 617-278-4280 or at micheleu@jbcc.harvard.edu.

YES! I would like to support Team Baker in the Rodman Ride for Kids!

My name is _____ and I am enclosing a check in the amount of \$ _____ to help Team Baker reach their goal, so that MY donation will be **matched by 15%**!

I would like to receive information about the Baker online, my e-mail address is _____

Go Green!

I prefer to stay green, please send me future newsletters via e-mail, instead of by mail. Please send them to this e-mail address: _____

Donations can also be made online by visiting www.jbcc.harvard.edu or you may mail them to:
Judge Baker Children's Center, Attn: Development, 53 Parker Hill Avenue, Boston, MA 02120

CCFC Honors Morgan Spurlock with Fred Rogers Integrity Award

Morgan Spurlock, the writer, producer and director for *Super Size Me* and *What Would Jesus Buy* was recently rewarded for taking a stand against harmful advertisements. The Campaign for a Commercial Free Childhood, (CCFC) presented Spurlock with the Fred Rogers Integrity Award on the evening of Thursday, April third at the Baker. Spurlock is the third recipient of this award, following Iowa Senator Tom Harkin and singer/ songwriter Raffi Cavoukian. CCFC chose Spurlock as this year's recipient because of his work protecting children's health from the exploitation of corporations targeting children in their marketing. "There are many corporations out there marketing to children, and we (CCFC) are working to fight against every one of them," said Dr. Susan Linn, Director of the Campaign for a Commercial Free Childhood. "Having someone as influential as Morgan Spurlock also spreading this message and fighting in our fight really makes a difference; it is nice to have someone in the spotlight who is not afraid to stand up to the big corporations."

Spurlock accepted the Fred Rogers Integrity Award, sharing clips from his previous films along with his thoughts on the exploitation of children through advertising campaigns. The evening was also the kick off for CCFC's 6th annual summit, "Consuming Kids: The Sexualization of Children and Other Commercial Calamities."



Upon receiving the award, Spurlock commented that he was expecting a miniature cardigan in honor of Fred Rogers, but was very happy to have his very own Neighborhood Trolley car.



Left to right: Dr. John Weisz, JBCC President and CEO, Dr. Susan Linn, CCFC Director, Morgan Spurlock, Dr. Alvin Poussaint, Director of The Media Center .

Team Baker in the 18th Annual Rodman Ride for Kids



Suzanne Tiberii, a Manville School employee, smiles as she takes off in the 2007 Rodman Ride.

For the third consecutive year, staff and friends of the Baker are dusting off their cycling gear to participate in the Rodman Ride for Kids. This event, now in its 18th year, currently benefits 25 charities that support at-risk children in Massachusetts. The Baker is one of the smaller organizations involved, and is working hard to reach the goal set by the Rodman Ride of \$65,000.

The Ride is taking place on Saturday, September 27th in Foxboro, Massachusetts. Riders have their choice of completing 25, 50 or 100 miles, and are each asked to fundraise \$1,000. Team Baker, is expecting close to 30 riders this year, including Manville School staff, administrative staff, and members of the Board of Trustees, along with friends, family members and Baker supporters.

This year, the Baker is proud to announce that we have three corporate sponsors helping us reach our goal; Bob's Discount Furniture, Brookline Bank, Roxbury Technology Group and . If the Baker is able to raise the required \$65,000 then the Rodman Ride will provide an additional 15% match.

To help raise support and gain excitement for this years Ride, the Baker held a pre-Rodman Ride event at McFadden's Restaurant and Saloon in downtown Boston on August 15th. A great night was had by all, with appetizers compliments of McFadden's, live music provided by the band Groove-Stone, and some great raffle prizes including tickets to see the Boston Red Sox, two free ride passes at F1 Boston, a go-cart racing facility, and a sterling silver bead bracelet from Tiffany & Co.

The Ride takes place on September 27th; however, we have until November 30, 2008 to reach our fundraising goal. If you would like to make a gift to Team Baker in the Rodman Ride for Kids, please visit our website at www.jbcc.harvard.edu, or contact Ellen Makarevich at 617-278-4281. You may also donate by filling out the form to your left and mailing it back to us.



JBCC Staff members working at the McFadden's Event:(left to right) Ellen Makarevich, Sarrah Davis, Alicia Tria and Kristen Woulfe.

In July and August, Judge Baker Children's Center lost two of its most illustrious leaders and long time friends. In July we had to say goodbye to Dr. Julius Richmond, who has been a major force for good in the lives of children and families nationwide and internationally. Dr. Richmond headed the Baker from 1971-1977, and again from 1983-1988; in the interim, he left his job at the Baker to become Surgeon General of the United States. In August we lost Dr. Stuart Hauser, who led the Baker from 1993-2004, shepherding the Baker through important transitions in its programs and overseeing its relocation to sparkling new quarters in Mission Hill.

Both of these impressive leaders made enduring contributions to the Baker, and to children and families, through their able leadership of the organization, their legendary clinical research, their devotion to training future leaders, and their far-reaching impact on policy and practice. Both will be greatly missed within the Baker community, not only because of their major professional contributions but also because of their warmth, generosity, and humane values. We treasure the memories of these two legendary leaders whose legacies live on within the Judge Baker Children's Center.

Sincerely,



John Weisz, Ph.D., ABPP
President and CEO

Stuart T. Hauser, MD, Ph.D.

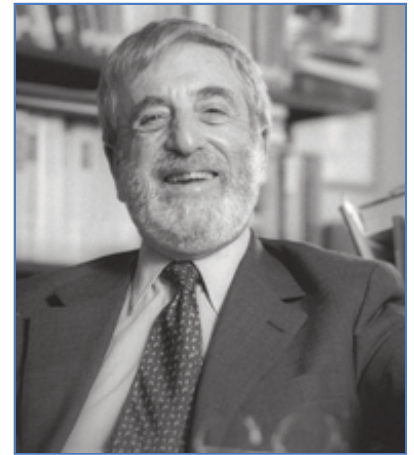
May 29, 1938 - August 5, 2008

Dr. Stuart Hauser came to the Baker in 1993 and over his 15 year span, held a variety of positions. Starting out as the Director, and then becoming the President of Judge Baker Children's Center, Dr. Hauser strengthened the Baker's commitment to its original mission, providing services of the highest standards, searching for new knowledge and educating and training professionals serving children and their families. He played an important role, keeping the Baker name proud, and the community ever growing.



Dr. Hauser speaks with Boston's Mayor Menino at the groundbreaking of 53 Parker Hill Avenue in 2004.

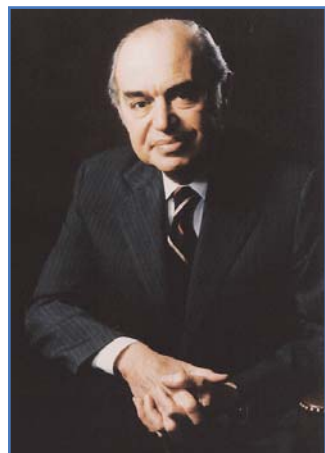
In 2004, Dr. Hauser stepped down as President and chose to take time and focus on his research interests. He continued to play an essential role within the Baker as a Principal Investigator and International Leader in research and research training. His passion for science led him to author two publications, as well as conduct numerous invaluable research studies.



In recent years, Dr. Hauser expanded his role as mentor to international trainees, working through Harvard Medical School, and Judge Baker Children's Center to conduct their research. Dr. Hauser greatly enjoyed his role as mentor with students over the years, and spoke proudly about them and their projects. His face was a familiar and friendly one walking through the halls of the Baker, and his presence is greatly missed today.

Julius B. Richmond, MD

September 16, 1916 - July 27, 2008



Dr. Julius B. Richmond came to the Baker in 1971, and served as Director until 1977 when he became the U.S. Surgeon General under the Carter Administration. After his term was complete, he returned to the Baker as President from 1983 to 1988. Dr. Richmond was a valued advisor to subsequent Directors, Drs. Walzer, Hauser and Weisz and his knowledge and passion for health, mental health, and education for youth was a great asset to the Baker during his tenure.

Dr. Richmond played a variety of important roles in Massachusetts and across the country during his lifetime: as the Co-Founder of the National Head Start Program, Professor of Child Psychiatry and Human Development at Harvard Medical School, and Chairman of Psychiatry at Children's Hospital Boston. Dr. Richmond made a difference in the health field, and helped pave the path for more great leaders to follow, continuing to bring the Baker to greatness. Dr. Richmond will be missed by all who knew him; his legacy will live on at Judge Baker Children's Center.

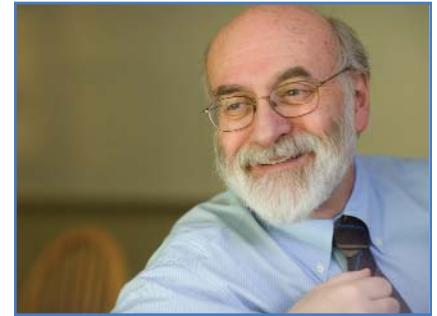


Dr. Richmond at the 1987 World of Children Celebration.

Dear Friends,

I have spent the past thirty years as headmaster of an independent school in the central Rocky Mountains of Colorado. My last position at Judge Baker Children’s Center was as Head Teacher of Manville School. Just over a decade later I assumed leadership of this small, fledgling school in need of a focus that would help it thrive. I combined my Baker training with other teaching experiences to create an educational philosophy and methodologies for college bound students, and built a school right in the midst of a ski resort. The tenets of the program I established for Vail Mountain School can be traced directly back to my training at the Baker: every student has the right to be understood as a learner, the oldest and youngest of students sharing a school setting have much to learn from each other; trust rather than fear of punishment should characterize the relationship between teachers and students. I also carried with me the belief that a school is not complete without the services of a psychologist. Richard “Dick” Carpenter, a Baker alum, served as our psychological consultant for twenty years, until his retirement.

Today, Vail Mountain School serves 360 students, spanning kindergarten through grade twelve. All of these students aspire to go on to college and many have overcome learning differences or emotional challenges along the way. Our students are all equal shareholders within our school where their social and emotional growth is at the forefront of the curriculum. The psychology books in my office provide guidance in dealing with the behavioral issues of this population, just as they did for the students at Manville School during my training and early professional years. Anna Freud, Erik Eriksson, Fritz Redl and Bruno Bettelheim are still within handy reach in addressing students’ needs, advising parents, and coaching teachers. I continue to refer to the Hall and Lindzey *Theories of Personality* that Arne Korstvedt, another Baker alum, used in my first graduate school course. The tie between my early training and current work is very strong. I take comfort in drawing on the lessons from my Baker mentors, years later and miles away, and I believe that is just one legacy of Pauly Hahn, Bessy Sperry, Stan Walzer, Irv Herwitz, George Gardner and many others.



Peter Abuisi, Head Teacher at the Manville School, 1967-1969.

Sincerely,

Peter Abuisi
Baker Alum, 1967- 1969

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