

## Eve's Place News

### TOAST AND TOUR

Please join us on Wednesday, February 15<sup>th</sup>, from 4:30 to 6:30 for our first “Toast and Tour” event. Enjoy a glass of wine and see our community office facility which opened last year. See the amazing mural described below. Tickets are only \$20 for wine and nibbles so we hope to see you there. There are only a limited number of tickets so go to our website to purchase now. [www.evesplace.org](http://www.evesplace.org).

### DENIM AND DIAMONDS

You will not want to miss our 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Denim and Diamonds dinner and dance at the Briarwood Country Club on Saturday, March 11<sup>th</sup>. Enjoy the music of the iconic band Western Bred as you eat, dance and shop at the silent auction. There will also be a live auction with unique items and a 50/50 raffle. Food, fun, friends and helping support Eve's Place at the same time! Tickets are \$45 and may be purchased now on the website. We hope to see you there.

### “FROM VICTIM TO SURVIVOR” MURAL



Thanks a million, to the Artists' By the Lake Club from Sun City that painted an entire wall mural at the Eve's Place Community Office. The mural depicts the journey victims take along the road to survivorship. There can be many stops and detours along the way and the journey is not easy. But with the help and support of friends, family, Eve's Place Advocates and other resources, victims can make it to a happy and healthy place and become a true survivor. We thank all the artists who spent hours on this project. It's a beautiful and colorful portrayal of the process and it will last a lifetime.

# **HOLIDAY GRATITUDE**

From the staff and clients of Eve's Place, thank you to everyone who helped make Christmas special this year for all. If you donated items for the Adopt a Family program or items in general, Christmas trees or wrapping paper, toys, clothes or food – **THANK YOU**. Tempus West Valley Realty and Judge Chiropractic Center West were collection points for items as noted above and donated generously themselves – **THANK YOU**. If you participated in the two-day wrap-a-thon to wrap and deliver all the gifts to the families – **THANK YOU**. If you helped with the Christmas party for approximately 90 clients and their children – **THANK YOU**. Eve's Cookers made and served a fabulous spaghetti dinner and Santa, elves and carolers were also there. **THANK YOU** to NYCB Bank and their staff who put together the fabulous "North Pole" where clients and their children can shop for gifts for their family and experience the joy of giving a gift to their parents or siblings. They have done this for the past several years and it is amazing. **THANK YOU** to the Eve's Place staff who worked long hours and extra hard during the month of December to pull it all off. You are all amazing!!!

## **WALMART GRANT**

Walmart donated \$2,500 to Eve's Place to be utilized for client assistance. These funds will be utilized for items not allowed by government funds such as clothing needed to work – i.e., non skid shoes, uniforms, etc. Also fees needed for documents or certifications. For kids, it will assist with fees to play sports, physicals, musical instruments, etc., allowing them to participate in school activities. Thank you so much to Walmart for their support for their community.

## **SAVE THE DATE!!!**

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Saturday, March 11<sup>th</sup>             Denim and Diamonds at Briarwood Country Club

Eve's Place is a 501(c)3 non-profit, providing community based services to victims of Domestic, Sexual and Teen Dating abuse. Services include safety planning, children's services, support groups and customized services to meet the client's needs. You can support Eve's Place by shopping at Eve's Treasures Thrift Store, through donations, or, by volunteering your time and talents to our organization. Call (623) 537-5380 or visit us online at

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