



Roumell Asset Management staff, children, and baby furnish an apartment at PA2



BuckleySandler LLP completes AAP and welcomes new family

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### THC - Housing Families, Transforming Lives

THC is a faith-based, non-profit partnership that provides housing and comprehensive support services for more than 300 homeless and at-risk families in Washington, DC.

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#### Volunteer with THC!

Visit our [website](#) to learn about volunteer activities with THC youth and adults:

- YEP Art Club
- YEP Reading Club
- YEP Fitness Club
- GED Tutoring
- Adult Basic Education Tutoring
- Adopt-an-Apartment Program
- Volunteer Work Days
- Special Events



Photo by Nilou Mohamedi (GWU)

#### Fitness Club Volunteer Quote:

"The kids set a fast pace. Our role was to keep them interacting but it wasn't hard. We stretched, jumped rope, played catch and BINGO! The girls showed us the ropes, literally. I can't believe how much was fit into one hour." -Elena Kim, GW service-learning volunteer

#### Church Outreach



THC is available to speak to your church outreach forum, Outreach Committee, or young adult groups to explain how THC leads families out of homelessness and provides our housing through our full Continuum of Care services.

Contact [Margaret Thaxton](#) at 202-291-5535 ext. 403.

#### THC is on Facebook!



Visit THC's Facebook page to stay connected and learn about events, volunteer opportunities, and view pictures.

#### 2011 Living in the City

#### THC's Annual Benefit and Silent Auction

**Save the Date**  
**May 19, 2011**

THC is honored to recognize our community partners for their dedicated support as well as THC's hard-working families for making transformational changes in their lives at this year's Living in the City benefit and auction on Thursday, May 19, 2011 at the Washington Club (Dupont Circle) in Washington, DC. Please join the THC Board, THC staff, distinguished community leaders, and THC supporters as we honor BuckleySandler LLP, Michael Milhaupt, Somerset Development LLC, and The George Washington University.



#### Ways to support THC

There are a variety of ways you can support THC through this year's Living in the City annual benefit and auction:

1) **Join us at the event** – Tickets are \$100 and are available at [www.thcdc.org/events](http://www.thcdc.org/events). Proceeds help benefit THC programming in furthering our mission of housing families and transforming lives.

2) **Become a sponsor** – Sponsorship levels include extra event tickets, exposure for your company in promotional materials, THC publications, and in the LITC program book and event signage. All levels of sponsorship raise critical funds to ensure THC families will become self-sufficient and move on to permanent housing. If you would like to become a sponsor at a level of \$25k, \$10k, \$5k, \$2.5k, \$1.5k or \$500, please contact Margaret Thaxton, Director of Development, at 202-291-5535, ext. 403 or [mthaxton@thcdc.org](mailto:mthaxton@thcdc.org).

3) **Donate a silent auction item** – This year's silent auction is going to be our best ever with items ranging from museum tickets, dinners from DC's finest restaurants, winery packages, tickets to sporting events and more! **Gift baskets** are a wonderful donation and fun opportunity to assemble with a group from your office, church, or family and they're a huge hit! Ideas for themed baskets and donation forms are available at [thcdc.org](http://thcdc.org). If you'd like to donate an auction item please contact Andrew Adams, Development and Volunteer Coordinator, at 202-291-5535, ext. 405 or [aadams@thcdc.org](mailto:aadams@thcdc.org). All donations are tax-deductible.



The funds raised at the Living in the City reception and silent auction will help support more than 300 families through THC's transitional, permanent supportive, homeless prevention and rapid re-housing programs. Funds will also benefit THC's supportive services such as life skills training, youth enrichment programs, employment services, and mental health counseling.

We hope that you will join us for this special celebration.



#### Thank You AAP Supporters

#### A record-breaking 7 AAPs in 1 month!

THC experienced an unprecedented AAP move-in with 7 families moving into Partner Arms 2 in February. Thank you to all of our AAP churches and new AAP corporate supporters for answering our call in January.



- Rodney Beard, parishioner of Christ Episcopal Church, Rockville (pictured at top - bed linens)
- BuckleySandler LLP and Buckley Kolar Charitable Foundation
- Christ Episcopal Church, Georgetown (pictured below - bed linens)
- Mount Moriah Baptist Church, DC - Women's Ministry (pictured at bottom - bathroom items)
- Roumell Asset Management (pictured top left)
- Serve DC (pictured middle - welcome bags)
- St. Columba's Episcopal Church, DC (pictured top right)
- St. Dunstan's Episcopal Church, Bethesda (pictured bottom right)
- St. John's Episcopal Church, DC
- St. John's Episcopal Church, Norwood Parish (pictured bottom left)
- The Community Partnership (pictured top - donated beds, drawers, tables/chairs, sofas)



A special thanks to **BuckleySandler LLP** and **Roumell Asset Management**. Melissa Barrett, President of THC's Board of Directors, rallied support from BuckleySandler staff and furnished a 3-bedroom apartment (pictured in the top banner on right). Another member of THC's Board of Directors, Jim Roumell, CEO of Roumell Asset Management, also rallied company and staff support by completing an AAP (pictured in the top banner on left) and brought his staff and their family along for the apartment furnishing day. **Thank you all!**

Please visit our website at [www.thcdc.org](http://www.thcdc.org).

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