

Raise the Bar Foundation is a publicly supported organization exempt from federal income tax as described in the Internal Revenue Code at Section 501 (c) (3). All (100%) of the funds raised are thoughtfully invested and grants carefully made to individuals or organizations who struggle to “raise the bar”. No administrative or non-grant related expenses are incurred. None. All revenues go directly for the purpose intended.

It is the intent of the trustees to disburse funds as and when raised and not to accumulate monies in an investment account.

WE ARE GRATEFUL FOR
YOUR HELP AND SUPPORT

For more information about the Raise The Bar Foundation call (203) 975-9687.

For grant information call Janet W. Evans, Director, Person-to-Person at (203) 655-0048.

How You Can Help

- Support our fundraisers
- Contribute directly
- Volunteer your time
- Identify potential donees

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The Mission Statement

To raise the bar is to set higher standards. Like many foundations, Raise The Bar intends to use the strength, energy and resources of supporters, volunteers and donors to help those who face a personal challenge.

Unlike many, we are uniquely interested in helping those whose challenge has been made greater because they follow a new, difficult or alternative route. It could be the pursuit of health care that is not insured, or working to overcome a handicap, or a personal or family problem. We will be seeking to find and help those whose needs are not met through traditional means.

Our intention is to meet the goal of the foundation by establishing a perpetual fund to help others along the journey to recovery.

What The Experts Say

“Again and again throughout the year, Raise The Bar has made grants to families facing life threatening illnesses. This support has made an important material difference for families whose budgets are severely strained-but even more important is the hope which such caring concern brings to these families. Raise The Bar is a life boat and a wave of hope.”

Janet W. Evans, LCSW
Director, Person-to-Person



Where The Money Goes

Dear Members of Raise the Bar Foundation,

On behalf of my Grandson, Tyler Lee Harding, my husband, Joseph, my son, Joseph, and me, a great big **Thank You** for giving Tyler the gait trainer that he needs to allow him to "walk."

I have attached some photographs of Tyler so you can see the big smile on his face as he tries the gait trainer for the very first time. I am sure it will give him many hours of fun and the ability to feel like he can walk, even though he cannot. Tyler can now look at the world from a different perspective; not just from his stomach or back.

We can't thank you enough for your generosity and caring.

Sincerely,

Anna Gallace



2000 Fundraiser at Sterling Farms Golf Club Michael R. Perry, Jr. Memorial Golf & Tennis Tournament

