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Anti-Hunger Advocate

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Annual potluck set for Tue., March 17

The Anti-Hunger Action Committee annual potluck will be held on St. Patrick's Day: Tuesday, March 17. All are invited to attend! The meeting will be from 5-7 p.m. in the lobby of Crossroads Urban Center (347 South 400 East). Besides the eating, socializing, and singing, we will also elect new AHAC board members.

Over the past year, AHAC has worked on Medicaid funding at the state and federal level. Their successes include preserving dental benefits for Medicaid participants, ensuring that eligibility remains in-

tact, and preventing the elimination of the spend-down category.

The leadership provided by our current board has been invaluable. Their passion for advocating has created a strong group--a group we hope will continue to grow.

Attend our annual potluck/membership meeting and vote on positions for the AHAC board. Make your voice heard and make your tummy full! See you on the 17th!

The photo above was taken at last year's annual potluck.

Interested in submitting your own...

- artwork
- poetry
- short story
- memory/reflection
- puzzle/wordsearch/jumble
- cartoon
- joke

to the AHAC newsletter?
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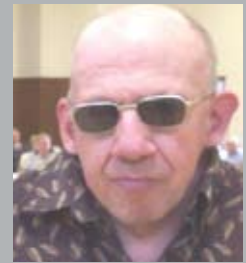
The Anti-Hunger Advocate is a monthly publication of the Anti-Hunger Action Committee, a group of Utahns dedicated to addressing issues of hunger and healthcare for low-income people. We warmly invite you to join our group!

Celebrating AHAC arts



LEFT: Art by Virgil Day. "Close Encounters of the Diamond Kind." February 22, 1982.

joke of the
month
by Douglas
Cotant



Why did the elephant cross the road? Because the chicken took the day off.

Remembering Joey Lee

February 26, 2009 marked the one-year anniversary of Joey Lee's death. Joey had served as a member of the AHAC Board of Directors. He was one of the most memorable, regular contributors to this newsletter. In honor of this anniversary, we are reprinting three of his poems.

Hunger

Knows no plan
Only knows
Woman, child and
man.
Does not
Discriminate
Creed, color or
Race...
It knows no
Face.

March

Forward
Go,
Help others
Is what we know.
Care for you,
A someone you
Are.
Do not let any say
You are not a star.

Rules Golden

As it has been penned
Treat others as you
Would like to be treated.
Act how you want
Others to act in your presence.
That in itself is a present!
Respect for others goes a
very long way.
Be kind in every deed and
every word you say.
Kindness is what can unite us.