

YOUTH HAVEN'S \$20 MILLION CAPITAL CAMPAIGN



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BUILDING HOPE FOR TOMORROW

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For over five decades, Youth Haven has stood as a beacon of hope for abused, neglected, and homeless children in the Naples community. As this trusted sanctuary approaches its 53rd year, the

A VISION FOR THE FUTURE

The vision behind Building Hope for Tomorrow is as inspiring as it is necessary. The new state-of-the-art, 22,000-square-foot facility will address the current

time has come for a significant transformation. The organization is embarking on an ambitious \$20 million Capital Campaign, Building Hope for Tomorrow, aimed at replacing its aging central facility—a 53-year-old building that has served as the heart of its operations.

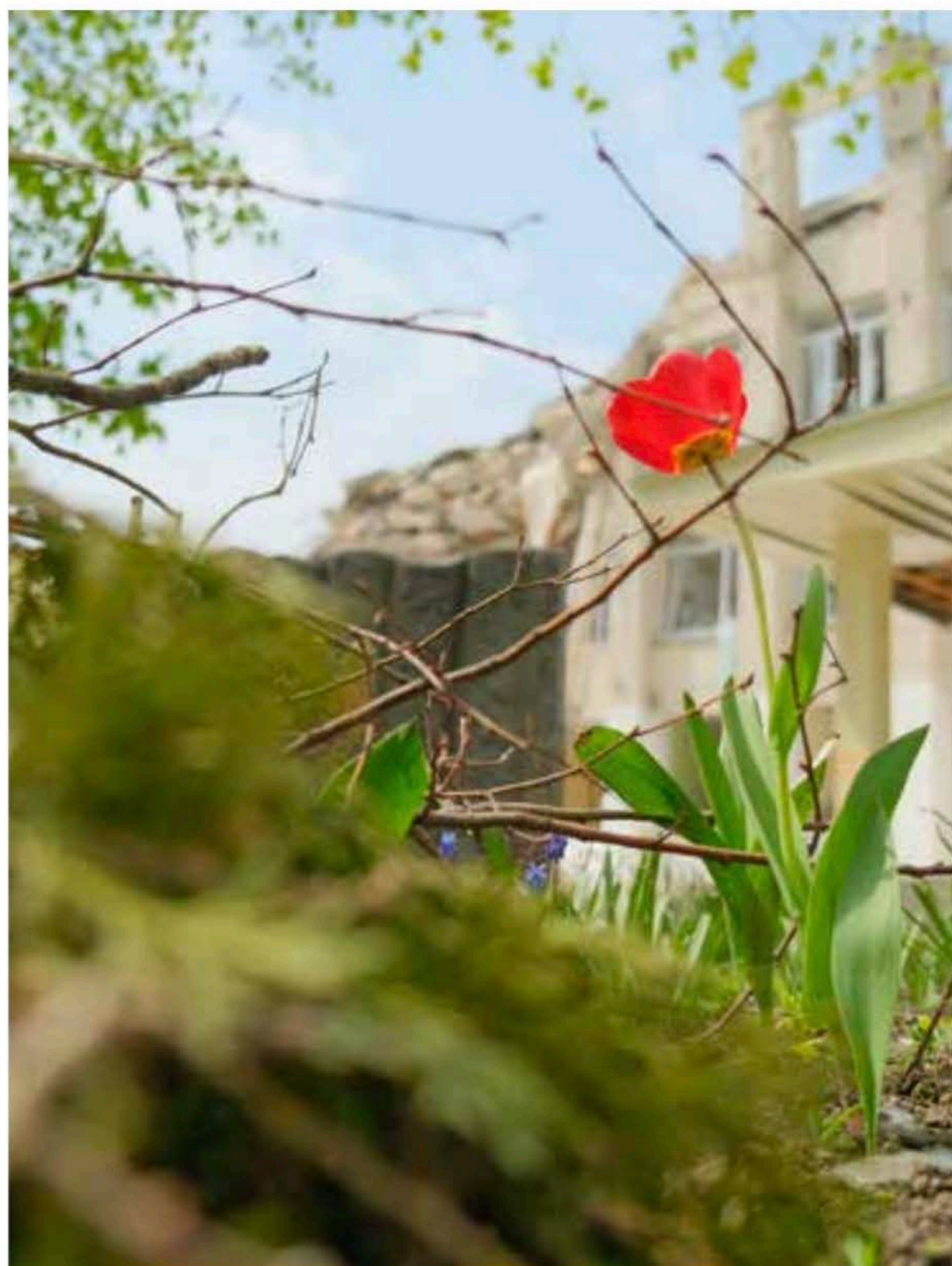
WHY NOW?

The need for this campaign is urgent. The current facility, though cherished by all who have passed through its doors, is no longer adequate to meet the demands of modern care. Structural wear and tear, outdated infrastructure, and limited space are hindering Youth Haven's ability to provide the highest level of care to the vulnerable children who rely on its services. The construction of a new building isn't just about updating an old structure; it's about creating an environment where healing and growth can truly take place.

structural challenges while offering a dynamic and inclusive space for campus life. This building will be more than just a place to stay; it will be a symbol of hope and renewal, designed to meet the unique needs of each child who calls Youth Haven home. From modern classrooms and therapy rooms to spaces dedicated to art, music, and recreation, every inch of this facility will be purpose-built to foster a nurturing and healing environment.

In a remarkable show of community support, MHK, one of Naples' top architecture firms, has generously committed to donating their architecture and engineering services pro bono. Additionally, Lynn Lombardi, of LDL Interiors, is donating her interior design expertise pro bono. These incredible acts of generosity not only underscore the community's belief in Youth Haven's mission but also ensure that the facility will be designed and furnished with the utmost expertise and care.

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KEY COMPONENTS OF THE CAMPAIGN

The Building Hope for Tomorrow campaign is multifaceted, with several key components that will ensure its success:

- **Building Construction and Renovation:** The campaign's primary focus is the construction of a new facility that will provide a safe, supportive environment where children can recover, learn, and grow. Thoughtfully designed spaces and modern amenities will ensure that Youth Haven remains a place of dignity and care.
- **Technology and Innovation:** In a world where technology plays an ever-increasing role in education and therapy, Youth Haven plans to invest in cutting-edge solutions that will enhance the services provided. From digital learning tools to advanced therapeutic resources, these innovations will be integrated into the new facility.
- **Endowment Fund:** To secure the long-term sustainability of Youth Haven, a portion of the funds will be used to establish an endowment. This fund will ensure that future generations of children in crisis will continue to find refuge at Youth Haven.
- **Community Engagement:** Recognizing that the strength of any campaign lies in the community that supports it, Youth Haven is actively engaging local partners, businesses, and philanthropists. These collaborations will amplify the campaign's impact and create a lasting legacy of compassion.

A LASTING IMPACT ON YOUTH HAVEN AND THE COMMUNITY

The Building Hope for Tomorrow campaign, led by Campaign Chair Elizabeth Star, is poised to transform Youth Haven and, by extension, the entire Naples community. The completion of this campaign will enhance Youth Haven's ability to serve the children who need it most,

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but its impact will reach far beyond the organization's walls. It represents an investment in the future of the community, ensuring that Youth Haven remains a cornerstone of support, compassion, and hope for many years to come.

A CALL TO ACTION

As the public phase of the Building Hope for Tomorrow campaign begins, Youth Haven is calling on the community to join this transformative journey. Contributions will help build not just a new facility, but a future filled with hope for the most vulnerable children in Naples. This campaign is more than just a building project; it is a mission to provide the highest standard of care for those who need it most.

The Naples community has always been known for its generosity and commitment to making a difference. Now, more than ever, that spirit is needed to ensure that Youth Haven can continue to be a beacon of hope for generations to come. Your support of the Building Hope for Tomorrow campaign will make a lasting difference in the lives of countless children and create a legacy of compassion that will endure for decades.

