



# Endeavors

FULFILLMENT THROUGH PHILANTHROPY



A newsletter for friends and supporters of Shriners Children's™ Erie

## Patient Snapshot

**Big steps, big smiles! Watch as Patient Ambassador Avanyah takes her very first steps with her new prosthetic legs.**





Avanyah was born with a rare condition called tibial hypoplasia, which meant her tibia was shorter than her fibula. To give her the best chance at walking and thriving, she underwent an amputation, paving the way for her to walk with the help of prosthetics.

After spending a year in a wheelchair, Avanyah is now back on two feet, thanks to the expert care she received at Shriners Children's Erie and the generosity of supporters like you. She's not just walking; she's looking forward to running, playing, and fully joining in the fun with her classmates.

**"I can't wait for spring 'cause I get to play on the playground at recess instead of just watching." — Avanyah, Patient Ambassador**

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## Upcoming Events

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**Barnhart Gives - Enter for a chance to win a \$5,000 vacation!**



# Win a Trip!

## Winner Receives:

- \$5,000 vacation planned with Cappabianca Travel Agency
- Alternatively, you can walk away with \$4,500 in cash!
- Check off your bucket-list destination!

## Benefits:



**Shriners**  
Children's  
Erie



**Barber National Institute**  
*Making dreams come true.*



Drawing  
July 27<sup>th</sup> 2025



Tickets  
\$10 Each  
or 3 for \$20



18 Years +  
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[barnhartgives.com/events](https://barnhartgives.com/events)



Proceeds benefit Shriners Children's Erie! As part of the *Barnhart Gives* initiative, a vacation package valued at **\$5,000**, is being raffled off.

[Purchase your tickets online today!](https://barnhartgives.com/events)

The raffle drawing will close July 22 and the winner to be pulled on Sunday, July 27th. Don't miss your chance to win the getaway of a lifetime, all while supporting a great cause!

## Erie Gives Day - Tuesday, August 12





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# SAVE THE DATE!

## AUGUST 12, MIDNIGHT TO MIDNIGHT

Erie Gives Day is coming up on Tuesday, August 12! Mark your calendars and visit the [Erie Gives Website](#) to support Shriners Children's Erie during the 24 hours of giving to support local nonprofits. New this year, all fees (transaction, platform, and processing) are fully covered! That means 100% of your donation goes directly to Shriners Children's Erie when you give with a credit card.

Don't want to wait? You can donate by check or stock gifts now. Visit [Ways to Give](#) to learn more.

# Donor Spotlight

# Country Music, Big Hearts: \$20,059 Raised for Shriners Children's Erie



A huge THANK YOU to Nancy Rose for organizing an incredible two-day country music festival at the Warren County Fairgrounds on June 13 & 14 to support Shriners Children's Erie! Thanks to Nancy's hard work and dedication, the event raised over \$20,000 for our medical center. With performances from Billy Gilman and Gene Johnson, it was truly a memorable celebration of music and generosity. We're so grateful for your commitment to our mission, Nancy. Your efforts help make a difference in the lives of the children and families we care for every day. ♥

Ways To Give

# Planned Giving - Charitable Gift Annuity

A charitable gift annuity (CGA) is a worry-free gift that is easy to implement and offers you a unique opportunity to support Shriners Children's™. First, you make an irrevocable donation, usually with cash or securities. (If you are 70½ or older, you may also fund this gift with your IRA.) In return, you receive fixed payments for life. After your lifetime, the remaining amount supports our mission. [Learn more.](#)



## Best Rates in Over a Decade!

The rates for charitable gift annuity payments — payouts to you — are the highest they've been in over a decade! Your payments are fixed, no matter what happens in the markets. With your gift, you'll be supporting children and families while receiving payments for life.



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### Find Your Rate

#### ONE LIFE

AGE	RATE
60	5.2%
65	5.7%
70	6.3%
75	7.0%
80	8.1%
85	9.1%
90+	10.1%

#### TWO LIVES

AGE	RATE
60/65	4.8%
65/70	5.2%
70/75	5.8%
75/80	6.5%
80/85	7.3%
85/90	8.7%
90/95+	9.9%

*\*Based on a 5.2% charitable midterm federal rate. Deductions and calculations will vary depending on your personal circumstances.*



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