



# FRIENDS OF CHILDREN NEWSLETTER

## July 2008

Volunteers are a precious commodity, we value them and appreciate their time and effort. We could not function as successfully as we do without them. When volunteers help us, it helps us help a family.

Friends of Children assists families of children with extraordinary medical need in these ways:

*Offering financial assistance*

*Providing resource  
Information and  
emotional support*

*Coordinating efforts with  
other organizations and  
service providers*

- Photographs from the 2008 Golf Classic are now available [www.friendsofchildren.ca](http://www.friendsofchildren.ca) Follow the instructions in the What's New (purple) box.
- Thank you to Forest Expo for allowing us to do a fundraising project for them. Thank you to the volunteers that turned out to help Riley.
- Thank you to the Canadian Institute of Mining, Metallurgy and Petroleum for the very generous donations to our Association and to our volunteers for their assistance.
- Thank you to the Knights of Columbus #1321 for their generous donation and their ongoing support .

- Riley and her family will be moving out of town at the end of the summer, hopefully we will see her in Prince George regularly. We will not only lose a great employee but also three terrific volunteers (Ted, Ryan and Jessica)
- President James and Mary will also be leaving this summer. James has taken a position in Cranbrook. Again we not only lose a Board member (James) but a very active volunteer (Mary)
- Our best wishes for good health are sent to Lou (Veeken)
- We have three Board Positions open in the 2008/2009 term. If you are interested, please contact the office for more details.



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- Thank you to Dodie Bond and her friends for their donations

(Dodie seen here with James Letcher (President of Friends of Children)

- Thank you to our very talented photographer Past President Mike McGuire
- Mike will also be doing some outreach presen-

tations to service clubs this summer

- Our next fundraising endeavour will be the Auction, tentatively scheduled for early April 2009. If you know of potential auction item donors, please notify the office.