



The Buzz

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Welcome to Bee Mighty's quarterly newsletter! We are excited to share buzz-worthy news and spotlight individuals who help make Bee Mighty so special.

Hive Builder Spotlight: Stacie Adams



Meet Stacie Adams, our donor spotlight! Stacie is a lifelong friend of our founder, Candace Richter.

Stacie chose to give to Bee Mighty after seeing Candace and Micheal struggle to navigate the system for their son, Shaw, who was born at 27 weeks. Adams was inspired by the Richter's determination to help other mighty kids through the creation of Bee Mighty.

Stacie has been giving to Bee Mighty through monthly recurring donations that are automatically debited from her bank account since the inception of Bee Mighty in 2012! She says this makes it easier on her this way and ensures that she doesn't forget a cause so close to her heart in the shuffle of everyday life. Please [email](#) us if monthly giving seems easier to you!

You can read more about Stacie and her reasons for giving by following the link below.

[Read More >](#)



DID YOU KNOW?

Facebook and Instagram Fundraisers

Caroline Strauss is one of our marketing team volunteers and recently raised \$815 for Bee Mighty on Facebook in honor of her son's 4th birthday. In fact, the use of Facebook and Instagram is a quick and easy way to raise funds for our Mighty Bees!

Both applications have fundraising options that allow you to raise money for Bee Mighty. On Facebook, simply go to your profile, start a post, scroll down, click "Support Non Profit", and search and designate Bee Mighty as that non profit. On Instagram, create a story, click to add a sticker, search for the donation sticker, and then type in beemightybabies. We can't wait to see how much you'll be able to raise for our Mighty Bees!

As always, please [email](#) us if you have any questions.

Meet the Bee Mighty Executive Board



The Bee Mighty Executive Board is comprised of a team of doctors, nurses, business men and women, philanthropists, social workers and fellow micropreemie parents who work together to provide for an underserved population of NICU graduates. The

Council meets monthly to review and approve grant applications of future Mighty Bees as well as make other important decisions for Bee Mighty. **Learn more about each member [here!](#)**

A VERY SPECIAL THANK YOU

A very special thank you is in order for Sandwich Max and Viva Chicken. Sandwich Max donates dinner for current NICU families once an month and Viva Chicken donates once a quarter. Bee Mighty hosts NICU family dinners at Hemby and Levine once a month and these gracious restaurants provide the food. These meals help NICU families connect with one another, learn more about Bee Mighty and enable them to stay on site while visiting their child at the hospital.



Please [email](#) us if you are interested in volunteering to staff these meals as we are always looking for more help!

Meet our July Mighty Bee: Layne

Read more to see how YOUR contributions have helped her thrive!

Mighty Layne was delivered early and it took the doctors three minutes to get her breathing. Her parents noticed that she preferred her left side around 6 months and it was determined that she would need occupational therapy to help correct this. Layne's occupational therapist referred her family to Bee Mighty and, with the help of our grants, Layne is now a thriving three year old! **Learn more about Layne's mighty journey [here](#).**



Bee Excited For These Events!



The Bee Something for Bee Mighty Gala is scheduled for Saturday, November 2nd, 2019! We would like to send out a special thanks to The Charlotte Hornets, Genesis of Concord, The Riverside Company, Pampers, Wells Fargo, Pediatrix Medical Group, Carolina Kinder Development, Houston Charitable Fund, Snapperhead Tools, Branham & DeBorde Wealth Management, Corey & Caroline Wilhelm, Jake & Kristy Ward and CSI Properties for helping to sponsor this wonderful event that raises so much money for our Mighty Bees. **You can learn more about sponsorships [here](#)** if you would like to join those already sponsoring this wonderful evening of dinner, dancing, and auctions!!

Belk Charity Sale is back again! We are participating in Belk's Charity Back to School Sale on August 23rd, 2019. All proceeds from our ticket sales go directly to Bee Mighty! Included in your ticket is a \$5 coupon for shopping at Belk, and you get to participate in one of Belk's biggest sales of the year. With your charity day sale ticket, you'll receive 25 percent off rarely discounted brands such as Lilly Pulitzer, Jack Rogers, Free People and so many more! **You can purchase your tickets for the sale [here](#).**





If you are in Colorado, please join us to Climb for a Cause! We will be hiking Grays Peak and Torreys Peak, Colorado's 9th and 11th highest peaks on Saturday, August 3rd 2019. Your registration fee includes a t-shirt, breakfast and of course bragging rights! Hope to see you there! **Sign up [here](#).**

Bee Mighty is a 501c3 charitable organization providing funding for medical therapy and equipment to Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU) graduates.

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