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Lincoln Park  
Community Shelter

## Lincoln Park Community Shelter News

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**Are you connected  
with LPCS?**



Lincoln Park Community Shelter has been chosen as Panache Boutique's charity of the month for November 2011.

To introduce you to Panache, we would like to invite you to an evening of food, fashion and fun on November 17 from 5:30-8:30. Appetizers and cocktails will be served, and 15% of the profit from the evening will be donated back to the LPCS.

During the month of December the staff, stop by the store and mention LPCS and 15% of all pre-tax purchases will be donated back to the Lincoln Park Community Shelter! Non-sale merchandise only.

Panache is an eclectic Lincoln Park boutique featuring accessories, jewelry, handbags, and clothing. Please visit [www.panachechicago.com](http://www.panachechicago.com) for more information or visit their blog, [www.panachechicago.blogspot.com](http://www.panachechicago.blogspot.com), and facebook page [www.facebook.com/panachechicago](http://www.facebook.com/panachechicago)

**A Taste of Fall A Great Success!**

*LPCS really did link some of us together in a special way.*

*I cannot imagine different and true friends having come my way in many other places with the depth of feelings we have for each other.*

--Mike, LPCS Graduate

### Wishlist

LPCS is in need of the following items:

- Toothpaste
- Toilet Paper
- Lip Balm
- Winter Gloves
- Winter Hats
- Hand Warmers

If you are able to make a donation, please contact Elli Krandel at [lpcsinfo@lpconline.org](mailto:lpcsinfo@lpconline.org) to schedule a time to drop them off. Thank you!



Volunteer



A huge thank you to everyone who contributed to the success of this year's A Taste of Fall event! Together we raised nearly \$17,000 to benefit the Lincoln Park Community Shelter! A special thanks to our Longevity Sponsors, Bank Financial and Bob and Mary DeCresce, as well as our Prosperity Sponsor, First American Bank. Also, thank you to International Label & Printing Co., Inc for generously donating their services to print the invitations.

For more details on this wonderful night and all of the generous sponsors and in-kind donors that helped make it possible, please visit our [blog](#)!

### Celebrate the Season with LPCS Holiday Cards!

Lincoln Park Community Shelter and Eclectik are partnering for your 2011 holiday cards! Choose from a variety of beautiful, color



designs and scenes to send to your friends and family this season. 10% of your purchase will go directly to the Lincoln Park Community Shelter. For more details, please click [here](#)!

### Volunteer Opportunities

## Spotlight: Leona Lee

Leona began volunteering with Lincoln Park Community Shelter through a Community Art class at The School of the Art Institute of Chicago where students came and worked with the guests to create a collaborative art piece. After the class wrapped up, she decided to continue on, teaching a weekly art class giving guests an outlet to express themselves. She has now been volunteering with us for seventeen months!

Leona says that her favorite thing about volunteering at the shelter is "The warm fuzzy feeling you get seeing someone surprise themselves with their creativity. When they are able to make a gift for a loved one with their own hands, it is really special."

The entire LPCS community was given a chance to see the fruits of Leona's labor this past August, when Leona helped the guests put on the first ever End-of-Summer Art Show and Reception. It was a huge success and a wonderful way to see the diverse artwork guests had created!...To hear more about Leona, please click [here](#).

Thank you for all of your help and support in October! Please email [LPCInfo@LPCOnline.org](mailto:LPCInfo@LPCOnline.org) or call (773) 549-6111 x 216 to sign up.

### Overnight Volunteers

There are several open overnights in November, so please take a look at the [Volunteer Information Center](#) to sign up if you haven't already. Thank you!!

Tuesday, November 8th  
Saturday, November 19th  
Sunday, November 20th  
Monday, November 21st  
Tuesday, November 22nd  
Wednesday, November 23rd  
Friday, November 25th

### Dinner Volunteers

Come spread some holiday cheer at LPCS and help us get dinners filled in December!

**Thursday, December 22nd**  
**Friday, December 23rd**  
**Sunday, December 25th**  
**Tuesday, December 27th**  
**Thursday, December 29th**

To sign up, contact Elli at [lpcinfo@lpcsonline.org](mailto:lpcinfo@lpcsonline.org).

### Sack Lunch Volunteers

The following sack lunch dates are available:

Tuesday, November 1st  
Wednesday, November 2nd  
Thursday, November 3rd  
Sunday, November 6th  
Monday, November 7th

### Daily Breakfast

There are many opportunities open to make daily breakfast. To see what dates are available, please log into the [Volunteer Information Center](#) or contact Elli at [lpcinfo@lpcsonline.org](mailto:lpcinfo@lpcsonline.org).

**Front Desk Volunteers** Sign up for your autumn front desk shifts! To see what shifts are available check out the [Volunteer Information Center](#).

Thank you for volunteering!

