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## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### November 24-28

Store to Door will be closed the week of Thanksgiving.

### December 22 - January 2

We will be closed for the holidays.

### March 19, 2015

Store to Door's 25th Anniversary Gala & Auction, Nourish + Connect, presented by

**Fred Meyer**

## Dine Out Re-Cap

**Thank you to all of our wonderful supporters who ate out on September 9th to help raise funds and awareness for Store to Door's program. Thanks, also, to Ferguson Wellman Capital Management and Fred Meyer for sponsoring this delicious event!**

We were delighted to be supported by so many local businesses, including: Bernie's Southern Bistro, Chez Jose, KIVA, Lincoln, Pizzicato Pizza, Sal's Italian Kitchen, Salvador Molly's Roadhouse & Tiki Garden, Sunshine Tavern, and the Village Hut.

Tracy Frankel, owner of Pizzicato, Inc. says, "I've marveled at Store to Door's enthusiastic volunteers loading up Fred Meyer grocery carts. Knowing they've been providing this vital service for 25 years, it seemed fitting to help them continue their important mission."



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## 25 Years of Store to Door

Did you know that Store to Door was established in 1989? That means we've been serving the Portland community for 25 years. We estimate that in the last quarter of a century, 5,000 volunteers have helped us make over 130,000 grocery deliveries to 8,000 seniors and people with disabilities. This year, we received a Governor's Award which recognized



Store to Door as an Outstanding Nonprofit Volunteer Program. We hope you'll take a moment to celebrate the role you've played in delivering

nourishment and social connections to Portland area elders and in sustaining this award-winning program.

## OnPoint Supports-A-Day

A contribution from OnPoint Community Credit Union sponsored grocery delivery costs for 73 local seniors and people with disabilities on September 17th through Store to Door's new Support-A-Day program. Eight OnPoint employees

celebrated the day by grocery shopping for Store to Door clients, along with 14 other volunteers. Thanks, OnPoint, for contributing funds and volunteers to help Portland area seniors!

To learn how your business or community



group can Support-A-Day, contact Barb at 503-200-3333.

## Our Supporters

We are grateful to the foundations and corporations that have contributed to Store to Door so far this year:

- AARP • Chez Jose
- Collins Foundation
- Con-way • Dwyer Charitable Trust • Ferguson Wellman Capital Management
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## Client Profile: Ann Plasker

Ann is a self-described "plant-a-holic" who loves the Portland area. Before she retired, Ann held many jobs, ranging from word processing to occupational therapy, managing a Chamber of Commerce for

a town in Arizona, working in inside sales for an electrical supply agency, bartending, even driving an 18-wheeler truck. "I learned something from every one of the jobs that I wouldn't have learned any other

way," she said. Ann, 76, stopped driving due to eye problems and side effects of multiple sclerosis, and now uses a walker to get around. She says, "With Store to Door, it doesn't make me feel dependent on other people. It has helped me immensely."

Ann says, "Everyone is so kind at Store to Door. Of the agencies I've worked with, Store to Door is one of the best."



### Nourish + Connect

Save the date for Store to Door's 25th Anniversary Gala & Auction, Nourish + Connect, presented by Fred Meyer.

**What:** Drinks, dinner, live auction and more with your Store to Door community and Emcee Allison Clarke.

**When:** Thursday, 3/19/2015, 5:30–8:00pm.

**Where:** Castaway, 1900 NW 18th Ave

Tickets will be go on sale in January. We look forward to celebrating with you!



## A Story of Connection

It's impossible not to be inspired by the impact Bob Lustberg has made on Store to Door. "For twenty years," he says, "I called for orders, I shopped, and delivered orders, and I had the time of my life."

Bob also recruited long-time volunteers, such as Jean Pierce, a volunteer for over twenty years and a current Store to Door board member. He recruited fellow Washington Park Host Ann Dalton, a volunteer shopper for over 12 years who

is now a Store to Door client. "Bob is indefatigable," Ann says, recollecting how he volunteered in so many roles for Store to Door, "he is so positive and

**Bob's professional experience in the grocery business made him a great mentor and a sounding board for me through the years.**  
**-Helen Bernstein, Retired Store to Door Executive Director**

conscientious."

Bob has also been a generous financial supporter of Store to Door. He often suggests family and friends donate to

Store to Door for his birthdays or holidays. "Having been in the food business, I know what it costs for supermarkets to deliver," he says, "With Store to Door,

they are doing it for such a small amount. I know that the money is going to a good cause."



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