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“We saw fresh excitement from ET volunteers and a from our volunteers and a willingness to step in to help. In fact, a few volunteers enjoyed meeting and working with volunteers not normally on their same work team,” Estate Treasures volunteer Jackie Jutchess said.

An affiliate of Compass Regional Hospice, Estate Treasures has been raising money for hospice care and grief support provided in Queen Anne’s County for more than 25 years. The proceeds from the September sale will benefit Compass Regional Hospice, which offers individuals, families and the community "Care on your terms" through comprehensive, professional and compassionate end-of-life care and grief support.

Compass Regional Hospice takes care of infants and children, as well as adults in need of its programs, which in addition to hospice care include grief counseling and support groups, and patients are never turned away based on an inability to pay for services. Because of this, there is a \$1.4 million funding gap between what the organization receives in service payments and the actual cost of care provided.

The warehouse sale will feature furniture, sports equipment, kitchen appliances, tools, area rugs, light fixtures and lamps, children's clothing and toys, and lawn and garden items. Estate Treasures again is accepting these items for donation, in good, working condition. Contact the store for details about dropping off donations.

Items not acceptable for donation are treadmills and stationary bikes, TVs, medical equipment, large appliances, mattresses, used building materials, computers and computer equipment, tires, used automotive or boat parts, and books.

For more information about Estate Treasures, contact Kenda Leager, development officer, Compass Regional Hospice, at 443-262-4106 or kleager@compassregionalhospice.org. For more information about volunteering with Estate Treasures, which is run entirely through volunteer leadership, contact Courtney Williams, manager of volunteer and professional services, Compass Regional Hospice, at 443-262-4112 or cwilliams@compassregionalhospice.org.

Estate Treasures, 17 Kent Towne Market, Chester, can be reached at 410-643-7360. The shop is open from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Saturday.

Compass Regional Hospice – Care on your terms

Compass Regional Hospice is a fully licensed, independent, community-based nonprofit organization certified by Medicare and the state of Maryland and accredited by the Joint Commission. Since 1985, Compass Regional Hospice has been dedicated to supporting people of all ages through the challenge of living with a life-limiting illness and learning to live following the death of a loved one. Today, the organization is a regional provider of hospice care and grief support in Queen Anne's, Kent and Caroline counties. "Care on your terms" is the promise that guides staff and volunteers as they care for patients in private residences, nursing homes, assisted living facilities and the residential hospice centers in Centreville and Chestertown. Grief support services are offered to children, adults and families of patients who died under hospice care, as well as members of the community who are grieving the loss of a loved one, through The Hope and Healing Center. For more information about Compass Regional Hospice, visit compassregionalhospice.org.

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