



Pictured above: From left, Michael Perdoni, Regional Vice President, Clinical Operations; Frank Vozos, MD, FACS, Past President and CEO, MMCSC; Jonathan Tango, Regional Vice President, Support Operations; and Eric Carney, President and CEO, MMCSC and Monmouth Medical Center.

With a long history of supporting Monmouth Medical Center Southern Campus (MMCSC), more than 116 golfers participated in the 19th Annual Golf Classic. Held August 22nd, at Eagle Oaks Golf and Country Club in Farmingdale, proceeds again benefited cancer programs and services. "We are so grateful for the support of all of our sponsors, golfers, volunteers and guests," said Dr. Philip Passes, Chief Administrative Officer, MMC and MMCSC. "Without their continued generosity and commitment to the hospital, we would not be able to raise the funds necessary to support our growing cancer programs that serve our surrounding community."

For more information on upcoming events, call the Foundation at 732-886-GIFT(4438) or visit the website at monmouthsouthgiving.org

Support MMC South with a chance to win a car!

The Foundation is holding a raffle drawing for a 2022 Land Rover Discovery Sport Vehicle on Wednesday, December 14. Only 2,000 tickets at \$100 each will be sold. Get yours today by calling 732-886-4564. The winner does not need to be present at the drawing.

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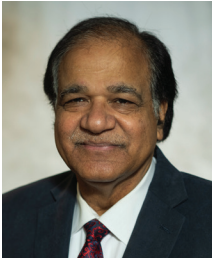
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Supporters Celebrated

Three key supporters of Monmouth Medical Center Southern Campus (MMCSC) were chosen to be honored as a highlight of this year's Gala event. These generous honorees have long-standing histories of leadership and dedication to the local community. They are:



Avinash Gupta, MD serves as Chief of Cardiology at MMCSC, with his wife, Geeta, practicing internal medicine at his side. The community has benefited from his medical and leadership skills since he arrived in 1994. The couple recently helped set up COVID-19 clinics in India through a regional organization, and Dr. Gupta also organized volunteers from the Monmouth and Ocean County Association of Physicians from India to administer COVID-19 vaccines locally. Dr. Gupta's commitment to health and well-being has been critical to ensuring that the local community has access to the best clinical care.



The Pine Belt name has been a staple in the community for more than 80 years. Three generations of the Sickel family have provided unwavering local philanthropy. **Robert Sickel**, Pine Belt Enterprises, serves as Chairman of the MMCSC Foundation and a trustee of the Monmouth Medical Center/MMCSC Foundation Board of Trustees. He has also hosted events such as Flavors of the Jersey Shore, an October food-and-wine event that benefits services highlighted during Breast Cancer Awareness Month. His hard work and dedication have been a vital part of MMCSC's success.



Now president of a family real estate investment and brokerage firm in Lakewood, **Alan Krupnick** has been a licensed real estate broker since 1975 with extensive experience in Ocean County. He serves on numerous community boards, including the MMCSC Foundation Board of Trustees. His support of MMCSC includes a generous gift that commemorates his mother, Charlotte, known for her decades-long investments of time and dedication to the hospital. He also honored his father, Sydney, and his longstanding legacy in the greater Lakewood community. The Krupnick family's generosity has been critical to ensuring that the Ocean County area has access to the best clinical care.



Keeping Brains Healthy in the Community

Community Health Education, together with the MMCSC Foundation and the Fairways Auxiliary hosted a free "Keeping Your Brain Healthy as you Age" Lunch & Learn to more than 160 guests at the Fairways in Lakewood. Special thanks to Abhijit Chatterjee, MD, geriatrician at the James and Sharemon Maida Geriatrics Institute, Jennifer Klein and Caregiver Volunteers of Central Jersey, Francine Panella, for being part of such an informative panel, and to Laura Gallo, Regional Program Director, Oncology Outreach and Education who staffed an informational table.

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