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Matthew Thayer, President

Board of Directors Approves Executive Board Slate

The Board of Directors of Memory Care Home Solutions announced the new slate of officers for the Executive Committee.

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“The new slate of officers under the leadership of Matt Thayer embodies the vitality of the organization, the spirit of the mission and the energy to expand out service to help caregivers in need. Our newly installed Executive Board has the creativity and vision to partner and help the organization prosper. We’re honored to have each one of them in a key role as we enter 2011.” - Lisa Baron, Founder and Executive Director, Memory Care Home Solutions

About Memory Care Home Solutions

Memory Care Home Solutions is a non-profit organization that exists to extend and improve quality time at home for families caring for loved ones with memory loss, dementia, or Alzheimer’s disease. We come to you; no diagnosis is necessary for our consultation; and our services are made available regardless of ability to pay. Our professionals train families regarding safety of the living environment, provide strategies for addressing difficult behaviors, and offer suggestions for maintaining appropriate levels of independence in your loved one, all with the ultimate goal of reducing caregiver stress. To ensure families continue to benefit after our initial consultation, we schedule follow-up phone conferences throughout the year, and our professionals are always available to discuss concerns family caregivers may have. Founded in 2002 by a family caregiver, and later funded with a generous grant from the Missouri Foundation for Health, Memory Care Home Solutions fills a critical in-home support and training void for caregivers. Washington University in St. Louis collaborates with the organization to evaluate outcome success. For more information, please contact Erin Kelley at (314) 645-6247, via email ekelley@memorycarehs.org or visit www.memorycarehs.org.