VICTORIA STRAUSS FOUNDATION newsletter

Dear Friends,
As we step into a new season of hope and community, we're thrilled to remind you that our 2nd Annual Fashion Show is just around the corner. This cherished event has become one of our favorite ways to gather, celebrate, and uplift families in need, and this year promises to be especially meaningful. We'll enjoy **a lovely morning filled with fashion**, vibrant performances by **Attitudes in Dance,** and **insights from two inspiring women** who will share their stories of strength and resilience. Guests can also look forward to a **fun raffle**, an exciting **wine pull**, and a silent auction with treasures you won't want to miss. We can't wait to share this beautiful morning with you. But the true heart of the morning — the moment that brings us all together — will be our **presentation to a family facing a devastating loss**. The Victoria Strauss Foundation provides financial support, emotional encouragement, and community connection. Your presence and support help us wrap this family in compassion, stability, and hope during an unimaginably difficult time. When we come together — to celebrate and to support, we create something truly meaningful. And in closing, I want to take a moment to personally thank every single person who pours their time, energy, and heart into the Victoria Strauss Foundation. This work is possible because of the extraordinary people who show up day after day with compassion and commitment. To my nieces, who are always working behind the scenes, and to the many friends who give their time so generously — please know how deeply appreciated you are. Every hour you volunteer, every idea you bring forward, every effort you make is a reflection of your commitment to the Victoria Strauss Foundation and the legacy Victoria left behind. This foundation is built on love. It is carried forward by people who believe in lifting others up, even in the darkest moments. Victoria's spirit lives on in this work — and in each of you. Thank you for being part of this mission, for honoring Victoria's legacy, and for helping us bring light to people who need it most, supporting them as they meet their hardship with dignity, comfort, and hope. It is through my loss, I find peace in helping others. And, I believe we are just getting started..

Susie Strauss Dodson
Founder, Victoria Strauss Foundation

Victoria's **FASHION SHOW**

March 7th, 2026
11am-1pm
Plantation Golf & Country Club
500 Rockley Blvd.
Venice, Florida

We still have tickets available and hope to see you there! Bring a friend or two, or a whole table full, for a wonderful afternoon of community!

Ticket includes:

- Soup & Salad Luncheon
- Array of Desserts
- Glass of Champagne
- A curated fashion show
- Motivational speakers
- Opportunities to show love, joy, and support to a local family

http://vsf.cbo.io

Limited Edition Sale: Every Tote Bag purchase makes an impact with all proceeds going to help empower and inspire young adults. Make sure to get yours before they are sold out! These are so cute, mid-size cream canvas and burlap, with many fonts and scarf colors options. We have sold more than half of our stock. Pre-Order on our website to make sure you get one! We will bring to the Fashion Show but can make other arrangements if you can't be there! Price: **1 for $15, 2 for $25** (includes scarf), OR Personalized with name or initials, **1 for $20, 2 for $35**. To pre-order or get personalized, order by March 1st.

3rd Annual Tennis Clinic: THANK YOU to Clark Gibson for organizing and running the clinic again this year! This event was a big success with 18 people coming together for tennis drills, refreshments, and plenty of fun and laughter! The event raised $1000 for VSF!

WE NEED YOUR HELP on our social media pages!
Are you following us on Facebook and Instagram? If you are not, please find our pages and follow! We are trying to increase our reach and your help is imperative! Liking, sharing, and commenting on our content helps our algorithms find others. It's a small but mighty way you can help the mission of VSF!

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