



# Memphis Jewish Home and Rehabilitation Center

## YAD Brings the Casino to Residents of the Home

**Cordova, TN, February 4, 2008** - The Young Adult Department of Memphis Jewish Federation organized and ran a Casino Day at Memphis Jewish Home and Rehabilitation Center Sunday afternoon January 27<sup>th</sup>. Almost 50 residents enjoyed games of blackjack, roulette, and poker run by volunteers from YAD. Although the games were just for fun and not real money, residents thoroughly enjoyed themselves. Staff members were on hand to serve snacks and “mocktails”. Plenty of family members of residents were there as well.

Kathy Wexler was in charge of organizing the event. She made arrangements for the game tables, gaming chips, and decorations as well as recruited a great group of volunteers to help out.

In addition to Kathy, her husband Michael and daughter, Mollie, the following folks were on hand to help: Billie Pelts, Jana Ballin, Ira Lipsey, Jodie Faber, Mark LaVene, Molly Wexler, Andrea Gepner, Jill and Scott Shanker, Marci Hirsch, Stephanie Mintz, Steven Rovinsky, Erin Taylor, Zach Albert, Manny Karkowsky, Karen and Eve Ullman, Yoni Freiden, Lauren Grossman, and Heather, Jeff, Rachel and Hannah Lebensburger.

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