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"Hospice of Orleans - Volunteer of the Year"

**Albion NY:** At the Annual Meeting /Volunteer Recognition Luncheon, many volunteers were acknowledged for their outstanding contribution to the services of Hospice of Orleans. 143 volunteers contributed over 2,400 hours during 2008 providing assistance with patient care, office support, maintenance and garden care.

Congratulations to Ceil Feldman who gives constantly of her time and energy. "She showers her patients with home grown produce, fresh eggs as well as delicious cookies and desserts. Most importantly she shares her gift of humor and always seems to find a way to make them smile" stated Chris Fancher, Volunteer Coordinator.

Our heartfelt thank you to Ceil and all hospice volunteers for making a difference - one life at a time



Photo Caption: Cecelia "Ceil" Feldman receives Volunteer of the Year Award.

"Hospice of Orleans – The Mary Janet Sahukar Award"

**Albion NY:** It was the vision and dedication of Mary Janet Sahukar that resulted in Hospice of Orleans starting in Albion in 1999. In recognition, Hospice now awards this special accolade to someone, who like Mary Janet goes above and beyond the call of duty.

For the last nine years, Bob Stirk has been involved in every aspect of care and maintenance of hospice property. "At off site events, he has the title of master tent erector and you can be sure that he always arrives prepared for the job in hand" stated Cora Goyette, Development Director. "Add painting decorating, plumbing and mowing and this still does not cover the full extent of his expertise".



Photo Caption: Robert Stirk, 2009 Mary Janet Sahukar Award winner