



PEACE at HOME
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The official newsletter for supporters of
Peace at Home Family Shelter

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2026 AT A GLANCE

This summer, we are reminded of the strength and courage that make our community so special. Every day at Peace at Home Family Shelter, we see people heal and find hope thanks to our caring supporters, the bravery of survivors, and our hard-working team.

In the first half of 2026, we replaced the fence and roof of the shelter damaged by storms of 2025, raised \$5,000 in honor of NWA Gives Day for the Candy Clark Pet Sanctuary thanks to Nestlé Purina Pet Care Company, and started a partnership with 911 Cell Phone Bank to offer free, emergency cellphones to clients in need. Additionally, Peace at Home's legal team has helped survivors secure \$386,261 in legal financial support so far in 2026!

Whether you've been with us for years, just joined our community, or are on your own journey to safety, we want you to know: you are an important part of our work to help families feel safe again. Thank you for your support. We couldn't do this without you.

COMMUNITY OUTREACH

Since January, our team has hosted, attended, or tabled at many incredible community events.

Some of our favorite events of the year so far include: The UofA Volunteer Action Center events, Crafts & Activities at Six Twelve Coffeehouse, and our May baseball game with the NWA Naturals!



Taylor Reed, Communications Manager, tabling at the NWA Naturals' "Safe at Home" baseball game.



For the safety of our clients, survivor names and photos have been changed to protect their identities.

YOUR HELP CHANGES LIVES

Last spring, Peace at Home's Legal Team was able to help a woman get divorced. As a result of that divorce, this survivor received full custody of her baby. She was then able to move into safe, secure housing.

1 year later, we received the following update from her along with permission to share her accomplishments:

"I started my dream job Monday," she said. "I am back working in the medical field. And I am making REALLY good money."

This family not only escaped violence and found a safe place to call home, but this brave woman was able to start her dream job and ultimately achieve financial stability. It is thanks to your support that survivors like her are able to break the cycle of violence and free themselves from harm for good.

Thank you for standing with survivors of domestic violence and for believing safety for all. Because of your support, we are able to make a difference.

STAFF SPOTLIGHT

Meet Danielle! As an Outreach Advocate, Danielle connects clients with resources in the community they are wanting to reside in, provides domestic violence education, and connects clients with community partners in Northwest Arkansas.

Danielle has been at Peace at Home for 3 ½ years! When asked what our mission means to her, Danielle had this to say:

"To me, our mission encapsulates the work we all try to accomplish every time we come to work. Making sure survivors rediscover their right to self-determination is extremely important to us all as it's vital to everyone cultivating a life that's safe and matters to them."



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