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## Media Release

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### Summer Fundraising Trilogy

Edie and Dennis Demshar have supported many worthwhile causes in the past. This spring, the owners of Demshar's Restaurant in Spanish Springs invited others to join them in supporting House of Hope, a nonprofit, faith-based ministry providing a residential substance abuse recovery program for men.

With the Demshars telling the compelling story of House of Hope, a group of eight was formed with a goal of raising funds for the program through special events. At each meeting of the "Demshar Group" the plans grew and a goal was set to host 3 events during the summer.

The First Annual Summer Fundraising Trilogy will kick off on Saturday, June 23<sup>rd</sup> with a Pancake Breakfast from 7:00-11:00 a.m. at Demshar's Restaurant in Spanish Springs. Tickets for the event are \$10.00 in advance or \$12.00 at the door.

The second event will be a Bowling Tournament on Saturday, July 14<sup>th</sup> at Fiesta Bowl. There will be "flights" at 1:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. Tickets are \$15.00 each and include 3 games, shoe and ball rental, and a pizza party.

A Golf Outing on Monday, August 6<sup>th</sup> at The Lopez Legacy Country Club will be the final event of the Trilogy. The entry fee is \$100 per person which also includes a ticket to the awards banquet on August 7<sup>th</sup> at Hope Lutheran Church.

For additional information please visit [www.demshars.com](http://www.demshars.com) or [www.houseofhopefl.org](http://www.houseofhopefl.org).