

Friends of Dan Gala To Benefit Dan Dickerson

Saturday, August 22, 2009, 7-10:30PM

Generation's Hall

10 Andrew Higgins Drive, N.O., LA

\$50 Per Person

**Adult Reception includes open bar and food buffet
Silent & Live Auctions, Raffle**

Entertainment by the Rockenbraughs

Make Checks Payable to the Friends in Need Foundation

On February 27, 2009, Metairie resident, William "Dan" Dickerson was seriously injured in a snow skiing accident that has left him paralyzed. For Dan, his wife Susan and their twin sons, Patrick and Ryan, the accident quickly changed their family routine.

As a result of the accident, Dan, an engineer (with John H. Carter Company), an avid outdoorsman and founding member of the New Orleans Metro Area Mountain Bike Association (NOMAMBA); has been a patient at the highly respected Craig Hospital in Denver, CO to receive occupational and physical therapy in preparation for his return to New Orleans.

The close knit community of New Orleans has responded quickly. A group of family, friends, neighbors and co-workers have already begun efforts to assist the Dickerson Family with this transition in their lives. The first of many goals is to assist with housing needs, a handicapped accessible van, specially designed wheelchair and other special needs equipment.

The Gala is being organized with the direction of Friends In Need, a 501 (c) (3) public charity.

Your purchase of Gala Tickets, donation of an auction or raffle item, food/beverage or financial contribution will be a tremendous help to these fundraising efforts.

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