

**CPI of Atlanta continues to hold a benefit card party in lieu of an actual Walk-A-Thon to raise money for The Foundation. While we were renting a county senior center and preparing the luncheon ourselves, this venture became too expensive and we made a very minimal profit.**

**We have found that a local senior retirement community Delmar Gardens of Gwinnett is active in community affairs. They have allowed us to hold our benefit card party at their facility free of any rental, and they provide the morning snacks and a wonderful luncheon as well! This means that our only cost is furnishing the cards and score pads, advertising the event, and providing door prizes. We have held two events at Delmar Gardens, and they have been very helpful in planning the events. Our regular attendees are always asking when we are having another benefit card party!**

**We also take this opportunity to display credit education materials free of charge during Credit Education Month. We order the materials from the Federal Reserve and other government sources to make them available.**

**Delmar Gardens is also planning a cancer walk, and we made a donation to their walk as a thank you for helping us with our benefit card parties. This was announced at our benefit and attendees also contributed to their walk.**

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**Providing clothes and toys for Clayton County Department of Family and Children Services is continued by CPI of Atlanta during the Christmas holidays. We call this our Angel Project, and our contributions are greatly appreciated to help foster children have Christmas gifts.**