

## **MEDIA ADVISORY**

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**  
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**Children's Hospice International and Windber Hospice to Pay Tribute to  
U.S. Congressman and Mrs. John P. Murtha**  
*Dedication of a Sculpture Garden Honoring the Murthas' Long and Unwavering Support  
of Children with Life-threatening Conditions and Their Families to Take Place*

**When:** May 27, 2003  
10:00 a.m.

**Where:** On the knoll bridging Windber Hospice & The Joyce Murtha  
Breast Care Center, Windber, PA

### **Scheduled Participants:**

- U.S. Congressman John P. Murtha (D-PA)
- Joyce Murtha
- Ann Armstrong-Dailey, Founding Director & CEO, Children's Hospice International (CHI)
- David Klementik, Chairman, Board of Directors, Windber Medical Center
- F. Nicholas Jacobs, President & CEO, Windber Medical Center
- Frankie Bock, Co-founder, Windber Hospice
- Douglas Gardner, Windber Medical Center
- David Weimer, Sculptor

CHI<sup>®</sup> is an Alexandria, VA based non-profit organization founded in 1983 to promote hospice support through pediatric care facilities providing community-based programs and resources for children with life-threatening conditions and their families. CHI also provides education, training and technical assistance to the healthcare professionals who care for this patient population. CHI's website, [www.chionline.org](http://www.chionline.org)—which you are invited to visit—offers information on pediatric palliative and hospice care and an international directory of children's hospice, palliative and end-of-life programs and organizations.

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