

# ACH All Star Who Believes in Community Involvement

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Tapped as an Arkansas Children's Hospital (ACH) All Star, Aubrey Maynard has come full circle since her first encounter with ACH. Aubrey is 10 years old and contracted viral pneumonia at the age of two years old. At two, she was diagnosed by her local pediatrician and sent immediately to ACH when her condition worsened. She stayed in ACH for twelve days. A second diagnosis of asthma followed and over the years, her asthma symptoms have decreased. She now takes medication only as she needs it.

joined Circle of Friends (COF) for ACH and raised over \$1000 in Circle of Friends "You've Been Suckered" campaign. Aubrey's dedication to this endeavor will help other children in her community through her fundraising efforts for ACH. Aubrey is the daughter of Justin and Susan Maynard. She has a sister, Caroline, who is 6 years old.

Fortunately, her dancing skills have blossomed and dealing with asthma has not slowed her down. Using her hard-earned skills, Aubrey has performed in three productions with the Texarkana Community Ballet. She hopes to help other young people develop a love for dancing and to have a studio of her own one day.

Part of Aubrey's ACH involvement as an ACH All Star includes community outreach. Aubrey

*Aubrey Maynard, left, presents her donation of over \$1000 to Carley Buxton, Chairman of Circle of Friends, toward the "You've Been Suckered Campaign".*



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