

Lovely wins Hobe Sound Community Service Award

Martin County educator Mary Lee Lovely has been honored with the 2008 Hobe Sound Community Service Award. Harry Charlston, president of the Community Chest, made the presentation.

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The Community Service Award is given annually by the Hobe Sound Community Chest in recognition of significant social-services contributions to the community by an individual or organization. It is accompanied by a \$5,000 contribution from the Community Chest to a charitable organization of the honoree's choice.

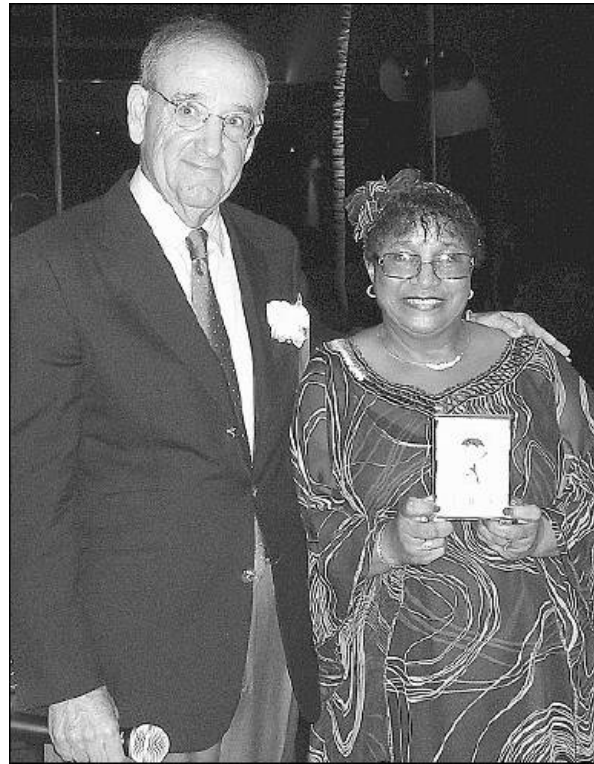
Lovely, an educator for more than 36 years,

has been involved in community service for several years. Her leadership and determination brought together the Children's Services Council and the Hobe Sound Community Chest to launch a Martin County youth program at Hobe Sound's Banner Lake Civic Center.

The program, BLAST (Banner Lake After School Time), provides educational, cultural and leisure activities for elementary-school children during the summer and after school. Lovely has been president of the Banner Lake Civic Center for 14 years.

In presenting the award, Charlston said, "Mrs. Lovely's life has been one of service to others."

Throughout Martin County, Lovely has helped several foundations and boards.



Harry Charlston and Mary Lee Lovely