

# City of Bristol Tennessee

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## **10<sup>th</sup> Annual Heroes Ball**

### **Slated for Viking Hall Civic Center**

The annual Heroes Ball basketball game played each year for charity with teams from Bristol Virginia and Tennessee's Fire and Police Departments is scheduled for Friday, March 12, 2010 at 7:30 PM in Viking Hall Civic Center. This year the funds raised by gate donation will go to the Haven of Rest in Bristol Tennessee.

The Haven of Rest is a rescue mission that provides a helping hand to those in need in the Tri-Cities area. The mission provides shelter, clothing, food and counseling for men, women and children.

Each year this friendly, but very competitive basketball game played between Bristol's heroes, is one that is looked forward to by everyone participating. For weeks prior to the game each of the four teams has the opportunity to practice on the home court at Viking Hall. To date, Bristol Tennessee holds the command of the Heroes Ball trophy which may be displayed at the winning Fire and Police departments for the year. Each year a MVP is chosen from each of the two games. These players are each awarded a trophy.

The public is invited to attend. A \$3 dollar donation is suggested at the door.