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## Maggie Varney

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### Executive Summary

I currently serve as the Founder & CEO of **Wigs 4 Kids** and President & Owner of **Go Green Salon**.

### Experience

- **2010 to current year** – Go Green Salon; St. Clair Shores, MI; Owner-President
- **2003 to current year** - Wigs 4 Kids; St. Clair Shores, MI; Founder & CEO
- **2003 to current year** – Look Good...Feel Better Teen Program Facilitator
- **1991 -1998** - Creating a Total Image; St. Clair Shores, MI; Founder-Facilitator
- **1989 to current year** - Look Good...Feel Better; Program Facilitator
- **1987 – 2009** – Sophisti-Cuts; St. Clair Shores, MI; Owner-President
- **1984 -1987** - Maggie's Hair Design; St. Clair Shores, MI; Owner-Designer
- **1981 -1983** - Face Framers; Warren, MI; Designer
- **1978 -1981** - Magic Touch; St. Clair Shores, MI; Educational Director-Designer
- **1966 -1977** - During this period, while raising my family, I worked part-time as a designer at Bart Edmond Salon and Leon's Salon of Grosse Pointe, MI.

### Education & Certification

- Michigan Non-profit Association
- Federal Funding Certification
- AFP Midwest Conference
- Fred Pryor Finance and Accounting & Event Planning
- Michigan Business Professional Association
- New Detroit Grant Workshop
- Youth Development Commission
- Trichotillomania Learning Center
- Non-profit Management Mentoring
- DTE Energy Foundation Leaders Circles
- Detroit Executive Service Corps
- Ritz Carlton seminar: The Best in Class Symposium
- Nonprofit Financial Funding, United Way
- The Grantsmanship Center – Grant Writing Certification
- Hair Restoration Instructor Certification
- American Cancer Society – Look Good...Feel Better Certification
- Licensed Cosmetologist, State of Michigan
- Excel Academy, Trevor Sorbie & Nexus National Design Team platform artist
- Macomb College; Associates Degree in Business, Cosmetology Management
- Make-up Artist; Photography, Television, and Theater
- Redken Laboratories, Inc., Vidal Sassoon Academy, Pivot Pointe International, Bruno's International

### Cosmetology Shows

*Throughout my career, I have attended all major manufacturer & local trade shows.*

**International Cosmetology Show**  
**Hair World International**

## Special Achievements

**2012** – Best and Brightest Wellness Champions – MBPA for Wigs 4 Kids  
**2012** – Nominated for the Athena Award – Macomb Chamber  
**2012** – 101 Best and Brightest Sustainable Companies – MBPA for Go Green Salon  
**2011** – Inducted into the Macomb Hall of Fame  
**2011** – Honored with the Art Van Hope Award  
**2011** – Recognized in the Industry Source Magazine for being green.  
**2009** – Michiganian of the Year – Detroit Free Press  
**2008** – Soroptimist International of Grosse Pointe – Making a Difference for Women Award  
**2007** - Governor’s Service Award Nominee-Wigs 4 Kids  
**2006** - Governor’s Service Award Nominee-Maggie Varney  
**2005** - Women Who Make Magic Award  
**2005** - Champions Award – Optimist Club  
**2005** - Co-creator and Educator for Children’s Hospital of Michigan Teen Program  
**2003** - Outstanding volunteer of the year award, Macomb County Board of Commissioners  
**2003** - Look Good Feel Better Teen Facilitator  
**2002** - Free Press Favorite Michigan Web Sites  
**1999** - Career and Technical Educator for Macomb County  
**1999** - American Cancer Society’s Relay for Life  
**1995 & 1999** - Designers Award – Martin Parsons International  
**1994** - Who’s Who Woman of the Year Award.  
**1991** - Dale Carnegie Outstanding Speaker Award

*Numerous (more than 100) hairdressing awards over the course of my career*

## Affiliations

American Cancer Society – Look Good...Feel Better Program  
Barbers & Cosmetologists Union, Vice-Chair  
Business America, Member  
Macomb Chamber, Member  
Michigan Cosmetology Association, Member  
Michigan Non-Profit Association, Member  
Michigan Business and Professional Association, Member  
National Cosmetology Association, Member

## Hobbies

Biking, cooking, reading, and spending time with my grandchildren.

**References available upon request.**