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ALLEN COUNTY

BALL PARK CLEAN UP: FRED HAIL BALL PARK

DATE: JULY 30TH

Details: volunteers are needed for 2 hours between 10am-12pm to help clean up Fred Hail Ball Park. This project will help beautify our area for Scottsville residents!

Notes:

- Located at KY-3500
- Outdoor project
- Dress for outdoor weather
- Supplies will be provided

This project will be completed by J.M. Smucker Company

BORN LEARNING TRAIL ENHANCEMENT AT DUGAS PARK: UNITED WAY OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

DATE: JULY 28TH

Details: 4-6 volunteers are needed for 2-4 hours between 10am-12pm to complete this project. Volunteers will scrub signs down with soap and water, touch up art, and add new artwork to Dugas Park.

Notes:

- Located at 456 Burnley Rd
- Outdoor project
- Dress for outdoor weather
- Supplies will be provided

This project will be completed by J.M. Smucker Company

HANDYMAN JOBS: THE HIVE II

Details: 5-10 volunteers are needed for 4-6 hours between 8am-4pm to help paint and install our new front door, fix a leaky sink drain, toilets that need tightening, garage doors that need a new seal, and a wall panel on the covered patio that needs to be nailed back up. This project allows us to supplement the cost of these repairs for our mission at The Hive.

Notes:

- Located at 720 N 4th St
- Indoor/Outdoor project
- Lunch will be provided
- Dress for outdoor weather
- Supplies needed: basic household tools
- Supplies provided: paint, brushes, step ladder, seal for garage doors

This project will be completed by

NAIL SALON AT ALLEN COUNTY SENIOR CENTER: BARREN RIVER AREA DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT

Details: 1-5 volunteers are needed for 2-4 hours between 8am-12pm to help paint the nails of our residents. Senior centers are meant to be a location where seniors 60+ can congregate together, eat a meal, and socialize. The intention is to keep seniors in their homes and as healthy and independent as long as they possibly can be. This project will assist in helping the seniors feel special and loved.

- Located at 25 J.L. Turner and Son Place
- Indoor project
- Supplies needed: nail polish and other nail supplies
- Minimum Age: 18+

This project will be completed by The Bungalows at Bowling Green

SMUCKER'S ICE CREAM SOCIAL: CAL TURNER REHAB & SPECIALTY CARE

DATE: JULY 29TH

Details: 10-15 Smucker's staff volunteers between 1-2pm will serve ice cream and Smucker's toppings to Cal Turner residents and staff members.

Notes:

- Located at 336 N Bedelia St
- Indoor project
- Volunteers are asked to bring ice cream and Smucker's toppings
- Bowls, scoops, spoons, and napkins will be provided
- Dress casual
- Parents required with youth

This project will be completed by J.M. Smucker Company

BARREN COUNTY

BACK2SCHOOL BASH AT GLASGOW PRESCHOOL ACADEMY: UNITED WAY OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

DATE: AUGUST 20TH

Details: 2 volunteers needed for 2-3 hours between 4-7pm to represent United Way at Glasgow Preschool Academy's Back2School Bash. Volunteers will help sign parents up for ParentPowered, Dolly Parton's Imagination Library, and provide parents with Born Learning Trail information. The event time is from 4:30pm-6:30pm with set up at 4pm.

Notes:

- Indoor project
- All supplies will be provided

This project will be completed by Cecilian Bank

BINGO AT PARK CITY SENIOR CENTER: BARREN RIVER AREA DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT

Details: 1-5 volunteers are needed for 1-2 hours between 8am-12pm to help host a bingo event for our seniors. Bingo is a popular activity in this center and will enhance social well-being of the seniors in attendance.

Notes:

- Located at 24201 Louisville Rd
- Indoor project
- Supplies needed: bingo prizes, bingo cards, and daubers

This project will be completed by Benefits Resource Group

PARENTPOWERED SIGN UPS AT LET'S GO PLAY ACADEMY: UNITED WAY OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

Details: 1-2 volunteers are needed for 3.5 hours from 2-5:30pm to help sign parents up for ParentPowered. After signing up, parents will receive weekly text messages regarding their child's development. This initiative is geared towards parents with children aged 0-5.

Notes:

- Located at 218 Parkview Dr
- Indoor project
- Supplies provided: ParentPowered sign up forms, clipboard, pens, table

This project will be completed by Charles M. Moore Agency

PARENTPOWERED SIGN UPS AT WATCH ME GROW LEARNING CENTER: UNITED WAY OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

Details: 1-2 volunteers are needed for 3 hours from 3-6pm to help sign parents up for ParentPowered. After signing up, parents will receive weekly text messages regarding their child's development. This initiative is geared towards parents with children aged 0-5.

Notes:

- Located at 219 Reynolds Rd
- Indoor project
- Supplies provided: ParentPowered sign up forms, clipboard, pens, table

This project will be completed by SKYCTC

BUTLER COUNTY

PARENTPOWERED SIGN UPS AT CATERPILLAR LANE: UNITED WAY OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

Details: 1-2 volunteers are needed for 3 hours from 2-5pm to help sign parents up for ParentPowered. After signing up, parents will receive weekly text messages regarding their child's development. This initiative is geared towards parents with children aged 0-5.

Notes:

- Located at 205 E Ohio St
- Indoor project
- Supplies provided: ParentPowered sign up forms, clipboard, pens, table

This project will be completed by TVA

211 CANVASSING: UNITED WAY OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

Details: 5-10 volunteers will canvas the community by attaching 211 door hangers to the front doors of multiple neighborhoods. 211 is a confidential information and referral service that is available 24/7 to help individuals with financial assistance and other programs.

Notes:

- Outdoor project
- Supplies will be provided
- Wear comfortable shoes for walking

This project will be completed by Butler County Schools and The City of Morgantown

LOGAN COUNTY

HYGIENE COLLECTION DRIVE: LOGAN COUNTY GOOD SAMARITAN

Details: Logan County Good Samaritan is seeking donations of hygiene products for our clients. Personal care items are often expensive and can be difficult for families to afford. Hosting a hygiene product drive is a meaningful way to support our community and provide essential items that our clients truly appreciate.

Notes:

- Donations needed: soap, shampoo/conditioner, feminine products, toothpaste, etc.
- Deliver to 602 E 4th St on or before the Day of Caring

This project will be completed by Carr, Riggs, & Ingram

LANDSCAPING AND BEAUTIFICATION: ADAIRVILLE SCHOOL

Details: 5-10 volunteers needed for 2-4 hours between 8am-12pm to help landscape the school and other tasks. This project will help spruce up our school for the fall school year.

Notes:

- Located at 226 School Ave

This project will be completed by Logan Aluminum

OUTDOOR SPRUCE UP: CHANDLER'S ELEMENTARY

Details: 5-10 volunteers are needed for 2-4 hours between 8am-12pm to spread fresh mulch in the flower beds of the car rider line and help freshen up areas with paint like handrails, doors, and other outdoor items. This project will allow our school to look presentable for parents, students, and teachers for the new school year.

Notes:

- Located at 6000 Morgantown Rd
- Outdoor project
- Supplies provided: paint
- Supplies needed: mulch

This project will be completed by Logan Aluminum

PARENTPOWERED SIGN UPS AT GUIDING LIGHT NURSERY & PRESCHOOL: UNITED WAY OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

Details: 1-2 volunteers are needed for 2.5 hours from 2-4:30pm to help sign parents up for ParentPowered. After signing up, parents will receive weekly text messages regarding their child's development. This initiative is geared towards parents with children aged 0-5.

Notes:

- Located at 635 E 5th St
- Indoor project
- Supplies provided: ParentPowered sign up forms, clipboard, pens, table

This project will be completed by TVA

RUSSELLVILLE SENIOR CENTER LANDSCAPING: BARREN RIVER AREA DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT

Details: 5-10 volunteers are needed for 2-4 hours between 8am-12pm to help trim bushes and landscape the area of our senior center. This project would assist in making the center more presentable and inviting for new seniors looking to attend the location.

Notes:

- Located at 201 W 6th St
- Outdoor project
- Supplies needed: weed eaters, mowers, trimmers, hedgers, leaf blowers, etc.
- Dress for outdoor weather
- Minimum Age: 18+

This project will be completed by Logan Aluminum

SCHOOL SPRUCE UP: AUBURN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Details: 5-10 volunteers are needed for 4-6 hours between 8am-4pm to clean out lockers and help maintain landscaping across the school. This will allow the school to look presentable to parents and students for the next school year!

Notes:

- Located at 221 College St, Auburn, KY
- Indoor/Outdoor Project
- Lunch will be provided
- Dress for outdoor weather
- Please bring rakes & shovels
- Minimum age: 18+

This project will be completed by WRECC

SIMPSON COUNTY

BORN LEARNING TRAIL ENHANCEMENT AT JESS AND MABEL BRADLEY PARK: UNITED WAY OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

Details: 4-6 volunteers are needed for 2-4 hours to add new artwork at Jess and Mabel Bradley Park. Creativity is encouraged.

Notes:

- Located at 412 Breckenridge St
- Outdoor project
- Dress for outdoor weather
- Supplies will be provided

This project will be completed by German American Bank

ICE CREAM SOCIAL: FRANKLIN-SIMPSON NURSING AND REHAB CENTER

Details: 5-10 volunteers needed for an ice cream social for the residents of the Franklin Simpson Nursing and Rehab Center.

Notes:

- Located at 414 Robey St
- Indoor project
- Supplies needed: ice cream, toppings, etc.

This project will be completed by Franklin Bank & Trust

NAIL SALON AT FRANKLIN SENIOR CENTER: BARREN RIVER AREA DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT

Details: 1-5 volunteers are needed for 2-4 hours between 8am-12pm to help paint the nails of our residents. Senior centers are meant to be a location where seniors 60+ can congregate together, eat a meal, and socialize. The intention is to keep seniors in their homes and as healthy and independent as long as they possibly can be. This project will assist in helping the seniors feel special and loved.

- Located at 106 Crestmore Dr
- Indoor project
- Supplies needed: nail polish and other nail supplies
- Minimum Age: 18+

This project will be completed by

WARREN COUNTY

AFFIRMATION CARDS FOR PARENTS: UNITED WAY OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

DATE: BEFORE JULY 1ST

3-5 volunteers are needed for 2-3 hours between 8am-4pm to assemble affirmation cards for parents that will be placed in 1,000 Kindergarten Readiness Kits. Affirmation cards help parents build confidence and maintain a positive mindset, creating a supportive environment for their children. By modeling self-esteem, resilience, and encouragement, parents can positively influence their child's emotional and social development.

Notes:

- Indoor project
- Supplies will be provided
- Can be done at UWSK office or organizations office

This project will be completed by Fruit of the Loom

BLANKET PROJECT: BARREN RIVER AREA CHILD ADVOCACY CENTER

Details: 5-10 volunteers are needed for 4-6 hours from 8am-2pm to make approximately 15 comfort blankets for children in our program. These blankets provide warmth, security, and comfort during medical exams, forensic interviews, therapy appointments, and other difficult moments. Each child keeps their blanket as a lasting reminder of care and support.

Notes:

- Indoor project
- Supplies will be provided

This project will be completed by WCPS

BORN LEARNING TRAIL ENHANCEMENT AT KEREIAKES PARK: UNITED WAY OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

DATE: JUNE 26TH

1-5 volunteers are needed for 2-4 hours to scrub signs down with soap and water, touch up art, and add new artwork at Kereiakes Park.

Notes:

- Located at 1220 Fairview Ave
- Outdoor project
- Dress for outdoor weather
- Supplies will be provided

This project will be completed by FORVIS

BRUSH AND FENCE CLEAN UP: THE HIVE

Details: 1-5 volunteers are needed for 4-6 hours between 8am-4pm to help clear out the brush and weed overgrowth along our fence and side of building. This project will help with maintenance and pest-prevention that will help us keep our Clubhouse safe and clean so our staff can focus on our members and families.

Notes:

- Located at 1818 US 31W Bypass
- Outdoor project
- Dress for outdoor weather
- Lunch will be provided
- Supplies needed: garden rakes, hedge trimmers, other power tools for yard work
- Supplies provided: rake, leaf blower, handheld trimmers, garden gloves

This project will be completed by Pan-Oston

CAMPAIGN SUPPLIES PACKING: UNITED WAY OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

Details: 1-5 volunteers are needed for 2-4 hours between 8am-4pm to help put together United Way of Southern Kentucky's upcoming workplace campaign supplies. This project will help prepare us for our upcoming campaign season.

Notes:

- Located at 1110 College Street
- Indoor project
- Supplies will be provided
- Minimum Age: 12+ with adult supervision

This project will be completed by Fruit of the Loom

CAR WASH & PUTT PUTT DAY: ARCADIA SENIOR LIVING

Details: 5-10 volunteers are needed for 1-2 hours between 9am-11am to wash the cars of residents at Arcadia Senior Living as well as play rounds of miniature golf. This project not only engages our clients in physical activity but provides them with a fun filled day with visitors.

Notes:

- Located at 618 Lovers Lane
- Supplies will be provided

This project will be completed by Northwestern Mutual

CLEARING UP SPACE: COMMUNITY ACTION OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

Details: 1-5 volunteers are needed for 2-3 hours between 9am-12pm to help clean the back of our building and clean out our storage unit. This project would be great for a group with excellent team work and collaboration skills.

Notes:

- Located at 701 Brownslock Rd Bldg 809
- Outdoor project
- Supplies needed: Shovels, gloves, trash bins
- Dress outdoor weather
- Minimum Age: 18+

This project will be completed by German American Bank

CLUB CARNIVAL: BOYS AND GIRLS CLUB

Details: 10-15 volunteers are needed for 2-4 hours between 12pm-4pm to help operate a safe, fun, and engaging Club Carnival for youth ages 6–13. Volunteers would assist with setting up booths and decorations, running games and activity stations, and serving food and drinks. Volunteers would allow staff to focus on safety and overall event coordination while providing youth with an experience filled with fun, teamwork, and community connection.

Notes:

- Located at 260 Scott Way
- Indoor project
- Supplies provided: games and activities
- Supplies needed: small prizes to use as rewards. Examples: candy, door prizes
- Dress comfortably and casually
- Minimum Age: 18+

This project will be completed by Fruit of the Loom

CULTURE OF CARING HYGIENE BASKET DRIVE: SOUTHCENTRAL KENTUCKY COMMUNITY AND TECHNICAL COLLEGE

Details: SKYCTC implemented a Hygiene Basket project in Fall 2024, placing containers of hygiene items in 26 bathrooms across 6 campuses to help support student basic needs. The life issues that our students face are worthy of attention, and this type of support makes a difference for them when they may find themselves in need of hygiene items and low on funds. Inflation has driven prices up everywhere, and it costs more and more to take care of basic necessities.

Notes:

- Supplies needed: feminine hygiene products (individually wrapped), soap, deodorant, toothbrushes, toothpaste, dental floss, wipes, hand sanitizers.
- Drop off at 1845 Loop Dr.

This project will be completed by Hill's Pet Nutrition and Sabine Ashley

DECK REPAIR: HOSPICE OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

Details: 5-10 volunteers are needed for 4-6 hours between 7am-6pm to help repair our deck. Our deck is in disrepair- steps need to be power washed replaced and boards need to be screwed down and stained. The steps are a hazard they are broken in places. This area is where our nurses and admin staff take lunch and breaks to help them unwind from their busy schedules.

Notes:

- Located at 5872 Scottsville Rd
- Outdoor project
- Lunch will be provided
- Supplies needed: pressure washer/fluid, boards, screws, drill, hammer, and measuring tape.
- Dress for outdoor weather
- Minimum Age: 18+

This project will be completed by BOLDT

EDUCATION FOR EVERY FUTURE: DOWN SYNDROME OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY AND JUNIOR ACHIEVEMENT

Details: 1-5 volunteers are needed for 1-2 hours between 8am-4pm to help educate our individuals about community. Volunteers will teach Junior Achievement lessons focused on financial literacy, work readiness, and entrepreneurship while reinforcing the value of inclusion and support for individuals with Down Syndrome. This day is an opportunity to make a lasting impact by encouraging individuals, promoting confidence, and inclusivity.

Notes:

- Located at 522 State Street
- Indoor Project
- Lunch will be provided

This project will be completed by ELPO Law

ELOISE B HOUCHENS CENTER FOR WOMEN: SPRING CLEANING

Details: 1-5 volunteers for 2-4 hours between 10:30am-2:30pm will clean inside windows both upstairs and down, dusting baseboards and around the ceilings, polish silver, clean front porch and other inside work. This project will allow our center to keep looking and running well to host civic group meetings, various other organizations, clubs, and business meetings.

Notes:

- Located at 1115 Adams St
- Indoor/Outdoor Project
- Supplies will be provided
- Minimum Age: 18+

This project will be completed by SKYCTC

FAITH KIDZ PRESCHOOL PREPARATION: FAITH METHODIST CHURCH

Details: 1-5 volunteers are needed for 2-4 hours between 8am-12pm to help prep for the upcoming pre-school year. Tasks include shelf building, touch up painting, wall art, wipe down walls and doors, clean and sanitize toys, along with table and chairs, and organization of supply closets. Preschool's mission is to provide a fun and safe environment for kids to learn and socialize.

Notes:

- Located at 600 Veterans Memorial
- Indoor project
- Wear comfortable clothing
- Supplies will be provided

This project will be completed by Crown Cork & Seal

FENCE PAINTING: UNBRIDLED SPIRIT RECOVERY RANCH

Details: 5-10 volunteers will help paint fences for 2-4 hours between 8am-4pm. Last year, the front side of the fence was painted and now we are needing the back side painted. This project is too big for the girls in the ministry to do. It is upkeep on the property and makes everything look beautiful for the women and the ministry.

Notes:

- Located at 6740 Richardsville Rd
- Outdoor Project
- Supplies will be provided
- Minimum age: 18+

This project will be completed by MetalWorks Recycle-Reload

FLOOR & FACILITIES PROJECT: THE FOUNDRY

DATE: JULY 20TH AND JULY 22ND

Details: 5-10 volunteers are needed two different days between 8am-12pm to move furniture and classroom items so the floor can be prepared for scrubbing and waxing. Please continue this project on the 22nd to return the items to the classrooms. This deep clean project prepares our facility for the upcoming school year so that we are ready to serve a new group of elementary students in our Afterschool Academy.

Notes:

- Located at 531 W 11th Ave
- Indoor project
- Supplies will be provided
- Wear comfortable clothing
- Minimum age: 16+

This project will be completed by KORT Physical Therapy

FLOWER DELIVERY: CHANDLER PARK ASSISTED LIVING AND HOSPICE OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

Details: 5-10 volunteers needed to assist in delivering flowers to the residents of Chandler Park Assisted Living and Hospice of Southern Kentucky for 1-2 hours between 8am-12 pm.

Notes:

- Indoor Project
- Supplies will be provided

This project will be completed by Houchens Insurance Group

FOOD PANTRY & OFFICE CLEANING: ST. VINCENT DE PAUL HOLY SPIRIT

Details: 5-10 volunteers are needed for 4-6 hours between 8am-12pm to help clean bathroom, waiting room, wipe chairs, clean floors, windows, refrigerators, and freezers. We may also need help filling up our food boxes. This project will help provide a clean and healthy environment for food distribution.

Notes:

- Located at 4754 Smallhouse Rd
- Indoor project
- Supplies will be provided
- Wear clothing that can get dirty
- Minimum Age: 18+

This project will be completed by Forvis

FURNITURE RELOCATION & ORGANIZATION: BARREN RIVER AREA CHILD ADVOCACY CENTER

DATE: JULY 17TH

Details: 5-10 volunteers are needed for 2-4 hours to help prepare our building for new carpet installation. Volunteers will pack, organize, and move toys, tables, chairs, office supplies, and other items from service-level areas to non-carpeted spaces. This support helps us avoid the cost of hiring movers, allowing more resources to remain focused on serving children and families impacted by abuse. It's a hands-on opportunity to make a direct impact while helping create a more welcoming and comfortable environment for those we serve.

Notes:

- Located at 103 E12th Ave
- Indoor project
- Skills needed: furniture building, help move heavy items
- Minimum Age: 16+
- Dress casual

This project will be completed by Trace Die Cast

GARAGE DOOR SEALS: PIECES OF HOPE MOVEMENT AND MEMORY CENTER

Details: 1-5 volunteers are needed for 2-4 hours between 8am-4pm to help seal the garage doors of our facility. Two of the doors are 8 ft by 12 ft. One door is 8 ft by 10 ft long. This project will help sound proof the doors so they don't rattle when the winds blows/disturb clients.

Notes:

- Located at 8895 Morgantown Road
- Outdoor project
- Lunch will be provided
- Supplies provided: weather stripping
- Supplies needed: ladders
- Wear outdoor attire that can get dirty
- Minimum Age: 18+ unless accompanied by an adult

This project will be completed by

GROUNDS CARE: LOST RIVER ELEMENTARY

DATE: JULY 23RD

Details: 10-15 volunteers are needed for 2-4 hours between 8am-12pm to trim shrubs as needed, rake mulch to even it out, paint some wooden picnic tables. The grounds, along with the picnic tables are a joyful place for our students and families. We take pride in providing an equitable experience and appreciate all of our volunteers.

Notes:

- Located at 450 Modern Way
- Outdoor project
- Supplies provided: paint brushes and rollers
- Supplies needed: rakes & hedge trimmers
- Casual dress for outdoor weather

This project will be completed by BGMU

INDUSTRIES LANDSCAPING: LIFESKILLS

Details: 5-10 volunteers are needed for 4-6 hours between 8am-4pm to redo landscaping beds in front of our intellectual disabilities industry building. We want our participants in our program to love where they work and the outside needs to reflect that as well.

Notes:

- Located at 2420 Russellville Road
- Lunch will be provided
- Supplies needed: Shovels, wheelbarrows, gloves, etc.
- Supplies provided: New plants & mulch
- Outdoor project
- Dress for outdoor weather
- Minimum age: 18+

This project will be completed by

INVASIVE PLANT REMOVAL: LOST RIVER CAVE

Details: 15 + volunteers will pull invasive plants in order to pave way for our Meadow Restoration Project for 2-4 hours between 8am-12pm. Lost River Cave's mission includes conservation of our 72-acre park. By planting and showcasing healthy native ecosystems, we're able to educate the public about the benefit of native plant ecosystems and increasing the quality of our park.

Notes:

- Located at 2818 Nashville Road
- Outdoor project
- Supplies will be provided
- Dress for outdoor weather: Long pants, sock, closed toed shoes encouraged
- Bring water bottles
- Minimum age: 10 with adult supervision

This project will be completed by General Motors and UAW Local 2164

JENNINGS CREEK NEIGHBORHOOD BLOCK PARTY HOSTED BY THE CITY OF BOWLING GREEN

Details: 15+ volunteers are needed for 2-4 hours between 4-8pm to host a neighborhood block party at Jennings Creek Nature Playscape. We will serve free food and beverages for all attendees. Community partners can set up and offer informational resources, free activities, and giveaways. We will have various City Departments, including Fire and Police, interacting with children and neighbors. Other recreational activities will be offered for children. Assistance is needed for setup of tents, tables, food servers, and help playing with children. Must be able to lift at least 20 - 40 lbs. Must be willing to play recreational games with children from various backgrounds and ages.

Notes:

- Located at Jennings Creek Nature Playscape at 2617 Russellville Road
- Outdoor project
- Minimum Age: 15+ with adult supervision
- Dress for outdoor weather

This project will be completed by Champion Pet Foods

KIDS RUN PREPARATION: KENTUCKY KIDS ON THE BLOCK

Details: 5-10 volunteers are needed for 4-6 hours between 8am-4pm to help prepare 500 race-day goodie bags for our Scotty's Pound the Pavement Kids Run fundraiser. The goodie bags our volunteers will assemble will be distributed at our Kids Run fundraiser.

Notes:

- Located at 958 Collett Avenue
- Indoor project
- Lunch will be provided
- Supplies provided: goodie bag items and gardening tools
- Supplies needed: gardening gloves
- Minimum Age: 18+

This project will be completed by Carr, Riggs, & Ingram

KINDERGARTEN READINESS SOFT SKILLS KITS: UNITED WAY OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

DATE: JULY 8TH

Details: 25-30 volunteers are needed for 2-4 hours between 8am-12pm to help assemble 1,000 Kindergarten Readiness Kits. Many children enter kindergarten needing extra support in developing important social-emotional and self-help skills. These skills help them work cooperatively with peers, follow directions, accept feedback from teachers, build confidence in trying new things, and learn resilience when faced with challenges. Each Kindergarten Readiness Kit will be filled with fun, age-appropriate toys, games, and activities designed to strengthen these foundational skills for children ages 0-5.

Notes:

- Located at 684 Kelly Rd Unit 112
- Indoor project
- Water will be provided

This project will be completed by Logan County Schools, General Motors and UAW Local 2164, PNC Bank, Houchens Insurance Group, Champion Pet Foods, and Best Business Systems

MEMORIAL GARDEN: BRASS, INC

DATE: MAY 27th

Details: 5-10 volunteers needed to assist in the maintenance of the Memorial Garden on property (pruning, pulling weeds, mulch) and assist in updating the curb appeal of our transitional housing complex (planting flowers/ garden boxes).

Notes:

- Supplies needed: bring gloves
- Preference for Master Gardeners
- Lunch will be provided.

This project will be completed by Warren County Master Gardeners

MEMORIAL GARDEN PATHWAY LEVELING: BRASS, INC

Details: 5-10 volunteers are needed for 6-8 hours between 7am-6pm to help level the pathway in our Memorial Garden. Over time, the garden's river rock walkway has become uneven and now presents a tripping hazard. This peaceful space honors victims of domestic violence in the BRADD region and provides survivors with a place for reflection and healing.

Notes:

- Location will be given after project is adopted
- Outdoor project
- Skills needed: construction or landscaping expertise
- Supplies will be provided: Meet with BRASS before Day of Caring to discuss what materials are needed
- Dress for outdoor weather
- Minimum Age: 18+

This project will be completed by

MENSTRUAL SUPPLY DRIVE: WARREN COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY

Details: The Warren County Public Library's Community Care Collection (CCC) is a host of emergency supplies (hand warmers, mylar blankets, drinkable water pouches, rain ponchos, body wipes, and menstrual products). Menstrual products are a major health need for a substantial portion of the community. We include these hygiene items in our Community Care Collection at the Warren County Public Library.

Notes:

- Donations needed: menstrual products like pads and tampons
- Items collected will be picked up after Day of Caring by Library staff

This project will be completed by Champion Pet Foods

OUTDOOR CLEANUP: CUMBERLAND TRACE ELEMENTARY

Details: 5-10 volunteers are needed for 1-2 hours between 8am-12pm to sweep mulch into the playground area and to pressure wash our sidewalk in the bus loop. The completion of this project will help us to maintain a clean environment for our students.

Notes:

- Located at 2464 Cumberland Trace Road
- Outdoor project
- Supplies needed: leaf blowers and pressure washers/fluid
- Parents required with youth

This project will be completed by Byers Insurance Group

OUTDOOR BEAUTIFICATION: KENTUCKY KIDS ON THE BLOCK

Details: 5-10 volunteers are needed for 4-6 hours between 8am-4pm to assist with outdoor beautification efforts by pulling weeds, cleaning up around the building, and trimming bushes as needed.

Notes:

- Located at 958 Collett Avenue
- Outdoor project
- Lunch will be provided
- Supplies provided: gardening tools
- Supplies needed: gardening gloves
- Dress for outdoor weather
- Minimum Age: 18+

This project will be completed by Carr, Riggs, and Ingram

OUTSIDE SPRUCE UP: CASA OF SOUTH CENTRAL KENTUCKY

Details: 1-5 volunteers will stain a new deck, railing, and stairs for 4-6 hours between 8-5pm. By having volunteers stain this deck, employees can continue to advocate for children in the Family Court System.

Notes:

- Located at 316 E 10th Avenue
- Outdoor project
- Dress for outdoor weather
- Supplies provided: stain
- Supplies needed: staining brushes, gloves, stirrers
- Snacks will be provided
- Minimum age: 13+ with adult supervision

This project will be completed by Med Center Health

OUTDOOR SPRUCE UP: STATE STREET BAPTIST CHURCH

Details: 1-5 volunteers are needed for 4-6 hours between 8am-12pm to help trim bushes, shrubs, and rake the landscape area to help make the outside of our church more presentable for our community.

Notes:

- Located at 340 State Street
- Outdoor project
- Supplies provided: clean up supplies
- Supplies needed: hedge trimmers, cutting shears, rakes, leaf blowers, gloves, etc.
- Dress for outdoor weather
- Minimum Age: 18+

This project will be completed by US Bank

OUTSIDE SPRUCE UP: UNITED WAY OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

Details: 5-8 volunteers are needed for 3-4 hours between 8am-12pm to assist in landscaping clean up around the office building including spraying weeds, trimming plants and trees, and adding mulch.

Notes:

- Located at 1110 College Street
- Supplies provided are mulch and weed spray.
- Volunteers are asked to bring tools/any other supplies.
- Dress for outdoor weather

This project will be completed by WCPS

PARENTPOWERED SIGN UPS AT BRIGHT BEGINNINGS: UNITED WAY OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

Details: 1-2 volunteers are needed for 3 hours from 2-5pm to help sign parents up for ParentPowered. After signing up, parents will receive weekly text messages regarding their child's development. This initiative is geared towards parents with children aged 0-5.

Notes:

- Located at 923 E 10th Ave
- Outdoor project
- Supplies provided: ParentPowered sign up forms, clipboard, pens, table

This project will be completed by

PARENTPOWERED SIGN UPS AT CREATIVE LEARNING, INC.: UNITED WAY OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

Details: 1-2 volunteers are needed for 3 hours from 2-5pm to help sign parents up for ParentPowered. After signing up, parents will receive weekly text messages regarding their child's development. This initiative is geared towards parents with children aged 0-5.

Notes:

- Located at 109 Nellums Ave
- Indoor/Outdoor project
- Supplies provided: ParentPowered sign up forms, clipboard, pens, table

This project will be completed by KirkpatrickPrice, Inc.

PARENTPOWERED SIGN UPS AT COMMUNITY ACTION HEAD START: UNITED WAY OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

DATE: JULY 16TH

Details: 1-2 volunteers are needed for 1 hour from 2-3pm to help sign parents up for ParentPowered. After signing up, parents will receive weekly text messages regarding their child's development. This initiative is geared towards parents with children aged 0-5.

Notes:

- Located at 200 E 4th Ave
- Indoor project
- Supplies provided: ParentPowered sign up forms, clipboard, pens, table

This project will be completed by SKYCTC TRIO

PARENTPOWERED SIGN UPS AT LA PETITE ACADEMY: UNITED WAY OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

Details: 1-2 volunteers are needed for 2 hours from 3:30-5:30pm to help sign parents up for ParentPowered. After signing up, parents will receive weekly text messages regarding their child's development. This initiative is geared towards parents with children aged 0-5.

Notes:

- Located at 1101 Wilkinson Trace
- Indoor project
- Supplies provided: ParentPowered sign up forms, clipboard, pens, table

This project will be completed by

PARENTPOWERED SIGN UPS AT SKYRISE SCHOOL ON BRENNER STREET: UNITED WAY OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

Details: 1-2 volunteers are needed for 2 hours from 3:30-5:30pm help sign parents up for ParentPowered. After signing up, parents will receive weekly text messages regarding their child's development. This initiative is geared towards parents with children aged 0-5.

Notes:

- Located at 132 Brenner St
- Indoor project
- Supplies provided: ParentPowered sign up forms, clipboard, pens, table

This project will be completed by

PARENTPOWERED SIGN UPS AT SKYRISE SCHOOL ON DESTINY LANE: UNITED WAY OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

Details: 1-2 volunteers are needed for 2 hours from 3:30-5:30pm help sign parents up for ParentPowered. After signing up, parents will receive weekly text messages regarding their child's development. This initiative is geared towards parents with children aged 0-5.

Notes:

- Located at 1730 Destiny Ln
- Indoor project
- Supplies provided: ParentPowered sign up forms, clipboard, pens, table

This project will be completed by Renew

PARENTPOWERED SIGN UPS AT SKYRISE SCHOOL ON LOVERS LANE: UNITED WAY OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

Details: 1-2 volunteers are needed for 2 hours from 3:30-5:30pm help sign parents up for ParentPowered. After signing up, parents will receive weekly text messages regarding their child's development. This initiative is geared towards parents with children aged 0-5.

Notes:

- Located at 646 Lovers Ln
- Indoor project
- Supplies provided: ParentPowered sign up forms, clipboard, pens, table

This project will be completed by Renew

PARENTPOWERED SIGN UPS AT SKYRISE SCHOOL ON NASHVILLE ROAD: UNITED WAY OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

Details: 1-2 volunteers are needed for 2 hours from 3:30-5:30pm help sign parents up for ParentPowered. After signing up, parents will receive weekly text messages regarding their child's development. This initiative is geared towards parents with children aged 0-5.

Notes:

- Located at 3510 Nashville Rd
- Indoor project
- Supplies provided: ParentPowered sign up forms, clipboard, pens, table

This project will be completed by TVA

PARENTPOWERED SIGN UPS AT WKU CAMPUS CHILD CARE: UNITED WAY OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

Details: 1-2 volunteers are needed for 2 hours from 2-4pm to help sign parents up for ParentPowered. After signing up, parents will receive weekly text messages regarding their child's development. This initiative is geared towards parents with children aged 0-5.

Notes:

- Located at 499 University Dr
- Indoor project
- Supplies provided: ParentPowered sign up forms, clipboard, pens, table

This project will be completed by Warren Water

PATIO CONSTRUCTION: PIECES OF HOPE MOVEMENT AND MEMORY CENTER

Details: 1-5 volunteers are needed for 4-6 hours between 8am-4pm to create a small patio in front of the storage building. Patio needs to be roughly 7 ft from front to back and 8 ft wide and be made into a shape of a puzzle. This project will help keep clients safe as we need to pull items from storage for events.

Notes:

- Located at 8895 Morgantown Road
- Outdoor project
- Lunch will be provided
- Supplies provided: small bricks
- Supplies needed: shovels, the correct concrete, concrete mixer, etc.
- Wear outdoor attire that can get dirty
- Minimum Age: 18+ unless accompanied by an adult

This project will be completed by Murphy Construction

PLAYGROUND AND GROUNDS CLEAN UP: JENNINGS CREEK ELEMENTARY

Details: 5-10 volunteers will help with spreading our playground mulch evenly across the playground and sprucing up the playground to get it ready for our students for 1-2 hours between 8am-12pm. Our playground is a community playground shared by not only our school but our greater JC community. This would help keep our area clean and safe for students and guests.

Notes:

- Located at 2617 Russellville Rd
- Outdoor Project
- Parents required with youth
- Supplies needed: Rakes, leaf blowers, gloves, trash bags

This project will be completed by WRECC

PRESSURE WASH AWAY THE DAY WITH BRASS, INC.

Details: 1-5 volunteers are needed for 2-4 hours between 8am-4pm to help pressure wash six buildings at our emergency shelter and transitional housing sites. This project will improve the appearance and upkeep of the facilities while allowing our advocates to focus on supporting survivors of domestic violence as they begin their healing journey.

Notes:

- Location will be given after project is adopted
- Outdoor project
- Lunch will be provided
- Supplies needed: pressure washer(s) and fluid
- Dress for outdoor weather
- Minimum Age: 18+

This project will be completed by

PROPERTY REFRESH: HOTEL INC

Details: 5-10 volunteers are needed for 2-4 hours between 8am-4pm to trim bushes, pressure wash buildings, and clean up landscape at the Hotel Inc office and Medical Respite House. Both locations are within two blocks of one another. This project will help to provide a clean and safe environment for our staff and clients.

Notes:

- Location 1005 Boatlanding Rd and 550 Beauty Court
- Outdoor project
- Supplies will be provided
- Lunch will be provided
- Minimum Age: 16+

This project will be completed by WKU College of Health and Human Services

READING CORNER ASSEMBLY AT CLOTHESLINE LAUNDROMAT: UNITED WAY OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

DATE: JULY 23RD

Details: 2-4 volunteers are needed for 1 hour between 8am-9am to paint walls, assemble, and arrange items for the new Reading Corner at Clothesline Laundromat. Items include reading chair, rug, table, 4 chairs, book shelf, United Way sign, bulletin board, wall busy board.

Notes:

- Located at 2201 Stonehenge Ave
- Indoor project
- Supplies needed: screw drivers and drills
- Will need to coordinate a day to pick up furniture from our warehouse

This project will be completed by Trace Die Cast

READING CORNER ASSEMBLY AT EXPRESS LAUNDRY: UNITED WAY OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

DATE/TIME: TBD

Details: 2-4 volunteers are needed for 1 hour between 8am-4pm to assemble and arrange items for the new Reading Corner at Express Laundry. Items include folding chair, book shelf, rug, 2 chairs, and United Way sign.

Notes:

- Located at 909 US31W BYP
- Indoor project
- Supplies needed: screw drivers and drills
- Will need to coordinate a day to pick up furniture from our warehouse

This project will be completed by Kentucky Legal Aid

READING CORNER ASSEMBLY AT THE LAUNDRY BASKET: UNITED WAY OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

JULY 23RD

Details: 2-4 volunteers are needed for 1 hour between 8am-9am to paint walls, assemble, and arrange items for the new Reading Corner at the Laundry basket. Items include reading chair, rug, table, 4 chairs, book shelf, United Way sign, bulletin board, wall busy board.

Notes:

- Located at 420 Morgantown Rd
- Indoor project
- Supplies needed: screw drivers and drills
- Will need to coordinate a day to pick up furniture from our warehouse

This project will be completed by Peoples Bank

READING CORNER ASSEMBLY AT WISHY-WASHY: UNITED WAY OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

DATE: JULY 23RD

Details: 2-4 volunteers are needed for 1 hour between 10-11am to assemble and arrange items for the new Reading Corner at Wishy-Washy. Items include folding chair, book shelf/bench, 2 chairs, and United Way sign.

Notes:

- Located at 1901 Russellville Rd
- Indoor project
- Supplies needed: screw drivers and drills
- Will need to coordinate a day to pick up furniture from our warehouse

This project will be completed by Trace Die Cast

REFRESH AND RENEW: NEW PATH RECOVERY HOME

Details: 5-10 volunteers are needed for 4-6 hours between 8am-4pm to help with garden and yard projects including board replacement on our deck. If you've ever been told "if you look good, you feel good" we believe that this applies to our home.

Notes:

- Located at 1215 Smallhouse Rd and 1211 East 15th Ave
- Outdoor Project
- Supplies provided: lumber, rakes, and tree trimmers. If you would like any additional tools and safety gear, please bring them with you.
- Minimum Age: 13+ with adult supervision
- Dress for outdoor weather

This project will be completed by American Bank & Trust

RESTOCK THE RES LIBRARY: RICHARDSVILLE ELEMENTARY

Details: 5-10 volunteers are needed for 4-6 hours between 8am-12pm to help restock our library. We have new floors being put in, so we have to pack up our whole library. The boxes and books will need to be unpacked and put on the shelves. This project will help provide an organized location for our books for the upcoming school year.

Notes:

- Located at 1775 Richardsville Rd
- Indoor project
- Dress comfortably
- Parents required with youth

This project will be completed by Fruit of the Loom

RESUME REVIEW & MOCK INTERVIEWS: GOODWILL KENTUCKY

Details: 5-10 volunteers will meet with Goodwill clients to conduct mock interviews and review their resumes for 2-4 hours between 12pm-4pm. This will help prepare our clients for applying for jobs as they re-enter the workforce. Many of our clients have been incarcerated or have a history of drug abuse. Our volunteers should be able to meet our clients wherever they are at in their journey to self-sufficiency.

Notes:

- Located at 1806 US 31W Bypass
- Indoor project
- Dress semi-professional
- Lunch will be provided
- Minimum Age: 18+

This project will be completed by Fruit of the Loom

REVAMP STORAGE UNITS FOR ST GIANNA GRADUATES: ST GIANNA CRISIS PREGNANCY HOME

Details: 1-5 volunteers are needed for 4-6 hours between 8am-2pm to assemble shelving units, inventory, label, and organize all totes and items. This project will help our graduates pick houseware items and necessities for their new home with their baby. Skills needed for this project include lift up to 30 pounds, assemble shelving, and help organize and inventory storage units.

Notes:

- Located at Diemers Storage 5449 Scottsville Rd Unit 149
- Outdoor project
- Supplies will be provided
- Lunch and water provided
- Dress in closed toe shoes
- Minimum Age: 18+

This project will be completed by Bluegrass Ingredients

RISE, RAIL, AND ROOT: HOUSING AUTHORITY OF BOWLING GREEN LEARNING CENTER

Details: 15+ volunteers are needed for 4-6 hours between 8am-12:30pm to help pull weeds, paint handrails and steps at the Housing Authority of Bowling Green's Learning Center.

Notes:

- Located at 247 Double Springs Rd
- Outdoor project
- Supplies needed: paint, gloves, paint brushes
- Lunch will be provided
- Dress for outdoor weather
- Minimum Age: 11+

This project will be completed by The RISE Program at BGJHS

STAINING FENCE AND DECK: HOPE HOUSE MINISTRIES

Details: 5-10 volunteers will stain a deck and fence at one of our Community 461 residents' houses for 4-6 hours between 8am-4pm. The project will help our community by providing quality homes for individuals coming out of addiction recovery.

Notes:

- Located at 445 Glen Lily Road
- Outdoor project
- Supplies will be provided
- Dress for outdoor weather
- Minimum age: 18+

This project will be completed by Fruit of the Loom

STORY TIME AT CLOTHESLINE LAUNDROMAT: UNITED WAY OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

DATE: JULY 25TH

Details: 1-2 volunteers are needed for 1-2 hours between 10am-11am to read a story to children at Clothesline Laundromat. Volunteers will help launch our new Reading Corners initiative, which brings books and literacy opportunities to select local laundromats.

Notes:

- Located at 2201 Stonehenge Ave
- Indoor project
- Books will be provided but volunteers are welcome to bring a favorite children's book to share

This project will be completed by The Foundry

STORY TIME AT EXPRESS LAUNDRY: UNITED WAY OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

DATE: TENTATIVE

Details: 1 volunteer are needed for 30 minutes between 9am-12pm to read a story to children at Express Laundry. Volunteers will help launch our new Reading Corners initiative, which brings books and literacy opportunities to select local laundromats.

Notes:

- Located at 909 US31W BYP
- Indoor project
- Books will be provided but volunteers are welcome to bring a favorite children's book to share

This project will be completed by SKYCTC Staff Council

STORY TIME AT THE LAUNDRY BASKET: UNITED WAY OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

DATE: JULY 25TH

Details: 1-2 volunteers are needed for 30 minutes between 9-9:30am to read a story to children at The Laundry Basket. Volunteers will help launch our new Reading Corners initiative, which brings books and literacy opportunities to select local laundromats.

Notes:

- Located at 420 Morgantown Rd
- Indoor project
- Books will be provided but volunteers are welcome to bring a favorite children's book to share

This project will be completed by SKYCTC Staff Council

STORY TIME AT WISHY-WASHY: UNITED WAY OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

DATE: JULY 25TH

Details: 1 volunteer are needed for 30 minutes between 1-1:30pm to read a story to children at Wishy-Washy. Volunteers will help launch our new Reading Corners initiative, which brings books and literacy opportunities to select local laundromats.

Notes:

- Located at 1901 Russellville Rd
- Indoor project
- Books will be provided but volunteers are welcome to bring a favorite children's book to share

This project will be completed by SKYCTC Staff Council

SUMMER BARN AND FARM CLEANING: NEW BEGINNINGS THERAPEUTIC RIDING INC

Details: 10-15 volunteers are needed for 2-4 hours between 8am-12pm to help clean up the barn and farm by pressure washing grooming bay and mats, weed eat around the barn and arena, raking, clean, strip stalls, sanitize and place new bedding, pressure wash the horse trailer, work on our sensory trail, cut down dead tree limbs, and paint existing items on the trail. This project will help us provide a clean, healthy working environment for individuals and the program horses.

Notes:

- Located at 600 Bill Ferguson Rd; contact Michele to discuss the route to the barn as GPS will sometimes take individuals a different route.
- Indoor/Outdoor Project
- Lunch will be provided
- Supplies provided may vary. More details to come once project is selected
- Wear closed toed shoes and clothing that you don't mind getting dirty

This project will be completed by Holiday Inn

TOP CROPS PERIMETER FENCE PROJECT: TOP CROPS, INC

Details: 5-10 volunteers are needed for 6-8 hours between 8am-4pm to help install a new section of fence around the culinary herb garden and connect it to the rest of the garden site's cedar split rail fence. Top Crops is a continuing education garden for individuals with special needs. The perimeter fence provides a safe boundary for all of our gardeners to work in.

Notes:

- Located at Top Crops garden site at the WKU Farm on Nashville Road
- Outdoor project
- Lunch will be provided
- Supplies will be provided. Please bring your own work gloves and other safety items needed.
- Dress for outdoor weather
- Parents required with youth

This project will be completed by Forvis

TOP CROPS WASH STATION FOR ROOT CROPS: TOP CROPS, INC

Details: 1-5 volunteers are needed for 4-6 hours between 8am-4pm to help build screened tabletop with attached overhead water supply with sprayer to wash off root crops like carrots and radish. Top Crops is a continuing education garden for individuals with special needs. Gardeners learn all facets of garden operation and then sell their vegetables at the Community Farmers Market each Saturday. This project allows gardeners to effectively clean freshly harvested produce.

Notes:

- Located at Top Crops garden site at the WKU Farm on Nashville Road
- Outdoor project
- Lunch will be provided
- Supplies will be provided.
- Dress for outdoor weather
- Parents required with youth

This project will be completed by Forvis

TEACHER APPRECIATION: UNITED WAY OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

DATE: MAY 7th

Details: 2-4 volunteers will create teacher appreciation bags and deliver them to local daycares to honor the teachers during Teacher Appreciation Week.

Notes:

- Indoor/Outdoor Project
- Supplies will be provided
- Deliver to local daycares provided by UWSK

This project will be completed by TVA

WINE FEST: HISTORIC RAILPARK AND TRAIN MUSEUM

DATE: JUNE 29th

Details: 1-5 volunteers are needed for 2-4 hours between 12pm-4pm to help stuff our goodies bags for our 2026 BG Wine Fest. This project would be a significant help because there are a lot of moving parts in events, and this will help knock one more thing off the list to be done.

Notes:

- Located at 401 Kentucky Street
- Indoor project
- Supplies will be provided
- Snacks and drinks will be provided
- Dress casual

This project will be completed by BOAM

WINTER SHELTER DRIVE: ROOM IN THE INN

Details: We are in need of the following items: cold weather sleeping bags, disposable rain ponchos, toboggans in dark colors, regular men's gloves, and non-aerosol deodorant. The mission of Room In The Inn is to provide nightly winter shelter to those who call the streets of Bowling Green home. We want to keep people from freezing on the street. Every year our numbers grow because the need is greater.

Notes:

- Deliver to 423 West Main St on or before the Day of Caring.

This project will be completed by Pieces of Hope

211 CANVASSING: UNITED WAY OF SOUTHERN KENTUCKY

Details: 5-10 volunteers will canvas the community by attaching 211 door hangers to the front doors of multiple neighborhoods. 211 is a confidential information and referral service that is available 24/7 to help individuals with financial assistance and other programs available in their county.

Notes:

- Outdoor project
- Supplies will be provided
- Wear comfortable shoes for walking

This project will be completed by

DAY OF CARING NOTE:

A limited number of new projects are subject to be added