

## **JUNE 2025 VOLUNTEER NEWSLETTER**

Hello again and thank you for offering to volunteer your time with the Webster Community Chest. Here is our June 2025 Volunteer email.

Please read through this monthly email as it is filled with current information regarding our volunteer opportunities. If you have any questions or would like to discuss WCC volunteer opportunities further, please send an email to [webcommchest@gmail.com](mailto:webcommchest@gmail.com) and we will have someone call you back.

### **Looking for a Young Lady to play Dorothy from the Wizard of Oz!**

The Webster United Church of Christ has chosen us again this year to be a beneficiary of their Caring Community Concerts. We're excited to have been paired a second time with [Ruby Shooz](#), our local classic 50's and 60's rock 'n' roll show band, on Wednesday, July 30. Two years ago, when we were paired with Ruby Shooz, attendees helped raise over \$2,000 for the Community Chest! Make sure to mark this on your calendar and get ready to enjoy a great night filled with amazing music!

We are looking for a young lady who is willing to dress as Dorothy from "Wizard of Oz" to walk around with a donation basket that evening and pose for photos with concertgoers. WCC will provide the costume. (Note from Tracy: My niece did this for the 2023 Ruby Shooz concert and she had a great time!) If you are interested or know someone who is, please contact Michael Grenier at [MGrenier@frontiernet.net](mailto:MGrenier@frontiernet.net).

### **Schroeder High School Empty Bowls Project a Success!**

Thank you to all who volunteered to help us with the Empty Bowls event at Schroeder, including Sharon, Alex, Trish, Usha, and Mary! Everyone at this event had a great time and really enjoyed seeing the remarkable talent of the student artists.

### **Donor Newsletter: 2nd Quarter 2025**

Please read through our [2<sup>nd</sup> quarter Donor Newsletter](#) for lots of updates on what we're doing as Neighbors Helping Neighbors in our community.

### **Donations Needed for Our Summer Collaborative Event**

We are currently collecting DISH SOAP and TOILET PAPER for our Summer Collaborative Event that will focus on hygiene, cleaning products, and paper products. All donations can be dropped off at our next monthly Meal Center distribution on Thursday, June 26 at the Immanuel Lutheran Church, 131 West Main Street, in the Village of Webster between 3:30 and 5 p.m.

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## **Meal Center: Food Drives**

Our Meal Center always needs food donations (we are overflowing with bags so hold off on those for now!). Donations can be dropped off at our monthly food distributions or the Webster Public Library (look for the bin labeled "Webster Community Chest").

If you or someone you know would like to coordinate a food drive for our meal center, please let us know. Thank you!

We would like to hold a "Fill the Van" food drive and we are looking for volunteers interested in working on this event. We have the van, we need the food donations, and we need you to help us make this happen!

Our Meal Center is a perfect location to hold a DRIVE-UP Donation Drive. Would you like to organize one for us? We will supply the place and volunteers to receive the food...we just need YOU or YOUR organization/company/group to organize a drive for us! Let us know if you are interested! For a list of food we're collecting, visit the meal center page on our website and scroll down to bottom section of page: <https://webcommchest.org/meal-center>.

If anyone knows of an additional potential donation drop off location, please let us know. We can use more.

Do you have ideas for recipes for meals that we can add to our Meal Center repertoire? Please send your ideas to us at [webcommchest@gmail.com](mailto:webcommchest@gmail.com).

Thank you again for your support of the Webster Community Chest and those in need in our community.

Your Friends at the Webster Community Chest

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