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Summer has FINALLY arrived!
The flowers and gardens here at
Canal Winchester Human Services are looking great!
Here are the quarterly updates.



Food Outreach Updates

News

We're thrilled to share that both One for the Cupboard and Brock Walk were a great success this year. One for the Cupboard generated \$3,319 in donations and collected 512 food items, while Brock Walk brought in an incredible 17,591 items. A big thank you goes out to Carm Smith and Kelly Best for their continued dedication and hard work in organizing these annual food drives and fundraisers. We're also deeply grateful to everyone who donates their time, talents, or treasures to help make these events possible.

The USPS Food Drive was another wonderful success, producing a donation of 1,569 items. A special thank you goes to the postal carriers who took on the challenging task of collecting and delivering the donations, and to all who contributed to this important effort.

Quarterly Stats for The Community Food Pantry & Market Day Programs

-We served 1,251 people and provided 17,661 meals.-We gave out 16,599 pounds of food.-We served 15 new households this quarter.

Feeding Our Future (2024-2025 school year)

7,502 Total Meals Provided 124 Average Students Served per Week

Amazon Wish list



We finally listened and created a wish list $\stackrel{\cup}{\cdot}$



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<u>Senior Transportation Outreach Updates</u>

News



We have another new member of our transportation team. Eric Warner joined the team in April. We are happy to have him aboard!



The new rear-load handicap accessible minivan has ARRIVED!! We can't wait to get it out on the road.





Quarterly Stats for Monday-Friday Transportation & Group Trips

~We provided 1,191 one - way trips. ~We drove 8,647 miles this quarter.





Senior Transportation Information

Daily Senior Transportation services are available to anyone who is 60 years of age or older and permanently resides in the Canal Winchester School District, the Village of Lithopolis, or within the Canal Winchester City limits. For more information about this program please visit our website or call us at 614-834-4700.

https://cwhumanservices.org/seniortransportation

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Senior Outreach Updates

Spring Community Care Day

We'd like to extend a heartfelt thank you to the Canal Winchester Young Professionals members who volunteered their time to help local senior citizens prepare their yards for the warmer months.

Senior Fun Trips

We have quite a variety of trips being offered for 2025. Clippers games, Straight No Chaser, CAPA Summer Movie Series, Central Ohio Fire Museum are just a few! More information about our trips can be found on our website & Facebook page, the Canal Winchester Senior Club newsletter, and the Canal Winchester Community Center.

Tuesday Senior Lunch

The 3rd Tuesday of every month, Canal Winchester Human Services prepares and serves the Tuesday Senior Lunch meal. Seniors can take part of this meal by paying \$5.00 or donating the items asked for that month.

**Canal Winchester Human Services does provide transportation for our clients to and from lunch. If you would like a ride or more information about our Senior Transportation Outreach please give us a call at 614-834-4700.

Community Outreach Updates



Community Easter Egg Hunt

Thankfully this year's hunt brought sunny skies and warmer weather. We enjoy co-hosting this event every year with the City of Canal Winchester.

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Upcoming Events

XO 5K Fundraiser (July 12th)

See the flyer on page 6 for more information!
Online registration is open until Thursday at 11:59pm.

Registration can occur on the day of the event, just bring a check made out to Canal Winchester Human Services for \$35. Please write in the memo section, Emergency Assistance 5K.

Tools for School

Our Tools for School (TFS) program is open to students that live in the Canal Winchester or Bloom Carroll school district and attend one of the district schools. This program is available throughout the school year and helps provide students in need with a backpack full of grade appropriate school supplies. If you would like to support this program you can drop off supplies to 80 Covenant Way or select the Tools for School option on our website (https://cwhumanservices.org/monetary-donations).

Event Updates

Baskets of Hope

This year's Baskets of Hope provided 37 children with Easter baskets. This event is coordinated by Jhett McDonald and supported by local churches and organizations.



The Community Food Pantry clients are very thankful to everyone who helps make this possible.



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Summer Intern

Canal Winchester Human Services officially has an intern! In partnership with St. Stephen's Community House we are proud to introduce, Leyada Morris.

"Hi, my name is Leyada Morris. I'm very grateful and excited to have this opportunity to work at the Canal Winchester Human Services. Here are a few facts about me:

*I'm going into my sophomore year at Canal Winchester High School.
*I play basketball and run track. I am a 4.0 GPA student-athlete.

* I have two brothers and I like to spend time with my family & try new things.

*I'm also part of the wind ensemble at CWHS.

Working here & being the first official intern has been a great experience so far!

I hope to make good memories and learn new things as I spend my time

working here over the summer!"



Annual 5K Fundraiser July 12th



Hosted by X Church

All proceeds go to our Emergency Assistance Program.

Make sure to sign
up today for
this family
friendly event!



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