

Habersham County United Way 2022 Annual Report

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The Habersham County United Way Board of Directors 2022-2023

The Habersham United Way Board of Directors are all volunteers who have accepted the responsibility of managing United Way services and resources. The Board represents the public interest, identifies the needs of our community, and provides stewardship over the funds raised annually to accomplish their mission.

Carrie Akers, *The Torch Christian Academy*
Michelle Blackburn, *Habersham County Schools*
Misty Brookshire, *Windstream Communications*
Bill W. Calloway, *Retired-Nestle Purina*
Bob Cook, *Attorney*
Phil DeMore, *Retired Minister*
Kerry Edwards, *The Orchard Golf & Country Club*
Michael Fairbairn, *Fieldale Farms*
Vicky Frankum, *North Georgia Technical College*
Adam Harper, *United Community Bank*
Linda Henry, *Retired*
Darrin Johnston, *SDJ Global Consulting*
Katie Ledford, *Oconee Federal*
Kolby McEntire, *Fieldale Farms Corporation*
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Carol Perkins, *Retired*
Chris Strals, *South State Bank*
Brandon Terrell, *Ethicon*
Shelby Ward, *North Georgia Technical College*
Kelly Woodall, *Tallulah Falls School*

Retiring Board Members

Bob Cook
Kelly Woodall

Incoming Board Members

Brenda Boonstra, Piedmont College
Jennifer Burton, Fieldale Farms
Keisha Clinkscale, Habersham Medical Center
Joey Terrill, Habersham County Sherriff
Martha Richardson, Retired

2023 Executive Board & Committee Chairs

Bill Calloway, *President*
Michelle Blackburn, *Chair Elect*
Shelby Ward, *Secretary*
Kolby McEntire, *Treasurer & Finance Chair*
Carol Perkins, *Allocations Chair*
Misty Brookshire, *Public Relations Chair*
Jennifer Burton, *Campaign & Events Chair*

Sub Committee's

Darrin Johnston, Corporate Partners
Linda Henry, Leadership Giving
Sam Negron, Individual Giving

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BUT BY DEPTH OF THE
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-DEANN HOLLIS



2022 1st Inaugural Spring & 8th Fall Annual Clay Shoot



Thank you to PRESENTING SPONSOR & COMMUNITY PARTNER Springer Mountain Farms



We are proud to report that the 2022 1st Inaugural Spring Charity Clay & 8th Annual Fall Charity Clay Shoot were both a great success with a total of over \$38,000 donations in these two combined shoots. Springer Mountain Farms along with John Arrendale and Joe Hatfield hosted a profitable event that brought together a community to benefit Habersham United Way. Volunteers from the community and our agency partners helped to make these events successful. Participants, volunteers and sponsors all enjoyed a delicious smoked chicken lunch including yummy sides and deserts donated by Brownies By Faith and Queen Bee Bakery.



Thank you to all who sponsored, volunteered and participated. Thank you to Springer Mountain Farms our presenting sponsor for your many years of dedication and commitment to helping HABUW to provide to local partner agencies.

ETHICON

PART OF THE *Johnson & Johnson* FAMILY OF COMPANIES

24th ANNUAL UNITED WAY FALL GOLF CLASSIC

Thank you to Ethicon our Community Partner & Golf Classic Presenter

The 24th Annual United Way Fall Classic Golf Tournament was held on October 18th at the Orchard Golf and Country Club. The tournament was planned and organized by an awesome team made up of current and past United Way Board Members and coordinated by volunteers from Ethicon. **34 teams** enjoyed a beautiful fall day complete with food, fun, fellowship, and golf.

The tournament raised more than **\$40,000** thanks to the support from participants, sponsors, and friends of United Way.



Thank You!

"You make a living by what you get. You make a life by what you give."
-Winston Churchill

Community Champions



Advocate Partner



Promoter Partner



In-Kind Donor Partners

[Community Business Partners, Agency Partners and Individuals that provided in kind donations for our campaign fundraisers]

2A C&R Firearms
All Service Printing
John Arrendale
Johnny Bailey
Bill & Lois Calloway
Chick-Fil-A of Cornelia
Bob Cook
Kerrie Edwards
Interact Club Members
Habitat for Humanity

Joe Hatfield
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Georgia 4-H
Habitat For Humanity
Kinetic by Windstream
Lowe's of Cornelia
North Georgia Technical College
Kent Rothwell
Springer Mountain

The Northeast Georgian
WCHM Radio
WCON Radio

Business Members Of HABUW

(these businesses signed up for our new 2022 giving opportunity at a level of \$150 or more per year.)

Fenders Diner
Shear Perfection Salon
Personalize It Boutique
Little Dreamers Academy
Habersham Drug
Farm & Lavish Marketplace

Leadership Givers

While **ALL** of our individual donors are important, we would like to recognize those individuals that give at the level of \$1000 and above. We understand that this is a substantial amount of money and we are grateful and want you to know that we will be good stewards of these donated funds. For many of the companies that give to us through payroll deductions, we aren't given individual names and amounts donated so we would like to thank the many others that may give at this level.

Anonymous Givers

Chuck & Carrie Akers

John Arrendale

Andrew & Meghann Brackett

Sandy Borrow

Billy & Martha Boyd

Bill & Lois Calloway

Bill & Ruth Camp

James Carboy

Manuel Castro-Ortiz

Spencer & Nancy Carr

Bob & Jeanie Cook

Phil DeMore

Rev. Jan Devereaux

Dawn Eberhardt

Jack & Joan Fulbright

Bill Gaik - *Tocqueville Society**

The Hugh M. Inman
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Joe Hatfield

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Pierce

Archie Ramsey

Guy & Linda Rehtoris

Dalton & Margie Sirmans

Ken & Enid Smith

John & Cathy Steinhauer

Chris Strals

Brandon Terrell

Bill & Carlita Turk

J.D. Wellons

Tom & Connie Wilbanks

- *Tocqueville Society Members give \$10,000 or more annually to United Way*

August 2022 Leadership Giver Reception

On August 25th 2022, Habersham County United Way hosted a Thank You reception honoring Leadership Givers. We would like to thank Bill and Carolyn Gaik for graciously opening their beautiful home in The Orchard for this event. We enjoyed delicious hors d'oeuvres & desserts prepared by The Orchard Restaurant and great fellowship. Thank you to all who were able to attend and enjoy this special event.



2022 Company Campaign Coordinators

Ethicon Lauralee Burrell, Contessa Parker, Ken Smith, Brandon Terrell, Joey Dodd, Brandy Lovvorn, Josh Gilbert

Fieldale Farms - Pam Owenby, Ana Diego, Jennifer Burton

Habersham County Schools - Michelle Blackburn

HEMC - Gail Welborn

Piedmont College – Ann Sutton

South State Bank - Matt McClurg, Chris Strals

United Community Bank - Kim Reed

Ten Cate - Randall Adams

Windstream Communications - Pam Hendrix, Misty Brookshire

2022 United Way Allocation Panels

Panel A: Chris Strals (Ch), Betsy Eager, Heather NeSmith

Panel B: Jack Molnar (Ch), Vicky Frankum, Kesha Clinkscale

Panel C: Jim Weidner (Ch) Myra Chandler, Alta Moseley

Panel D: Sarah Higgins (Ch), Hal Dowdy, Martha Richardson, Justin Schapansky

Panel E: Linda Henry (Ch), Guy Rechteris, Craig McKee, Kristy Thomson

Panel F: Ann Sutton (Ch), Brad Trotter, Sandy Borrow

Panel G: Phil DeMore (Ch), Bill Gaik, Carrie Akers

Panel H: Matt McClurg (Ch) Brandon Dudley, Keith Owen, Barbara Coker Rhodes

Panel I: Bill Calloway (Ch), Jeff Peyton, Jana Flury

Panel J: Michelle Blackburn (Ch), Katie Ledford, Dulcie Ariail

Allocation panels meet each February to review applications for allocations and grants and then make recommendations to the United Way Allocations Committee.

**Thank you to those community members who volunteered to be on one of our allocations panels. Being a panel member is a great way to learn about what our partner agencies are up there here in Habersham County.

Our Staff The day to day operations of the Habersham County United Way are handled by the Executive Director with help from volunteers. WE LOVE OUR VOLUNTEERS!



Executive Director
Candice Holcomb



Office Manager
Olivia Schapansky

2022 Habersham County United Way Partner Agencies

4-H

Assists youth in developing life skills through project work 706-754-2318

Boys & Girls Club Of Lanier

Boys & Girls Clubs provide a safe place for more than 4 million youth, giving them an opportunity to discover their great futures. 678-971-4665

Boy Scouts

NE Georgia Council

Instills values in our youth that helps enable them to make ethical choices over their lifetimes 706-693-2446

Children's Center for Hope & Healing

Counseling and support for child abuse victims and, as well as prevention education 770-532-6530

Cornelia Library

Full public library services, children's programming, community room 706-778-2635

Circle of Hope

Domestic Violence center, providing free and confidential shelter, support and advocacy services 706-776-3406

Clarkesville Library

Full public library services, children's programming, genealogy resources, community room 706-754-4413

Family Resource Center

Provides parenting classes for various child rearing stages, life skills workshops, parenting support groups, supervised family visits, therapeutic counseling and links to community resources to help families thrive and provide nurturing homes for their children 706-778-3100

Foothills Counseling Center

Provides a wide range of counseling services for individuals and families 706-754-5155

Girl Scouts of Historic Georgia

Provides leadership experience that teaches girls to discover, connect, and take action about issues most important to them 800-300-GIRL

Grace Gate

Christ-centered free medical clinic 706-839-4080

Habersham Christian Learning Center

Offers Christian ethics, morals and values for teens and seminars for adults 706-778-5483

Habersham Homeless Ministries

Temporary shelter for homeless families and individuals 706-754-9031

Habitat for Humanity

Partners with low income families to build houses 706-754-5313

Habersham Senior Center

Comprehensive programs for seniors, Meals on Wheels, congregate meals, wellness and transportation 706-839-0620

Powerhouse for Kids

FAITH'S Power House Child Advocacy & Sexual Assault Center provides free and confidential service for individuals and family members affected by child abuse and sexual assault. 706-886-2290

Rape Response

24/7 crisis hotline, crisis intervention and support of survivors of sexual assault, their families & friends 770-503-7273

Red Cross NE Georgia Chapter

Blood services, disaster relief, service to military families, health & educational services 800-282-1722

Sharing and Caring

Food, clothing and other emergency assistance to those in need

Cornelia: 706-778-2980

Clarksville: 706-754-6420

Sisu

Early childhood intervention for special needs children and their typically developing friends

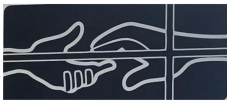
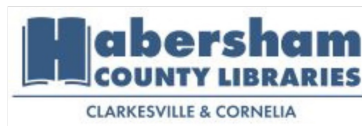
770-535-8372

Volunteers for Literacy

School reading programs, adult tutoring, GED scholarships and English as a Second Language (ESL) classes 706-776-4063



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SENIOR CENTER



2022 Habersham County United Way Grant Recipients:



HUB of Habersham: Christ-centered ministry to the needs of individuals and families in our community.



LIFT: Afterschool tutoring program at Habersham Central High School

Clarksville Soup Kitchen

Lord's Help Soup Kitchen

The Torch Open Door Food Pantry

Thank You!

for your continued support of the Habersham County United Way and the agencies and programs it supports in our community!

We are so thankful and continually humbled by the generosity of the Habersham Community each year. Thank you Habersham County for *being a champion* for your neighbors in need and selflessly providing the resources needed to make Habersham County a better community in which to live and work.

From Our CEO/President,

Our 2022 campaign year was my first full year as president of HABUW. With the help of the board and amazing guidance of Bob Cook, past board chair, we were able to conduct a successful campaign, bring on new donor partners and nurture important relationships with current donor partners and our partner agencies. I am thankful for the time I had to learn the day to day business and the long term goals set up for Habersham County United Way. This time of learning has paved the way to build a very successful 2023 campaign year and we look forward to developing new relationships as well as nurturing those that have been supporting HABUW for many years.

Thank you for your support,

Candice Holcomb, CEO/President

**United
Way**



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Habersham County United Way Balance Sheet as of December 31, 2022

Assets

Current Assets

Total Checking/Savings \$304,598.53

Total Pledges Receivable \$70,217.76

Total Current Assets \$374,816.29

Total Fixed Assets \$185,074.93

TOTAL ASSETS \$559,891.22

Liabilities & Equity

Current Liabilities

Total Accounts Payable \$418.70

Total Current Liabilities \$91,043.70

Total Liabilities \$92,630.57

Total Equity \$467,260.65

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