

# *Uwharrie Society* 2022

LEADING THE WAY TO A STRONGER COMMUNITY



# 2022 Leadership Giving

Leadership Giving has inspired and motivated others to give since 1994, providing leadership and essential financial resources that support United Way's mission in the community.

We are proud to recognize our generous 2022 Uwharrie Society and Alexis de Tocqueville Society members and say "Thank You" for giving from your hearts. Your gifts offer opportunities for a better life to more than 45,000 people who use United Way funded services each year.



# **THANK YOU**

### Awesome Job, Uwharrie Society Members!



Yet again, you have gone above and beyond for our wonderful community. You have stepped up and given your time and resources to help those who may be struggling during difficult times in their own lives. It brings us great pride to see you helping members of our community find a better way.

Together, you raised over \$350,000, and we would like to extend a sincere thank you for your contributions. We are certain that those benefiting from these donations are

extending the same appreciation.

Thank you for all that you continue to do to support this community that we call home.

With Sincere Appreciation,

Brandon and Amy Williams 2022 Uwharrie Society Chairs

# HISTORY

The Uwharrie Society was founded in 1994 by a small group of United Way donors who felt that Leadership Giving offered donors an opportunity to become more effectively involved in strengthening our community through United Way. Together, they launched The Uwharrie Society to encourage and recognize leadership level gifts of \$1000 or more. Forty-eight families accepted the invitation to join as Founding Members.

In 1998, The Uwharrie Society expanded to include The Uwharrie Chapter of The Alexis de Tocqueville Society, which represents the highest level of giving to United Way nationwide. It was created by United Way of America to recognize exceptional gifts of \$10,000 or more.

Through the years, The Uwharrie Society has grown exponentially to include approximately 200 members each year, and has contributed over \$10.5 million dollars for United Way programs and services in Randolph County. This year, we celebrate The Uwharrie Society's 29th Anniversary Campaign, continuing the proud tradition of caring begun by United Way in 1956.



#### LEADERSHIP GIVING 2022



We support United Way because it strengthens our community by supporting education, financial stability, and healthcare initiatives. By contributing to the United Way, we collectively make a difference in the lives of those who need it most, helping build a better future for all.

Our donations empower local programs and organizations and improve the overall well-being of our community.

**Mickey and Terry Dhatt** 

# Leadership Giving 2022

Our Leadership Donors want to help others and change our community in a positive way. They are business men and women, professionals, and retirees from all corners of Randolph County. The significant resources they provide help United Way's local focus on literacy, hunger and poverty, and wellness.

If you are among these 200 donors who collectively contributed over 55% of our 2022 Campaign dollars, you can be proud that you are helping more than 45,000 community members build more successful lives for themselves and their families.

Each gift to United Way is equally important. If you are not already a Leadership Donor, we hope you will consider a gift at this level.

## **Giving Levels**

#### Alexis de Tocqueville Society \$10,000 & Above

#### **Uwharrie Society**

Platinum	\$5,000 - \$9,999
Gold	\$2,500 - \$4,999
Silver	\$1,500 - \$2,499
Bronze	\$1,000 - \$1,499





When Alexis de Tocqueville came to America to study what made our young democracy work, he noticed something very different about the American people and their way of life. Instead of waiting for government to fix social ills, as was the custom in Europe, he saw that "associations" of people—the harbingers of today's non-profits—banded together to change things themselves.

Today, that same spirit of individuals coming together to help others continues through United Way's Alexis de Tocqueville Society, whose members represent the highest level of giving among United Ways nationwide.



# PLATINUM & GOLD

With the essential support of our Uwharrie Society members, people in crisis have a safety net of food, shelter, and clothing. Children have the tools they need to succeed in school. Families are learning money management skills to become stable and self-sufficient, and people of all ages have opportunities to remain healthy and active in a safe environment.



"I support United Way because the programs they deliver significantly improve lives in our community every day."

#### Mike Moss

#### Platinum - \$5,000 - \$9,999

▲\* Acme-McCrary and Sapona Foundation
 ▲\* Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bullins
 \* Mr. and Mrs. Ben Frazier
 Mr. Loren "Digger" Graber
 ▲\*The Bill<sup>+</sup> and Ann Hoover Charitable Fund *L* \* The Ramsay Family Foundation
 \* Sam and Vicki Ramsey *L*

#### Gold - \$2,500 - \$4,999

- \* Mr. Mark Akerman
- \* Clark and Diane Bell
- ▲\* Robert H. Butler MD
  - \* Mr. and Mrs. Chris Clark Mr. Dennis Cox
  - \* Henry and Gina Delk
- $^*$ Mr. and Mrs. Steve Eblin  $\mathcal{L}$ 
  - Mr. William Gaun
  - \* Mr. Jimmy Gilmer
  - \* Ms. Stacy Griffin
  - \* Jimmy and Pam Hill
  - \*Mr. and Mrs. Gene Holder  $\mathcal{L}$
  - \* Mrs. Jerry<sup>+</sup> Holder
- ▲\* Victor and Carol Jones

- ▲\* Dean and Kay Lail
- ▲\* Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lail
  - \* Mr. and Mrs. Brent Lail
  - \* Dale and Regina Lambert
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- ▲ \* Mr. Bob Shaffner
- ▲ \* Dr. and Mrs. J. Larry Simpson
  - \* Mr. Darwin Smith

4 members wish to remain anonymous



"We both grew up in Randolph County and feel privileged to give back to our community. Over the years we have seen how agencies benefit from United Way support."

#### -Mike & Sharon Harrelson

- 2 Legacy Donors
- \* Loyal Contributors
- Charter Member 1998
- + Deceased

#### Bronze - \$1,000 - \$1,499

- \* Mr. John Adair III
- \* Bill and Susan Batten
- \* Mr. Gary Bean
- \* Mr. and Mrs. Stan Beck
- \* Dr. and Mrs. Charles Betts
- \* Mr. Charles Bossong
- \* Mr. and Mrs. Huntley Bossong
- ▲ \* Margaret H. Bossong
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  - \* Mr. and Mrs. Rob Clauser
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- \* Dr. and Mrs. Mickey Dhatt Mr. Enrique DiCrosta
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\* Elbert and Rose Lassiter

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- Mr. Gentry Martin
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- \* Will and Jackie Massie
- \* Mr. Ernest McNeill
- \* Donna and Mike Miller
- \* Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Miller
- \*Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Morrison L Linda H. Murphy
  - Mr. Kenneth Norris
  - \* John and Martha Ogburn
  - \* Dr. and Mrs. Gary Parks
  - \* Mr. John Carl Payne Mr. Mike Pugh
  - \* Mac and Ann Pugh Mr. and Mrs. Doug Pugh Mr. and Mrs. Steve Pugh



We are proud to give to the United Way of Randolph County each year, because we know that so many local organizations benefit. Go online at www.uwrandolph. org and see the Power of Your Support success stories. It will make you proud too! It's a great feeling to be a part of this outstanding annual giving.

#### Walt and Cookie Sprouse

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Pugh

- \* John and Nan Revell Mr. Brian Rhode
- \* Dr. and Mrs. Jim Rich
- \* Mr. Kenneth Robbins Mr. Guadalupe Romo Ruiz Ms. Karen Routh
- \* Mr. and Mrs. Ward Russell
- \* Mr. Henry Salers
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- \* Mr. and Mrs. Greg Spainhour Mr. Richard Speight Cookie and Walt Sprouse John Stein and Linda Henson
- \* Mr. and Mrs. Cooper Thornton
- \* Ms. Kerry Vickery
- \* Bob and Dot Walker
- \* Mark and Brenda Walker
- \* Ms. Merita Wall
- \* Mr. and Mrs. Brad Wellington
- \* Todd and Denise Williams
- \* Drs. Brandon and Amy Williams
- \* Mr. and Mrs. Frank Willis Mr. and Mrs. Steve Wrenn

3 members wish to remain anonymous



BRONZE

### **CORPORATE RECOGNITION**

The following organizations have Leadership Donors among their employees

**Access Dental Care** Acme-McCrary & Sapona Foundation **Advisors Financial Center Asheboro City Schhols** Asheboro Dermatology & Skin Center Asheboro Elastics Corp. **Asheboro Fire & Security** Asheboro Nissan Automasters Oil **Beck and Associates Bossong Hosiery Mills** Brandon and Amy Williams DDS PA **Brubaker and Associates Burge Flower Shop Cadence Petroleum Carolina Custom Finishing LLC Carolina Pharmacy** Charlie's Tin Shop Chick-fil-a **Christians United Outreach Center City of Asheboro Clapp's Convalescent Nursing Home** Clark R Bell **Drs. Bryan and Cheryl Freeman Fidelity Bank First Bank First United Methodist Church** Gary H. Parks, DDS Insurance Associates of the Triad It's Leather

JBDJ LLC Klaussner Furniture Industries Lincoln Financial Group **Kintegra Health** McDowell Lumber Co. NC Zoo Society Paschal & Associates Prestige Fabricators Inc. Pugh Companies Pugh Funeral Homes, Inc Randolph Community College **Randolph County Administration Randolph County Board of Elections Randolph County Schools** Randolph Electric Membership Corp. **Randolph Health Randolph Senior Adults Association Raymond James Financial RMA Pediatrics** Sapona Plastics State of NC Judicial District 26 Syngenta **Technimark LLC** The Welsh Group Thermaco Thomas R. Jones Inc. **Tiger Leather** United Way of Randolph County Wells Fargo WZOO Radio



Together, We're Getting Things Done

# **The Power of Community Leaders**

United Way began in Randolph County in 1956 as an organized way to meet community needs. Year after year, community leaders, just like you, have helped us build strategic partnerships with individual donors and businesses who unite with us to tackle community issues and needs.

Today, our Leadership Donors are instrumental in helping United Way create strategic collaborations among our 15 partner agencies that work together to serve over 45,000 people each year. We invite you to join these influential philanthropists who are investing in community change through

## **Education**

Preparing children to succeed in school

## **Financial Stability**

Helping struggling families become financially stable and self-reliant

## Health

Promoting health and well-being among all ages.

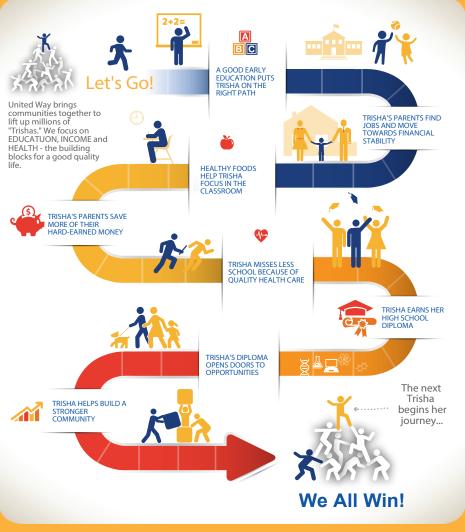
THAT'S THE POWER OF BEING A LEADERSHIP DONOR AT UNITED WAY.

#### UNITED WAY OF RANDOLPH COUNTY

# **IMPACT**

## WHERE THE MONEY GOES...

Meet Trisha is a child who wants to succeed. All she needs is an opportunity.



To learn more about how even a small change can strengthen your community, check out our website at www.uwrandolph.org



United Way of Randolph County

# FOCUSING ON EDUCATION

**EDUCATION** is a cornerstone of success in school, work, and opportunities for a better life.



• Central Boys and Girls Club offers nearly 230 students, ages 6-18, after school mentoring, homework assistance, tutoring, and technology assistance.

Nearly 700 students depended on the BackPack Pals program for food over the weekend, and 354 received the caring support of mentors.

**432 students** applied their STEM skills in **4-H** science and agriculture programs.

Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts helped 678 students learn life skills, leadership, environmental stewardship, and self-reliance.

The Partnership for Children's focus on quality child-care, school readiness, and early literacy served 376 children from birth through age 5.

# HELPING CHILDREN SUCCEED

# **FINDING HIS HERO**



Thanks to Communities in Schools, Thomas found the hero he needed in Tom Holtham.

His father had died, and his kindergarten teacher felt Thomas needed the influence of a mentor he could relate to.

CIS mentor Tom Holtham stepped in and became a special part of Thomas's life, visiting him once a week at school from the first grade all the way through his freshman year in high school. Mr. Tom still visits him weekly

and has been a tremendous influence in Thomas's life.

Caring people like you make it possible for United Way to fund CIS and other programs that focus on nurturing children from cradle to career. Thank you for your support.

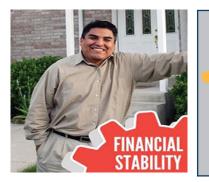
CIS Mentoring is funded by the United Way of Randolph County.

#### UNITED WAY EDUCATION PARTNER AGENCIES

- 4H
  Communities In Schools
  Partnership for Children
- Boy Scouts (Old North State Council)
- Girl Scouts (Peaks to Piedmont)
- Central Boys and Girls Club

# FOCUSING ON FINANCIAL STABILITY

FINANCIALLY STABLE people are more likely to have access to quality health care, provide a good education for their children, and contribute to their local economies.



### United Way is Helping people gain

Knowledge and tools to manage income and savings
 Skills and education to obtain jobs that provide

 a livable wage
 Security through home ownership

10,696 people turned to CUOC's Crisis Intervention Services for assistance last year.

The American Red Cross Disaster Services helped 40 families
 put their lives back together again after a fire.

• The Salvation Army's Financial Crisis Program helped 13,827 people avoid eviction or losing their electricity and water services.

Path of Hope's Alpha/Mangum Houses provided a safe, secure residential environment where people recovering from addiction could continue their recovery process and prepare to live independently again.

# **BUILDING STABLE FAMILIES**

# MAKING HER HOUSE SAFE AGAIN



At CUOC, Leslie received the help she desperately needed to make her house habitable again.

Leslie lived alone and was disabled. She had not had running water for two weeks, and she could barely pay her bills, so there were no funds for a plumber. She reached out to CUOC for help.

The problem turned out to be more than Leslie

realized. In addition to repairs on the well pump and line, her septic tank was backed up into some lines, posing a serious health threat. It was also determined that it would be pointless to repair the well unless there was a new well house to keep pipes and the pump from freezing up.

CUOC's crisis intervention service was able to partner with Neighbors Helping Neighbors and other community resources to make the necessary repairs and to build a new well house so her home was safe to live in again. Thank you for your support.

Christians United Outreach is funded by the United Way of Randolph County.

UNITED WAY INCOME PARTNER AGENCIES

American Red Cross
Salvation Army
Christians United Outreach Center
Path of Hope, Inc.

# **FOCUSING ON WELLNESS**

When people are **HEALTHY**, active, and in a safe environment, they are more likely to succeed in school, work, and life.



Ash-Rand Rescue provided critical emergency rescue services for 1348 people.

• **1649 second graders** in **CARE** classes across Randolph County learned how to recognize and report sexual abuse.

• **Kintegra Health** provided prenatal lab screenings for **50** uninsured or underserved patients.

In-home care from RCS enabled 85 Seniors to continue living independently in their own homes.

• YMCA scholarships helped 233 people improve their health through fitness activities and classes.

Randolph Senior Adults Association served 3628 people with meals, transportation, Medicare options counseling, or respite adult day care.

# ACCESS TO HEALTHCARE A HEALTHY PREGNANCY



Thanks to United Way donors, she received the prenatal care she needed to protect her own and her unborn child's health.

She was in a tough situation, with an abusive partner and a surprise pregnancy. Finances were tight. She had legal fees for action against her partner, and an unplanned pregnancy created additional financial strain.

Being able to get prenatal screenings at Kintegra and have her diagnostic lab-work

covered was a huge relief, and helped ensure a healthy pregnancy.

United Way uses your donations to fund programs that help everyone have access to basic needs and healthcare. Thank you for your support.

Kintegra Health is funded by United Way of Randolph County.



# HOW TO LIVE UNITED Change Won't Happen Without YOU

It takes an entire community to make a difference. We need YOU to help us ensure successful students, stable families, and healthy people.

When you give to United Way, your gift:

- · Helps local individuals and families with a variety of needs
- · Is applied where the need is greatest
- Supports programs of agencies that are financially sound and highly accountable

### GIVE.

So much depends on your pledge. Your gift to United Way will impact our community in many more ways than you might think. Whether you choose to give through your workplace campaign, or give an outright gift of cash or stock, your money will stay here and help here.

### ADVOCATE.

You are the one that others listen to. Your leadership skills can inspire others to be part of community change. Lend your vision, your voice, and your talents within a caring community of committed leaders.

## **VOLUNTEER.**

Your expertise will lead the way. Volunteer as an individual. Organize a volunteer activity, OR, take on a longer-term commitment as a board or committee member. You'll instantly see the impact you're having in our community.