

# Eagle Scout Success

**Only 5% of all Scouts nationwide earn the coveted Eagle Scout rank. Braxton Walker is one of them.**

**For his Eagle project, Braxton repaired concrete and replaced crumbling bleachers at the Randleman ballfield to give fans a safe place to sit and enjoy the games.**

**In 2024, [Randolph County Scouts](#) performed over 1,700 community service hours and completed 15 Eagle Scout projects.**

**Your United Way dollars help hundreds of young people in Randolph County benefit from Boy Scout programs every year.**

**For more information, call 336-378-9166**



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# Hands-On Learning

**Randolph County 4-H** and the Archdale Public Library Branch are offering homeschool families a world of hands-on, interactive learning experiences emphasizing agriculture, science, and STEM education.

**They also offer students opportunities to socialize and connect with their peers.**

**This creative 4-H partnership gives students valuable educational opportunities that complement their home-based learning.**

**Your United Way dollars fund these and other 4-H activities that impact over 9500 local students every year.**

**For more information, call 336-318-6005**



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# Rescued Safely

When moments matter most, **Ash-Rand Rescue** is there.

Arriving in just three minutes to the scene of an overturned truck, the team acted swiftly and efficiently.

They called in additional support, stabilized the vehicle, and, after 2 ½ hours of intense effort, safely removed the driver for further care.

Their quick response and teamwork embody the spirit of community support and resilience.

Your United Way dollars provide Ash-Rand Rescue with the equipment, training, and man-power to respond to accidents or conduct wilderness, swift-water, industrial, or high/low angle rescue.

For more information, call 336-625-3354



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# Power Hour

Zy'lere is proof that the activities at **The Boys and Girls Club** make a real difference in kids' lives.

Through **Power Hour** and other after-school programs, he has grown from a shy kid into a confident young man and role model who inspires younger kids to make good choices.

Zy'lere's schoolwork has improved significantly, and he has had great grades his entire 8<sup>th</sup> grade year!

Central Boys and Girls Club uses your United Way dollars to help students like Zy'lere succeed in life and school.

For more information, call 336-882-2582



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# Our Place

**Don always arrives with a smile on his face, ready for the day.**

**For 10 years, he has enjoyed the activities at **Our Place Adult Day Care**, being with others, playing cards, being “the doorman” greeting people, and listening to the music.**

**He is happy at **Our Place**. Without it, he would be isolated and lonely at home alone in his room with no one to talk to and nothing to do.**

**Because of your United Way Dollars, Our Place Adult Day Care is there to provide families with daytime relief from full time care giving.**

**For more information, call 336-629-3787**



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# Caring and Support

**Mentor/Mentee relationships are powerful.**

**This had been a tough 8th grade year. She had been removed from her home by DSS, and transferred from her Asheboro school to a school in Randolph County.**

**She had been working with the same **Communities In Schools Mentor** since the 4th grade.**

**When she was asked how she felt about moving, her first question was whether her mentor could continue with her in her new school.**

**When the answer was “yes”, she said “then I am okay with the move.”**

**Because of your United Way dollars, Communities in Schools mentors are there for students who need stability and caring support.**

**For more information, call 336-625-0008**



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# What Next?

**When disaster strikes, uncertainty can be overwhelming.**

**The Red Cross Disaster Response Team** responds quickly and compassionately to ensure families receive both the financial and the emotional care they need.

**Red Cross** provides immediate assistance with food, shelter, and clothing, and then refers families to other community partners to guide them through the months-long recovery process.

**Your United Way dollars help prepare and equip Red Cross to respond quickly and effectively when disaster strikes.**

**For more information, call 336-625-2399**



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# LIFE-CHANGING HELP AT HOME

At 68, faced with eviction and unable to care for himself, John found hope through **Regional Consolidated Services**.

With approved **RCS** in-home aid for light housekeeping and personal care, he can continue living in his own home, maintaining independence and dignity.

John's story is a testament to the power of community support.

**Regional Consolidated Services** provides in-home assistance with personal care, house-keeping, and minor home repairs, enabling the disabled elderly to remain comfortably in their own homes.

**For more information, call 336-629-5151**



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# Still Independent

Thanks to **RCATS**, she can maintain her freedom while living with family farther out in the community.

It's more than just rides to the pharmacy or to the Senior Center for meals and activities with friends. **RCATS** provides a sense of belonging and peace of mind.

Our **RCATS** drivers are like family, dedicated to making a difference, and truly wanting to be there to help.

With your United Way donations, RCATS vans enable local people to access community services or accomplish activities necessary for daily living.

For more information, call 336-625-3389



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# Summer Camp at the “Y”

**This summer, the **YMCA** camp helped a shy young girl blossom into a confident, social, and active camper.**

**She went from sitting alone and not talking to anyone, to joining in, making friends, tying her own shoes, and discovering a love for sports.**

**These small victories are the building blocks of a brighter future, helping children reach their full potential.**

**The YMCA needs your United Way donations to continue recreational and fitness programs for all ages, and classes for the physically and developmentally handicapped.**

**For more information, call 336-625-1976**



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# Backpack Pals

**Logan was 13. When he volunteered to help deliver Backpack Pals food this summer, he had no idea so many children did not have enough to eat at home.**

**Seeing the children excited over receiving a simple bag of food opened his eyes to what a difference it was making in their lives, and how blessed he was to have food and shelter at home.**

**During the summer, over 750 children depend on regular Communities in Schools Backpack Pals deliveries for their meals.**

**Communities in Schools uses your United Way contributions to provide weekend and summer food for students who do not have enough to eat at home.**

**For more information, call 336-625-0008**



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# The Right Plan

**The Information & Options Counseling Program at Randolph Senior Adults Association** helps seniors select appropriate Medicare and Medicare Supplement plans.

When a Randolph County senior faced staggering medication costs, the **Information & Options Counseling Program** found a solution.

By identifying her eligibility for Medicare Part D Extra Help, they were able to reduce her medication costs from over \$3,500 to just \$12.15 a month.

Your donations help programs like the I&OC service at Randolph Senior Adults Association, and can offer seniors much-needed assistance.

For more information, call 336-625-3389



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# Meals and Smiles

**Meals on Wheels at Randolph County Senior Adults Association delivers a smiling face and a few minutes of fellowship as well as a nutritious hot meal to the homebound.**

**Often, that delivery is the only human contact the clients have, and means as much to them as the good food they receive.**

**Each visit includes a wellness check. Trained drivers can assess general health issues, fall risk, and safety at home.**

**Your donations help the Randolph County Senior Adults Association provide nutritious, hot, home-delivered meals to homebound clients.**

**For more information, call 336-625-3389**



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# Back on Her Feet

When times get tough, United Way is there.

When her work hours were cut, she faced the threat of losing electricity. Thankfully, a call to **NC 211** connected her with **Christians United Outreach Center**, and she found the short-term help she needed.

Now, her hours are back to normal, and she's meeting her financial needs independently without any assistance.

Thanks to **CUOC**, she is back on her feet and facing a brighter future.

**Your donations help Christians United Outreach Center help people get back on their feet and remain self-sufficient.**

**For more information, call 336-625-1500**



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# Leaving Home Safely

When life took an unexpected turn for him, **RCS Home Repair Service** stepped in to provide much-needed support.

After a fall and subsequent knee replacement left him with limited mobility, the steps to his home became a daily challenge.

**RCS Home Repair Service** installed a ramp, transforming his quality of life and making his home accessible once more.

He was so grateful, and praised the vital role services like this play in our community. .

With your **United Way** dollars, **Regional Consolidated Services Home Repair Service** can continue helping the elderly age well and safety at home.

For information, call 336-629-5151



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# A Teacher's View

**NC Pre-K through the Partnership for Children** offers quality, affordable child care, and helps prepare children for kindergarten.

**“As a Pre-K teacher, I love seeing this play out in my classroom!**

**Classroom activities encourage the children to be creative and express their feelings, emotions, wants, and needs.**

**Support from staff, the Partnership, and the community, lead and guide us in ways that can help the families and the child.”**

**Your United Way donations help The Partnership for Children improve access to quality, affordable child care, and early learning opportunities.**

**For information, call 336-629-2128**



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# Special Olympics

**Ella, 13, loves to swim, and loves pool time at the YMCA with her family.**

**She has been competing in the Special Olympics swimming, basketball, bowling, and track and field events at our **YMCA** ever since she started school.**

**Competing in these events makes her proud of herself and helps her feel like any other kid.**

**Her family, and many others, are so thankful for the Special Olympics opportunities at the **YMCA**.**

**The YMCA Uses your United Way dollars to nurture the potential of every child, and to bring families together through fitness, sports, fun, and shared interests.**

**For information, Call 336-625-1976**



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# Food and Friends

Lunch at the **Randolph Senior Adults Association Center** is the highlight of her day.

After two years of home-delivered meals, she found a new lease on life by joining the **Senior Center's** congregate meals four days a week.

**The Center** offers her exercise, engaging activities, and trivia, along with trips to places she never thought she'd visit. On days when she can't make it due to appointments or weather, she truly misses the camaraderie of her friends at the **Center**.

Now she has a sense of community and feels far less isolated .

With **United Way** donations, **Randolph Senior Adults Association** provides transportation, meals, outreach, advocacy, and support for seniors and their families.

For more information, call 336-625-3389



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# Healthier Choices

Keith Stephens is the 2024 Club Kid of the Year for the **Central Asheboro Boys and Girls Club**.

Keith took the **Healthy Habits** program to heart, learning about nutrition, regular physical activity, and improving overall health. He has become a leader and a role model, helping his peers during dinner and encouraging them to make healthier choices.

At the **Club**, Keith has been able to complete school assignments and receive tutoring and mentoring. It has made all the difference in his academic success and personal growth.

**Because of your United Way dollars, Central Boys and Girls Club is there to help students like Keith succeed in school and life.**

**For more information, call 336-882-2582**



# Hope Shines Through

**Amid life's challenges, hope shines through.**

**When reduced work hours and health issues cast uncertainty on his family's future, [The Salvation Army](#) stepped in.**

**With their support, he caught up on rent, ensuring his family could stay in their home for the holidays. [The Salvation Army](#) went even further, helping with Christmas gifts for his children so that his paycheck could cover essential expenses.**

**This compassionate support allowed him to focus on health and rebuilding, knowing a caring community stands with him.**

**[The Salvation Army](#) uses your [United Way](#) contributions to provide food and clothing for the needy, fuel assistance in the winter, and disaster relief.**

**For more information, call 336-625-0551**



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