



United Way of Bedford County, Inc.
127 South Juliana Street
Bedford PA 15522

Our Mission

“To increase the organizational capacity for people to care for one another.”

Annual Report **2015/2016 Campaign**

The United Way of Bedford County (UWBC) maintains an office in the heart of downtown Bedford PA at 127 South Juliana Street. UWBC is a 501 (c) (3) non-profit agency governed by a volunteer board of directors. Through its annual Campaign monies are fundraised by various means and then allocated to UW partner non-profit agencies based on amount raised and individual program needs.

UWBC publishes an electronic newsletter via Constant Contact on a bi-monthly basis to keep donors, volunteers and friends up-to-date. A Facebook page www.facebook.com/unitedwaybedford is also maintained, as well as a website, www.uwaybedfordpa.org

UWBC is a member of United Way Worldwide, United Way of Pennsylvania, Bedford County Chamber of Commerce, Downtown Bedford Inc., Bedford County Human Services Council.

This report summarizes the accomplishments of the United Way of Bedford County (UWBC) Board of Directors and its Executive Director for the 2015/2016 Campaign.

The 2015/2016 Campaign Goal was set by the Board of Directors at \$170,000. The Campaign officially “kicked off” on September 1, 2015 with a joint meeting with UWBC Board members and representatives from the 14 Community Partner Agencies. Following the meeting all gathered at the Bedford Post office for a photo in front of the Campaign Progress Board. The Campaign was divided into four distinct goals for this Campaign – Bronze \$50,000, Silver \$100,000, Gold \$150,000 and Platinum \$170,000.



September 1, 2015
 2015/2016 Campaign Kick Off – Board Members and Community Partners

2015/2016 Campaign Fundraising

Corporate and Individual Giving

Diamond Donors	\$5000 and above	\$39,387
Ruby Donors	\$2000 - \$4999	\$14,115
Sapphire Donors	\$1000 - \$1999	\$6,750
Emerald Donors	\$500 - \$999	\$9,625
Partner Donors	\$100 - \$499	\$4,582
Patron Donors	<\$100	\$1,500

Payroll Deduction \$30,868

State Employee Combined Appeal \$8,500

Special Events

Golf Tournament	\$8,000
Wild Dave's Pulled Pork BBQ	\$2,400
Wine Down Friday	\$2,000
March Forth into Comedy	\$7,000

Payroll Deductions via other United Ways \$15,435

Community Outreach Events

National Night Out – August 18, 2015 – UWBC Board members spinning cotton candy – Free to Kids of all ages.....



Downtown Bedford Halloween Costume Promenade - October 24, 2015 – Apples and treats !!!!!



April 2016 Scouting For Food - Countywide Food Collection for Bedford County Food Bank
in Cooperation with Laurel Highlands Council – BSA



April 15, 2016 – Annual Day of Caring – 75 Volunteers assisted individuals, families and nonprofit agencies with minor chores



Annual Spring Luncheon – April 29, 2016 – Bedford County Technical Center

The 2015/2016 Campaign concluded on March 31, 2016 with the Gold Goal of \$150,000 met.

The luncheon highlighted the Campaign, recognized major donors and announced allocations from the campaign to Community Partner Agencies

DIAMOND DONORS

Clark Contractors, Inc.
Kennametal, Inc.
M&T Charitable Foundation
New Enterprise Stone & Lime Company, Inc.
Oshkosh Foundation
Rockland Manufacturing, Inc.
Structural Fiberglass
UPMC Bedford Memorial

RUBY DONORS

Creative Pultrusions
Don Brown
Giant Eagle & The McKillop Family
Nationwide Insurance

2015/2016 Campaign Allocations to Partner Agencies April 29, 2016

Allegheny Lutheran Social Ministries	
Head Start/Early Head Start Program	\$4,000
Early Learning Kid Stop Program	\$5,000
Family Centers of Bedford County	\$1,500
American Red Cross	\$13,600
Bedford County Library	\$6,000
Bedford County Regional Education Foundation	\$6,000
Bedford United Methodist Church Preschool & Daycare	\$2,500
Boy Scouts of America – Laurel Highlands Council	\$6,500
Camp Cadet of Bedford County	\$900
Girl Scouts of Western PA	\$3,000
Home Nursing Agency	
Home Health & Hospice Program (did not request funding)	
Healing Patch Program	\$3,000
Adult Day Services Program	\$12,000
Hyndman Area Health Center	\$4,500
MidPenn Legal Services	\$2,500
Saxton Community Library	\$5,000
The Learning Lamp	\$8,000
Your Safe Haven	\$11,000

2015/2016 Campaign Designated Dollars

Partner Agencies	\$8,650
Other Agencies	\$2,500

2016 Community Impact Grant

Bedford Food Outreach	\$2,500
Hyndman Londonderry Public Library	\$500
Wheels Away	\$2,000

Total 2015/2016 Campaign Allocations/Designations/Grants

\$111,150

2016/2017 United Way of Bedford County Board of Directors

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