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Ohio Valley Goodwill is transitioning to an on-line electronic version of both the organization's newsletter and annual report. Each of these publications will be available on our website at: www.cincinnatigoodwill.org (just simply go to the ABOUT US tab and click on MEDIA).

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Please email us and let us know if you wish to move to the electronic format.

You can simply send us an email at: shannon@cincigoodwill.org and let us know if you would like to read both publications on-line and remove your contact information from our mailing list. If we do not hear back from you, we will continue to mail you a copy of our newsletter and yearly annual report. It's just another way we are working to assist the environment and helping to go "Green" at Ohio Valley Goodwill Industries.

Thank you for your continued support of Ohio Valley Goodwill Industries and the many people we serve each year!

Basically, going green means to live life, as an individual as well as a community, in a way that is friendly to the natural environmental and is sustainable for the earth.

Spring is a great time to look around your home, basement, garage and even your office in an effort to get organized and de-clutter. Most people are familiar with the idea of donating clothes and other household items to Goodwill and the benefits it provides to help to organize your environment. When you give to Goodwill you can be sure that your donations are benefiting people with disabilities, our nation's veterans, and others with barriers to employment. Goodwill is proud of the programs and services the organization is able to provide thanks to the generous contributions the organization receives from donors in the Greater Cincinnati community. For more than 100 years, Ohio Valley Goodwill Industries has been helping to put your donations to work; using funds generated to support skill training and employment programs for tens of thousands of people here in our community.

Ohio Valley Goodwill makes it easy to donate with donation centers located throughout Greater Cincinnati and Northern Kentucky. With 33 Goodwill Donation Centers throughout the area it makes it easy to de-clutter and become better organized. "Donations to Goodwill have a direct and positive impact on the lives of people right here in our community and you can be sure that each and every donation will benefit programs and services for the thousands of people we serve every year," said Eric Scott, Goodwill's Donations Supervisor. Goodwill's retail stores are filed with clothing for the entire family, household items, shoes, furniture, small appliances, and other items that are available at costs that can help keep families on a budget!

Remember, now is the best time to get organized and de-cluttering by donating to Ohio Valley Goodwill. We gladly accept your generous donations. For more information on donating to Goodwill visit our website at www.cincinnatigoodwill. org/donate. Ohio Valley Goodwill Industries thanks you for your continued support!













With its network of 17 Retail stores in the Greater Cincinnati area, Ohio Valley Goodwill is excited to announce the launch of its brand new Facebook Live broadcast which will highlight our Featured Store of the month beginning March 1st. The Facebook Live broadcast is called "Thursdays at 1 with Michael Flannery" and will showcase the hottest fashions and other exciting inventory which will be available the very next day at the Featured Store of the month. Goodwill's popular Montgomery boutique will be the Featured store for the month of March and every Thursday, Michael will share a sneak peek of what fabulous items will be on the shelves the following day.



To find out more about the new Goodwill Facebook Live broadcast, visit our News Blog at http://www.cincinnati goodwill.org/goodwill-announces-new-facebook-live-broadcast-featuring-michael-flannery/ and note "Thursdays at 1" every week on your planning calendar for a new broadcast and insider look into the best deals in town.

Michael Flannery, Public Information Officer



Goodwill Prepares for 2018 Annual Celebrity Golf Outing

Ohio Valley Goodwill is excited to announce that planning is underway for this year's 2018 Celebrity Golf Outing taking place on Thursday, June 7th at the beautiful Glenview Golf Club. Goodwill is pleased to once again have Strategic Employee Benefit Services back this year as Title Sponsor. Also joining in the sponsorship categories will be Palmer Leasing as Beverage Sponsor and Rumpke as Cart Sponsor. Look for invitations and on-line registration coming soon.

Ohio Valley Goodwill's Celebrity Golf Outing is a Cincinnati tradition and is being hosted again by Celebrity Chairman, Joe Walter and Co-Chair, Stephanie Mitchell. The pair have partnered as co-chairs for the annual Golf Outing for the past many years. Joe Walter is a former Bengal offensive lineman and current member of the organization's Board of Directors. Stephanie Mitchell is a long-time employee of the Kroger Company who is supported by Goodwill's Job Coaching team. Just as in past years, the proceeds from the 18th Annual Goodwill Celebrity Golf Outing will benefit individuals with disabilities, veterans challenged with homelessness, and men and women who face barriers to employment.

Sponsorship opportunities are also still available. To find out more about sponsoring and playing in this year's Goodwill Celebrity Golf Outing, contact Tammy Artrip at (513) 771-4800, ext. 6248.



Goodwill's Service Guild Presents Gift to the Organization

At Ohio Valley Goodwill's annual Holiday Luncheon on Friday, December 15, 2017, the Goodwill Service Guild presented President and CEO, Joe Byrum, with three special gift checks for the organization. The Service Guild presented a check for \$20,000 to be used for programs and services to help support the organization's mission, a check for \$5,000 to be used to help support programs for veterans, and an additional check for \$1,000 for Goodwill's CARE Program. In presenting the checks to Joe Byrum, Service Guild President, Sue Burreson, commented that the volunteer group is always pleased that it is able to support Goodwill through its fundraising efforts. "The Service Guild is delighted to be able to support Ohio Valley Goodwill, our veterans, and the CARE Program. Our fundraising efforts during the year are planned to help to support Goodwill and its important programs and services," said Burreson.

The Service Guild provides many programs and special services to individuals who are served by Ohio Valley Goodwill Industries. In addition to operating the Treasure Island Gift Shop inside the Tri-County retail store, the Service Guild plans several bus trips during the year, coordinates the semi-annual Mini Fests, and is involved in other fundraising activities. Also, throughout the year, the Service Guild assists with the planning and support for special meals and events for veterans and the individuals served by Goodwill.

For over 80 years, the Service Guild has been providing outreach and support for Ohio Valley Goodwill Industries. An additional purpose of the Service Guild is to assist in helping the community to be aware of Goodwill's mission. "We have appreciated all of the work that the Service Guild does on behalf of our organization" said CEO, Joe Byrum.

Ohio Valley Goodwill thanks the Service Guild for their work and dedication to Ohio Valley Goodwill and thanks its many members for their continued support!









Ohio Valley Goodwill Announces Plans for 2018 PigAbilities Event and 20th Anniversary Flying Pig Celebration

The excitement is already starting to build as Ohio Valley Goodwill begins planning for the 2018
PigAbilities event as part

of the Flying Pig Marathon. As the Title sponsor for the PigAbilities event, Goodwill is pleased to be part of the 20th anniversary celebration of the annual Flying Pig Marathon this year. PigAbilities is an empowering option for athletes of all ages and abilities who want to commit to going the distance by making healthy choices in their lives. The PigAbilities event takes place when there are fewer crowds, increased accessibility and more parking. On Saturday, May 5th participants will gather for a 1:00 pm start time and walk, roll or stroll the final mile on the actual Flying Pig Marathon course. At the Finish

Line each finisher will receive a PigAbilities medal to commemorate their achievement.

Last year marked the first time Title sponsorship for Ohio Valley Goodwill and broke all previous records for participation with almost 300 athletes choosing to finish the final mile of the Flying Pig Marathon. The 2018 PigAbilities event will also be the occasion for the launch of a new five week training program that will begin in late March for Goodwill athletes who will be preparing for the big event in May. Last year, more than 60 athletes supported by Ohio Valley Goodwill participated in the Pigabilities event and the post-race celebration and loved it.

In addition, Goodwill is also looking forward to the debut of its NEW and Improved "Pig Pop-Up Shop" at the Flying Pig Expo on Friday, May 4th and Saturday, May 5th. With a larger display space, Goodwill will have an incredible selection of running and work-out gear for the whole family at remarkable prices! This year's Flying Pig Marathon promises to be one of the most event-filled and fun ever with lots of things for athletes of all abilities to do. Register today and plan to join Goodwill at this year's Flying Pig Marathon, Expo and PigAbilities race on May 4th and 5th. For more information, visit www.flyingpigmarathon.com.

Find out more about PigAbilities at www. flyingpigmarathon.com/events/pigabilities and plan to join Goodwill and this year's team of determined athletes.

Auto Donations to Goodwill

Most people are very familiar with the idea of donating clothes and other items to Goodwill but did you know that you can even donate cars and other vehicles as well? For the past fifteen years, Ohio Valley Goodwill has managed its own onsite Auto Auction at Goodwill's corporate headquarters in Woodlawn. Vehicles donated to Ohio Valley Goodwill Industries stay right here in Greater Cincinnati and the best part is that donations from the Auto Auction program go directly to the organization's mission of putting people to work! Proceeds from Goodwill's Auto Auction program help to provide services that are designed to assist individuals with disabilities and homeless veterans in the Greater Cincinnati area.

When you make a donation to the Goodwill Auto Auction you'll feel good knowing that you are supporting a charitable organization and when you donate you may even be eligible for a tax advantage. Donating vehicles to Goodwill has a big impact on communities in Greater Cincinnati and Northern Kentucky, the kind of good impact that the IRS wants to

encourage. When you donate a vehicle to Goodwill, even a boat or motorcycle, you may be eligible to claim it on your itemized taxes. To find out more, see the guidelines from the IRS for charitable contributions at www.irs.gov or by calling 1-800-829-1040.

Ohio valley Goodwill makes it easy to donate with donation centers located throughout e Greater Cincinnati area as well as a donation partnership with the Superior Automotive Group and Mike Albert Direct. Superior Automotive and Mike Albert Direct will accept your car donation and can help you get money towards a new or used car when you donate.

For more information, visit www.superiorcars.com. Ohio Valley Goodwill also offers FREE towing services for your vehicle donation. The funds your vehicle donation raises helps to support the organization's life-changing service programs.

For more information on Goodwill's Auto Auction program, please call (513) 612-5980 or visit www.goodwillcars.com. Goodwill thanks you for your donations.



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Shopping & Donating to Ohio Valley Goodwill

Goodwill has 33 locations throughout Greater Cincinnati and Northern Kentucky. Donations are accepted at any of the following locations. Call (513) 771-4800 for hours and information or visit our website at: www.cincinnatigoodwill.org

Amelia Attended Donation Center 87 East Main St. Amelia, OH 45102 (513) 947-2800

Aurora Attended Donation Center 1030 Green Blvd. Aurora, IN 47001 (812) 926-8139

Batesville Goodwill Store 1348 State Rd 46 Fast Batesville, IN 47006 (812) 934-6349

Beechmont Goodwill Store 4051 Commercial Dr. Cincinnati, OH 45245

Bellevue Goodwill Store 15 Donnermeyer Drive Bellevue, KY 41073 (859) 291-1333

(513) 752-0067

Blue Ash Attended Donation Center 9410 Kenwood Rd. Cincinnati, OH 45242 (513) 791-6058

Cheviot Goodwill Store 3980 North Bend Rd. Cincinnati, OH 45211 (513) 662-7080

Cold Spring Attended Donation Center 4691 Alexandria Pike Cold Spring, KY 41076 (859) 441-0803

Colerain Attended Donation Center 9289 Colerain Avenue Cincinnati, OH 45251 (513) 245-2964

Delhi Attended Donation Center

5080 Delhi Pike @ Former Kroger Store Cincinnati, OH 45238 Delhi-Cleves Warsaw Attended

Donation Center 6096 Cleves-Warsaw Pike Cincinnati, OH 45238 (513) 467-0542

Fairfield Crossings Goodwill Store 4605 Dixie Highway Fairfield, OH 45014 (513) 939-0020

Finneytown Attended Donation Center 6700 Winton Rd. Cincinnati, OH 45224 (513) 541-0409

Florence Goodwill Store 7855 Tanner's Lane Florence, KY 41042 (859) 371-1238

Harrison Goodwill Store 1110 Harrison Ave. Harrison, OH 45030 (513) 367-2495

Independence Goodwill Store 6435 Taylor Mill Rd. Independence, KY 41051 (859) 356-5591

Landen Attended Donation Center 8927 Columbia Rd. Landen, OH 45140 (513) 583-5461 Lebanon Goodwill Store

1161 E. Main St. Lebanon, OH 45036 (513) 932-6856

Liberty Fairfield Attended Donation Center 5565 Liberty Fairfield Rd. Hamilton, OH 45011 (513) 737-4963

Loveland Goodwill Store 330 Loveland-Madeira Rd. Loveland, OH 45140 (513) 683-1151

Mariemont Attended Donation Center 7385 Wooster Pike @ Kroger Cincinnati, OH 45227

Mason Boutique & Donation Drive-Thru 1063 Reading Rd. Mason, OH 45040

(513) 770-3290 Milford Attended Donation Center 985 State Route 28 Milford, OH 45150

Montgomery Boutique & Donation Drive-Thru

9820 Montgomery Rd. Cincinnati, OH 45242 (513) 791-7058

(513) 831-9900

Mt. Washington Boutique & Donation-Drive-Thru 2234 Beechmont Ave.

Cincinnati, OH 45230 (513) 231-1459

Oakley Goodwill Store 3080 Markbreit Ave. Cincinnati, OH 45209 (513) 631-6348

Oxford Store

203 South Locust St. Oxford, OH 45056 (513) 273-2053

Tri-County Goodwill Store 10600 Springfield Pike Cincinnati, OH 45215 (513) 771-4804

Union Attended Donation Center 9990 Old Union Road Union, KY 41091 (859) 384-0430

West Chester Store 7773 Cincinnati Dayton Rd. West Chester, OH 45069 (513) 755-0575

West Chester Attended Donation Center 7779 Tylersville & Cox Rd. @ Big Lots West Chester, OH 45069

Westwood Attended Donation Center 2990 Harrison Ave Cincinnati, OH 45211

Goodwill Outlet Store 10596 Springfield Pike Cincinnati, OH 45215 (513) 771-0387

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