



Ohio Valley Goodwill
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Donations are important to Ohio Valley Goodwill Industries especially during the coming winter months. Every donation helps put people to work. Ohio Valley Goodwill has 32 convenient locations throughout the Tri-State. To find a donation location close to you, simply go to our website: www.cincinnati goodwill.org/donate

Ohio Valley Goodwill's Auto Auction also accepts vehicles which are sold to assist the organization with its mission to serve individuals with disabilities. Call (513) 612-5980 or visit www.goodwillcars.com

Thank you for your contributions!



Ohio Valley Goodwill Welcomes Congressman Brad Wenstrup

Ohio Valley Goodwill Industries was pleased to welcome U. S. Congressman Brad Wenstrup and Legislative Assistant, Annie Cummins, to the corporate facility on Wednesday, August 10th for a comprehensive tour and visit with organizational staff. Representative Wenstrup was provided with a tour of the Goodwill facility by Joseph Byrum,

President and CEO, and Veterans Services team members, Bill Darnell and John Briggs. Serving on the Armed Services and Veterans' Affairs Committees, Representative Wenstrup was interested in learning more about the programs and services the organization provides for the hundreds of veterans that Goodwill serves each year. Celebrating Ohio Valley Goodwill's 100th Anniversary during 2016, the organization typically serves between 800 and 900 veterans and veteran family members a year by helping them to obtain employment and permanent housing in the Greater Cincinnati community. Goodwill offers a transitional dormitory located at its Woodlawn headquarters to enable veterans to get back on their feet as they move towards permanent housing and employment in the community.

Representative Wenstrup was elected in 2012 to represent the people of Ohio's Second Congressional District in the United States House of Representatives. He brings experience as a doctor, Army Reserve officer, Iraq War veteran, and small business owner to help Congress tackle the economic and security challenges facing the nation.

In the 114th Congress, Representative Wenstrup serves on the House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, the Armed Services Committee, and the Committee on Veterans' Affairs where he is the Chairman of the Subcommittee on Economic Opportunity. As a member on each of these Committees, the Representative is working to strengthen our military and national defense, help our returning service members transition to civilian life, and support southern Ohio's veteran community. It is the Congressman's commitment to the cause of Veterans services that prompted his interest in Ohio Valley Goodwill and to learn more about its record of service to our military heroes. The Congressman's visit ended with a brief discussion about Ohio Valley Goodwill's economic impact in the Greater Cincinnati area as well as its century long history of service to the community.

Ohio Valley Goodwill is grateful to Congressman Wenstrup for making time to visit the organization's corporate headquarters and to learn more about the services that the organization has been providing for the past 100 years in the Greater Cincinnati community.

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Ohio Valley Goodwill's Volunteer Service Guild Hosts Fall Mini Fest!

Fall in the Tristate always signals the time for Goodwill's Service Guild to hold its annual Fall Mini Fest. Held on Friday, September 30th and Saturday, October 1st, the two-day annual event is planned and presented by the Service Guild and their many volunteer members. The event is a way for the Service Guild to promote Goodwill and to raise funds in support of their mission to assist Ohio Valley Goodwill with its programs and services for men and women with disabilities and our nation's veterans. The annual event features homemade baked goods and candy, an "Elegant Junque" and collectibles booth, special items from the Service Guild's Treasure Island Gift Shop, dozens of books, and the always popular grilled hot dogs served during lunchtime.

The Goodwill Service Guild has more than 100 volunteers who have been actively supporting the group for over 80 years to advance the mission of Ohio Valley Goodwill Industries. "We appreciate the great work that the Service Guild does on behalf of Goodwill and the programs that they offer throughout the year. The semi-annual festivals help to promote our very important mission to the public and assist in making more people aware of the important work that we do on behalf of people with disabilities," said George Palmer, Goodwill's Director of PR and Marketing.

Ohio Valley Goodwill thanks the Service Guild for their continued dedication and support over the past many years!



Ohio Valley Goodwill Industries congratulates the following individuals on their service and dedication during 2016:

Administrative Services:

5 Years	Abigail Bradburn
30 Years	Dawn Graham
40 Years	Doug Ostholthoff

Contributed Goods:

5 Years	Gina Bolton
5 Years	Mildred Brock
5 Years	Kenneth Carter
5 Years	Carol Grady
5 Years	Richard Heyob
5 Years	Janet Krauser
5 Years	Tamara Mobarry
5 Years	Steve Moore
5 Years	Laura Patrick
5 Years	Tom Ralston
5 Years	Jonathon Suggs
5 Years	Greg Woesner
10 Years	James Bays
10 Years	Carla Bennett
10 Years	Shemicka Burton
10 Years	Tammy Case
10 Years	Karen Crider
10 Years	Debbie Dye
10 Years	Roger Haines
10 Years	Jason Hoefker
10 Years	Allen Howard, Jr.
10 Years	Nicholas Hunkler
10 Years	Patricia Mertz
10 Years	Jyoti Mody
10 Years	Michael Roy
10 Years	Joyce Tolley
10 Years	Mary Wilson
15 Years	Donna Clouse
15 Years	Gilda Embry
15 Years	Vernie Jones
15 Years	Heidi Punghorst
15 Years	Steven Stempfley
20 Years	Chis Schaney
25 Years	Kimberly Masters
30 Years	Timothy E. Sites
30 Years	Denise Thomas

Facilities:

10 Years	Chris Ward
30 Years	Lamar Davidson

Industrial Services:

5 Years	Harrison Jones
5 Years	Christopher Mills
5 Years	William Mitchell
10 Years	Ida Foster
20 Years	Michael Bartko
30 Years	Lorenzo Berry
30 Years	Linda Peak

Rehabilitation Services:

5 Years	John Barnett
5 Years	Craig Bell
5 Years	Karen Carter
5 Years	Randall Clipson
5 Years	William Darnell
5 Years	John Farley
5 Years	Barbara Frederick-Miller
5 Years	Megan Haber
5 Years	Richard Hamel
5 Years	Jeanna Horsley
5 Years	E. Marie Johnson
5 Years	Ann Mackzum
5 Years	Timothy McGinnis
5 Years	Patricia North
5 Years	Lakeisha Sawyer
5 Years	Julie Schreiber
5 Years	Travis Smith
5 Years	Jodi Stockhoff
5 Years	Cynthia Thomas
5 Years	Joseph Voska
10 Years	Arthur Ferguson
10 Years	Willie Henley, Jr.
10 Years	James Leveline
10 Years	Robert Luebbe
10 Years	Kelly Manns
10 Years	Lisa Schneider
10 Years	Rickey Younger
15 Years	Nino Giancola
15 Years	Tonya Isaacs
15 Years	Brenda Matthews
20 Years	Aimee Rittner
20 Years	Lisa Williamson

Ohio Valley Goodwill Industries Recognized As "Top Performer" in Helping People Get Jobs!

Ohio Valley Goodwill Industries is proud to announce that the organization and its Employment Services team has been recognized as the "Top Performer" in helping people with developmental disabilities to get jobs in the community. The organization's achievement reflects its commitment to Employment First, a national movement to assist job seekers with developmental disabilities to work in competitive, integrated employment.

As one of the largest employment and training centers in Southwest Ohio, Goodwill is committed toward helping people with developmental disabilities to get jobs in the Greater Cincinnati community. In 2012, Ohio Governor John Kasich signed an Executive Order making community employment a priority for people with developmental disabilities. Since that time, there has been a 16% increase in the number of people with developmental disabilities who are working in the community. Goodwill is pleased to be recognized as a "Top Performer" in that effort.

Locally, Ohio Valley Goodwill works with four County Boards of Developmental Disabilities (Hamilton, Butler, Clermont and Warren) as well as Opportunities for Ohioans with Disabilities (OOD), in helping people with developmental disabilities to obtain successful community employment.

Goodwill Employment Services Director, Aimee Rittner, noted that for prospective employers "hiring employees with Developmental Disabilities (DD), adds to the diversity of the workplace. Research also shows that 90% of employees with disabilities performed equal to or better than non-disabled peers. In addition, employees with DD have a 48% lower turnover rate than those who do not have disabilities," added Rittner.

Ohio Valley Goodwill's Employment Services team works with local employers and job seekers with disabilities to find the best match possible in terms of job skills and workforce needs. Goodwill's recognition as a "Top Performer" in the Employment First movement by the Ohio Department of Developmental Disabilities and Opportunities for Ohioans with Disabilities showcases the organization's 100 year history of helping individuals to obtain employment success.

To find out more about Ohio Valley Goodwill's Employment and Training Services, visit www.goodwillemploymentservices.com or call (513) 771-4800.



Your Holiday Giving Goes A Long Way To Help Goodwill

At this time of the year, we always like to suggest to our friends and supporters that holiday giving to Ohio Valley Goodwill Industries goes a long way to help Goodwill's mission throughout the year. This year, why not put Ohio Valley Goodwill Industries on your holiday giving list! A contribution of any size will assist Goodwill with its very important mission of helping to serve the vocational and job support needs of men and women with disabilities and our nation's veterans. You can be sure that a monetary contribution of any size will go directly to support the programs and services for the people that Ohio Valley Goodwill serves.

Don't forget that during this time of giving, Goodwill needs your donations of clothing, shoes, household goods, furniture, small appliances, kitchen wares, and other usable items that help to fill our stores for the upcoming winter months. When these donations are sold in Greater Cincinnati Goodwill retail stores, the income that is generated from the sale of these items goes directly to support the more than 3,000 individuals that Goodwill serves each year. Your support is always appreciated and goes a long way to help all the people who are served by Ohio Valley Goodwill.

For more information about Goodwill's programs and services and how your contributions help our organization, please visit our website at: www.cincinnatiagoodwill.org/donate



Ohio Valley Goodwill's Veterans Services Team Recognized in Washington, DC

The National Coalition for Homeless Veterans (NCHV) provides a voice and service to the large numbers of homeless veterans. At the 2016 annual conference held in Washington DC on May 31st - June 2nd two of Ohio Valley Goodwill's Veterans Services team members were singled out for the NCHV's Meritorious Service Award for their contributions over the years to the National Coalition for Homeless Veterans and to our nation's military heroes. Goodwill Grants Manager, Bill Darnell, and Community Liaison, John Briggs, were completely surprised by the unexpected honor.

The National Coalition for Homeless Veterans was founded in 1990 and now, in its 26th year, provides a wide range of services to agencies and organizations, such as Goodwill, throughout the nation by advocating for funding and providing technical assistance. NCHV links agencies, such as Goodwill, to the various federal funding departments, including the Department of Labor, Department of Veterans Affairs, HUD, and others. Ohio Valley Goodwill's programs for veterans, such as the Homeless Veterans Reintegration Program (HVRP), the veteran's dormitory, and programs such as Supportive Services for Veterans Families (SSVF) all have been helped by NCHV. Ohio Valley Goodwill has been a member of the National Coalition of Homeless Veterans for a number of years.

Both Bill Darnell and John Briggs have been involved with serving the homeless and especially, homeless veterans, for over twenty years. John has represented Goodwill in our community, in addition to his work in the various federal grants directed to ending homelessness. He has presented at a number of National Coalition for Homeless Veteran's annual conferences. Both John and Bill have assisted the NCHV in their annual conferences by addressing best practices, hosting seminars, and by covering presentations that needed more assistance.

Ohio Valley Goodwill salutes Grants Manager Bill Darnell and Liaison John Briggs (both military veterans themselves) on being recognized with the 2016 Meritorious Service Award from the National Coalition for Homeless Veterans.

For more information about Ohio Valley Goodwill's programs and services for veterans, please visit www.cincinnatiagoodwill.org/services. or call (513) 631-4500.





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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 East
Batesville, IN 47006
(812) 934-6349

Beechmont Goodwill Store

4051 Commercial Dr.
Cincinnati, OH 45245
(513) 752-0067

Bellevue Goodwill Store

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

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

Hamilton Attended Donation Center

5420 Liberty Fairfield Rd. @ Kroger
Hamilton, OH 45011

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

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
(513) 831-9900

Montgomery Boutique & Donation

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

Mt. Washington Boutique & Donation

Drive-Thru
2234 Beechmont Ave.
Cincinnati, OH 45230
(513) 231-1459

New Richmond Attended Donation Center - NEW

1041 Old US 52 @ IGA
New Richmond, OH 45157

Oakley Goodwill Store

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

Oxford Store - NEW

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 - NEW

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

West Chester Attended Donation Center

Tylersville Road
7779 Tylersville & Cox Rd. @ Big Lots
West Chester, OH 45069

West Chester Store - NEW

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

Westwood Attended Donation Center

2990 Harrison Ave.
Cincinnati, OH 45211

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