



United Way
RSVP of Marathon County
Connecting Volunteers 55+ to Community Needs



Are you still an active RSVP volunteer?

The RSVP Program has had the pleasure of working with many wonderful volunteers and watching the impact each person has made in our community through volunteerism.

Have the uncertainties of the past few years caused you to hang up your volunteer hat or have you decided just to take a break from volunteering for a short time or have you decided to volunteer at another site? If so, please let us know so we can make the necessary changes to our records. If you remain on the RSVP "active volunteers list," you will continue to receive RSVP benefits, such as supplemental accident, auto, and volunteer liability insurance, free social and educational events, free invitations to the annual Volunteer Recognition Luncheon and Fall Volunteer Festival. Please email Susan at skrolow@unitedwaymc.org or call 715-298-5721.

Looking forward to hearing from you!

**WE'D LOVE
TO HEAR
FROM YOU**

DID YOU KNOW?

Many of the virtual education sessions presented over the past several years were recorded. These recordings are available on our website where they can be accessed at any time. Feel free to tell your friends and family about this great resource. [Click here](#) to find the list of recordings. (Right side of the RSVP webpage under Educational Videos.)



FREE IN-PERSON WORKSHOP

BE FAST!

Know the Signs of a Stroke

Thursday, February 16, 2023 10 -11:30 AM

Hosted by Retire United and United Way RSVP of Marathon County, and presented by Lisa Ebert, Stroke Coordinator at Aspirus.

Stroke is the Number 5 leading cause of death in the United States and is a leading cause of serious, long-term disability. Stroke needs immediate medical attention which is why health care professionals are working to make sure people are quick to recognize the signs. Knowing the signs of a stroke is the first step on stroke prevention. Join us for this important presentation **Thursday, February 16 from 10-11:30 AM at the United Way office presented by Lisa Ebert, Stroke Coordinator at Aspirus Wausau Hospital.** [Click Here to Register.](#)

WELCOME

Please welcome our new volunteers who joined RSVP in December and January!

<i>Dina Martin</i>	<i>Joanne Borree</i>
<i>Christine Alft</i>	<i>Deb Johnson</i>
<i>Dianne Cynkar</i>	<i>Deb Mortenson</i>
<i>Bobbie Spiech</i>	<i>Maria Kosmerchock</i>
<i>Christine Schneck</i>	<i>Mary Ellen Marnholtz</i>

Thanks for joining RSVP!

**THANK
YOU
VOLUNTEERS**

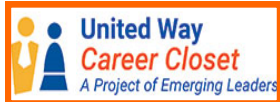
With 2022 in the rear view mirror, lets take a look at the impact **YOU** have made in our community in 2022!

503 Volunteers are enrolled with RSVP and **304** Volunteers served at least 1 hour in 2022 for a total of **34,172** hours served in Marathon County!

THANK YOU ALL FOR MAKING A DIFFERENCE!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

United Way's Emerging Leaders Career Closet and Boots to Work Program is in need of volunteers to help community members achieve their employment goals by making sure they are set for that all important interview or first day on the job. Career Closet volunteers work with guests to help them find clothing, accessories and footwear to make sure that they are prepared. Other volunteer duties include but are not limited to: sorting donations, display clothing items, document and store client paperwork.



The Career Closet and Boots to Work is located in the same building as the United Way office and is made possible through donations of clothing items from the community. This is an ongoing volunteer opportunity with a set schedule of open hours for the Career Closet which are:

Wednesdays 11:00 am— 1:00 pm

Thursdays 12:00 Noon—2:00 pm

If you are interested in volunteering for this exciting project, please contact Director of Affinity Groups Selena Yang at syang@unitedwaymc.org or call the United Way Office at 715-848-2927.



Those who can do,
do. Those who can
do more, volunteer.

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BIG NEWS!



**COMMUNITY
PARTNERS
CAMPUS**

Supporting non-profits in a shared space.

Community Partners Campus (CPC) **helps its nonprofit partners meet their clients' needs**, with an emphasis on food, shelter, medical, mental health, and social well-being. The CPC allows more people access to more services!

Wausau Area Mobile Meals
Marathon County Human Services
North Central Health Care
N.C. Community Action Program

Wausau Free Clinic
Blessings in a Backpack
Catholic Charities
The Neighbors' Place
The Babies' Place

The CPC is located at 360 Grand Ave., Wausau

join us!
OPEN HOUSE

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 1ST

3:00 PM - 5:30 PM



RSVP Volunteers participated the MLK Day of Service to honor the legacy of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. and encourage all Americans to volunteer to strengthen their communities. United Way RSVP Volunteers assembled over 1500 meal bags at **Blessings in a Backpack** for students in the Wausau and DC Everest School Districts, 25 **Kindness Kits** for the Wausau Warming Center and helped with a large bulk mailing project at United Way of Marathon County.



**MLK DAY
OF SERVICE**



THANK YOU!

Connie Michlig
Bill & Lucene Udulutch
Jackie Feck
Pauline Reidl
Deb Kaeterhenry
Mary Kay Baker
Vonnie Siewert
Mary & Jerry Frickenstein
Enid Krueger
Sandy Stemper
MiMi Berard

