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April 2010

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Day of Caring set for Friday, May 7th

Our Partner Agencies have submitted their list of wants. Please visit our website at www.uwaycc.org to see if you can help fulfill their requests.

Daystar House Fundraiser

Daystar House has teamed up with Wallace State Culinary Art Club. The club will be smoking Boston Butts and Chickens. Orders must be placed by Wednesday, 5/12/10 by calling 734-4942 or go by Berkeley Bob's Coffee House. The Boston Butts (come with 1 pint of bar-b-que sauce) sell for \$25.00 and the Chickens are \$8.00 each. Orders can be picked up between 10-2pm on Thursday, May 27, 2010 (just in time for Memorial Day Weekend) at the United Way Offices in the old train depot at 304 First Avenue NE.

Empty Bowls raised \$7,000 for the Cullman Caring for Kids Foodbank

The 8th Annual Empty Bowls fundraiser that was held in February raised \$7,000 for the United Way foodbank. Even though it was a snowy, cold evening, many people went to the First United Methodist Church to receive their ceramic bowl filled with some fire hot chili and enjoyed the entertainment and auction. This has become quite a social event in Cullman that draws people from all walks of life and every age. If you missed it this year, be sure and attend next year. You will be glad you did. This is a great way to raise money for the food bank and bring awareness to the ever rising need. Another easy way to help is by putting a grocery bag of canned food items at your mailbox on **SATURDAY, MAY 8TH**. The National Association of Letter Carriers will be doing a Food Drive that day. They collected 73.4 million pounds of food last year nationwide. The Cullman Caring for Kids foodbank will be a recipient of a good portion of that food. So do your part and help feed a hungry child.

National Volunteer Week April 18 - April 24, 2010

If you would like to volunteer and don't know how or where to go - just call us at United Way at 739-2948 and we will be glad to give you several suggestions. We have several partnering agencies that could use your help.

VICTIM SERVICES OF CULLMAN

SPRING CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- April - Sexual Assault Awareness Month
- April 3 - WKUL Easter Egg Hunt, Sportsman Lake 9:30am
(First 300 Kids will get a free T-Shirt!)
- April 18-24 National Crime Victims' Rights Week
- April 19 - Berkley Bobs Poetry Slam 6:00pm
- April 26-August 1 "Nickels for Nurses" Campaign

Child Abuse Awareness Month

April 1st the water in all city parks will be turned to Blue to remind us of the bruises on the abused children.

April 7th is National Day of Hope, everyone is asked to burn a 4 wick candle to remember the 4 children that die each day in America!

April 8th is the 3rd Annual Candle Light Vigil at 7pm at the Cullman County Courthouse steps. We will be remembering the 17 children that died of abuse during 2009.

CONGRATULATIONS, DR. JAN HARRIS!!

Dr. Jan Harris, United Way Board Member, was named The Cullman Times 2010 Distinguished Citizen on Thursday, March 25th *and* was the recipient of the Outstanding Educator presented by the Girl Scouts of North-Central Alabama at their 2010 Women of Distinction Luncheon held on Friday, March 26, 2010 at the University of Huntsville Alabama. Dr. Harris has served on the United Way board since January of 2008 and is currently the Treasurer. We are so proud of her and grateful for her willingness to serve on our board.

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