

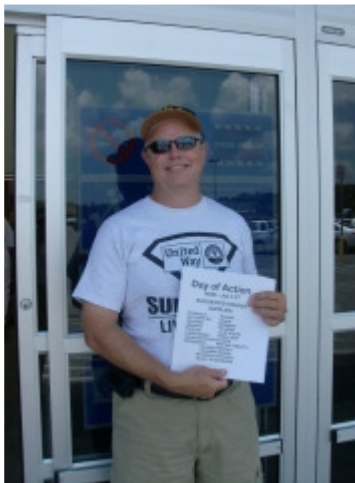
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August, 2010



Day of Action -  
Volunteer, Charles  
Childers

## [member\_name\_first]"Be a Leader"

One way to be a leader for United Way is to be a **Pacesetter**. Your company and employees will be considered a **Pacesetter** if you have your campaign by August 31st. Just contact us at (256) 739-2948 if you are interested in having someone talk to your employees about payroll deductions. Your company will then be recognized at our Annual Meeting in January.

## Campaign 2011

The Blackout Period for Campaign 2011 will be effective September 1 - November 30. We request our 18 Partners to refrain from doing any fundraising at this time. This is when United Way approaches area businesses and their employees regarding payroll deductions and other donations.

## Day of Action "Stuff the Bus"

*The drive for school supplies was successful!!*

Thank you to all the individuals that donated supplies or money. A special thanks to Walmart Super Center for allowing us to collect supplies in front of the store. That was a great help! Jimmy Sims with the Festhall Marketplatz watched over our collection bins for several weeks. Also, thanks to Premier Bank for their donation of supplies.

Over \$1,000 was collected and split between the County and City School Systems. The supplies will



Dr. Jan Harris, City School Superintendent and Hank Allen, County Superintendent, were thankful to receive the school supplies and the money.

be given to teachers who will use their discretion in giving supplies to the children in need.

Dr. Harris stated a quote from Helen Keller - "Alone we can

do so little, together we can do so much".



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### DISCOUNT CARDS AVAILABLE

Everyone who donates through payroll deductions will receive a Discount Card as a token of our appreciation. Ten area merchants are participating and offering various discounts on their merchandise.



Discount Card



*A must have for the new fall look is an insulated Lunch Bag from United Way. Everyone is going to be toting these to work for lunch, picnics in the park and trips to the beach. And at just \$5.00 each, you are going to want more than one. Drop by the UW office at the Old Train Depot to get yours before they are all gone. Hurry - supplies are limited!!! T-Shirts are also on sale NOW. \$5.00 for small - extra large and \$6.00 for 2X-5X.*

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