

THE *Hope* REPORT

from Hope Villages of America

Addressing Hunger + Housing + Abuse

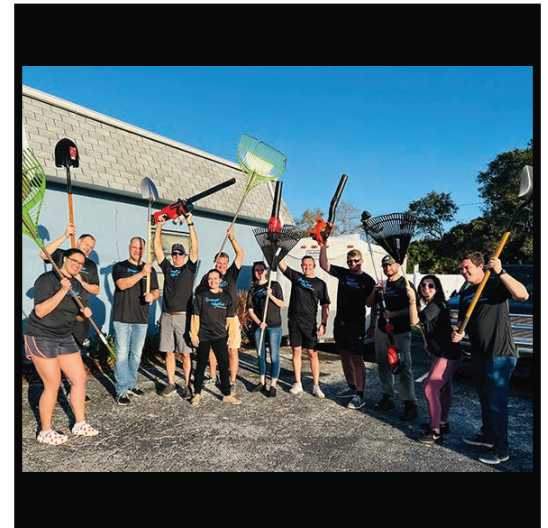


R.I.S.E. and Shine Breakfast

Melinda Perry, Interim CEO, and Jonita Lewis, Chief Communications & Development Officer, attended United Way's R.I.S.E. & Shine Breakfast, where they shared highlights and impact they've been able to make during 2022. Thank you, United Way, for having us!

Enterprise Holdings

Thank you to our friends from Enterprise Holdings, who spent their day volunteering with us at our affordable housing community, Goldsmith Gardens. The group did some landscaping and beautification work on our property. Thank you, Enterprise. We appreciate you!



Beachwalk Week

We recently held our Annual Beachwalk Week led by our partner, Chapel by the Sea. Guests walked two miles on Clearwater Beach, starting at the Palm Pavilion, and finished the morning with a breakfast that was provided by Clear Sky Café. This year's funds will go to Hope Villages as well as our friend at H.E.P. Thank you, Chapel by the Sea, and all who sponsored and attended for your support!



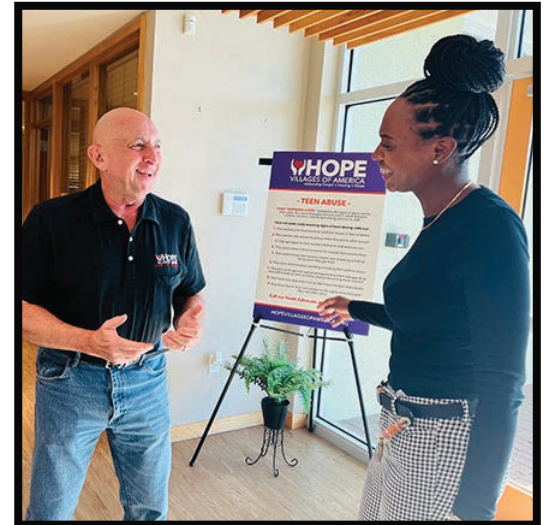
Hearts & Hope

Hearts & Hope held their quarterly social at Sips Wine Bar and chose The Haven of Hope Villages as their charity of choice. The group collected several boxes of new & gently used clothes and shoes for our guests.

Thank you, Hearts & Hope, for your support!

Hyatt Regency

Hyatt Regency's Colleague Experience Manager, Shardelle Goshay, stopped by to learn about and tour our programs. We discussed ways to partner with Hyatt Regency, such as employment and volunteer opportunities. We look forward to a great partnership in the near future!





STAFF & VOLUNTEER HIGHLIGHTS



Meet Jessica Buckley

Jessica Buckley was recently promoted from Shelter Manager to Director of Program Services and has been with Hope Villages for four and a half years. When asked why she chose this field, Jessica said, "because of the love and heart I have for people and serving people. I like making a positive impact in the community we serve." One interesting fact about Jessica is her love for music, attending concerts, and even meeting Snoop Dogg on his tour bus! How cool is that?!

Meet Karey & Denali

Karey Burek and Denali have volunteered with Hope Villages of America for one year providing therapy services to the women and children at the Haven. When asked why she chose this field,

Karey said, "Denali chose the therapy field. After seeing her interact with people, how happy she was, and whoever she was visiting with was so happy and excited to see her. We went through a year of training, from basic manners to her Canine Good Citizen Certification to her Community Canine Good Citizen Certification, one on one training...and it has been an absolutely amazing road we have been on together. She makes me a better human. We chose to volunteer with The Haven because of the important work you do in the community. With the trauma and abuse that Denali has overcome, we thought her presence, spirit, and story could help brighten everyone's day, help make a connection and lift spirits."





UPCOMING EVENTS

Mac 'N Cheese Campaign

DID YOU KNOW?

100 pounds of food can feed 200 children!

With summer approaching, the need for food is increasing quickly. Help us prepare for summer food loss by participating in our inaugural Mac 'N Cheese Campaign! You can help us stock the Food Bank with boxes of Mac 'N Cheese OR simply make a monetary donation!

Get Involved Today!



Leadership Tampa Bay Golf Tournament

MONDAY, MAY 15, 2023
Hunters Green Country Club 18101
Longwater Run Dr, Tampa, FL
9am shotgun start | 2pm luncheon

Purchase Tickets and Sponsorships

The Premier Regional Leadership Program

Annual Golf Tournament

benefitting LTB Foundation &
Hope Villages of America

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Join the Mission!

Advancement & Communications

97%

Grants awarded vs. goal

\$2.5M YTD

JANUARY 2023



3.7K

Followers



1.9K

Followers

3.2K

Impressions

1.9K

Impressions

1,268

Volunteer Hours

9

Media Placements

Mission Impact

YEAR-TO-DATE

FOOD DISTRIBUTION and BASIC NEEDS

6,583

individuals served

81,941

lbs of food given directly to people

295,863

lbs food given to area agencies

39,406

lbs of fresh produce distributed

ABUSE SERVICES

607

safe nights for women and children
at the Safe House

170

individuals helped with services
provided though the Outreach Center

193

hotline calls received

116

participants in Peacemaker and
Youth Advocate presentations

HOMELESS PREVENTION PROJECT + HOUSING STABILITY SERVICES

Homeless
Outreach Services

50

Goldsmith Gardens
+ The Oaks

50

adults and children living in affordable housing
operated by Hope Villages of America
(households)