

# UNITED WE WIN

Are you aware that all funds raised in Blair County stay in Blair County to support local programs? If just 1/2 of the Blair County Workforce donated \$1 per week we could raise \$1.5 million dollars, allowing us to close the gap on Blair County's unmet needs.

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United Way of Blair County maintains a volunteer hub for Blair County non-profit agencies. We promote community engagement and volunteerism through recruitment and coordination of local volunteers. One example is our annual Day of Caring, where we mobilize hundreds of volunteers to complete service projects for local non-profit agencies.

For county-wide volunteer opportunities throughout the year, visit:

[www.unitedwayofblaircounty.org/volunteer](http://www.unitedwayofblaircounty.org/volunteer)

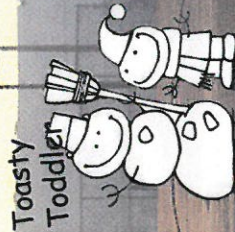
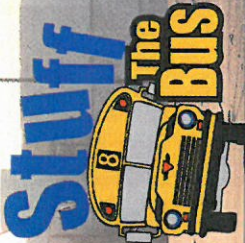
# OUR SERVICES



United Way of Blair County in conjunction with our Family Resource Center offers a number of direct service programs for the residents of Blair County at no cost to them. These programs include Toasty Toddler, Stuff the Bus, VITA, and Parents as Teachers.



Parents as Teachers



Dedicated to building a better Blair County by raising funds and cultivating volunteers to provide non-profit organizations with resources to address crucial needs in our community

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# LIVE UNITED™

# GIVE. ADVOCATE. VOLUNTEER





# YOUR INVESTMENT CHANGES LIVES

## EDUCATION

Education is the cornerstone of individual and community success. Access to quality education and mentorship is critical to the success of our youth. United Way of Blair County strives to ensure that all Blair County residents have access to a variety of educational and mentoring programs throughout the community. One example is the Garver YMCA Preschool program, which works to successfully prepare its students to enter kindergarten.

## DID YOU KNOW ...

United Way of Blair County invested almost \$84,000 into **EDUCATION-FOCUSED PROGRAMS** in Blair County?



GARVER MEMORIAL YMCA



**Gloria Gates Memorial Foundation**  
Guiding Children To A Brighter Future

For a full list of United Way funded programs please visit: <https://www.unitedwayofblaircounty.org/2018-2019-impact-grant-recipients>

## HEALTH

Whether it is a neighbor without health insurance, a victim of abuse, or someone struggling with mental illness or an addiction, we are working to ensure everyone has access to affordable and quality care. This is why we work diligently at the United Way of Blair County to address issues such as food insecurity by funding programs such as Meals on Wheels, Mountain Lion Backpack Program and Scarlet Dragon Packs. These programs provide food for Blair County residents in need.

and nearly \$95,000 into **HEALTH-FOCUSED PROGRAMS?**



MidPenn Legal Services

## INCOME/EMERGENCY NEEDS

Nearly 14% of Blair County residents are living at or below the poverty level, which is higher than Pennsylvania's overall percentage. As a result when disaster strikes many families fall even deeper into debt and despair. The United Way of Blair County helps fund programs that can assist in stabilizing families in need. An example of such a program is the Family Services Incorporated Family Shelter, which offers those without a place to call home in our community a safe, clean, supportive environment, to create a new direction in their journey.

with an additional \$126,500 into programs focused on **INCOME AND EMERGENCY NEEDS** all located in Blair County?



EMPOWERING LIVES FOUNDATION

**American Red Cross**