

SnowCap News

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SNOWCAP IS A PHILANTHROPIC ORGANIZATION CREATED TO PROVIDE FOOD, CLOTHES, ADVOCACY, AND OTHER SERVICES FOR THE POOR.

A Day to Give Thanks

As the leaves fall off the trees and the nights get longer, we start to turn our attention to the holiday season, and give thanks for the many blessings in our lives.

With that in mind, volunteers from SnowCap and the community will host a special meal on Thanksgiving Day that is free and open to anyone who wishes to stop in. The Thanksgiving meal will take place from noon to 2pm at the Rockwood United Methodist Church, in the fellowship hall.

To help make this a special day for everyone, we are looking for volunteers that would be willing to help. There are two different shifts to choose from, one

from 10am to 1pm to set up and serve, and the other from 12pm to 3pm to serve and clean-up after the meal is complete.



If you already have Thanksgiving Day plans and are unable to volunteer, there is still another way you can help. We would be very thankful if some of you could donate one or more turkeys for our Thanksgiving Day Dinner. To participate in this wonderful day of thanks, or for more information on how you can help, please contact Nate at (503) 405-4295, or by e-mailing nate@snowcap.org.

Words from a grateful client

Violeta is a mother of 5 children, whose ages range from 2 to 11. When she first found out about SnowCap, it was around Christmas and she was unemployed. She heard about SnowCap through a friend, and was impressed with the food selection in the pantry right away. There was milk to be had, cereal, bread, meat, produce, canned goods and even treats like cakes, pies or cookies! Her favorite items were chicken, oil, sugar, baby formula, and fresh fruits and vegetables. During her visit, the family also went to the clothing room, where they were able to pick up some winter clothing and coats.

That first trip, she walked out of SnowCap with tears in her eyes and her children smiling from all they were able to take back home. Since day one, she says, the volunteers have been so friendly and non-judgmental. She has really appreciated how the volunteers are so respectful and kind, and simply the way they talk to her.

Violeta is not only on the receiving end of services at SnowCap, but likes to give back. Since her kids have out grown some of their clothing, she loves to donate them here. She would strongly recommend that if you have items to donate that you do so at SnowCap because donations go directly to a family in need.

Photo by LeeAnn Gauthier



Big Thanks to our Sustaining Donors

We would like to thank our donors who give on a regular basis. Many donations ebb and flow over the year, but these sustaining donors provide dependable support. This kind of donation provides a strong foundation that results in SnowCap being a steady and reliable source of help for our neighbors in need.

To become a Sustaining Donor, go to our secure website www.snowcap.org to set up a recurring donation with just a few quick clics, or simply send a check each month. When we know what we can expect, we are better able to know what we can afford. Below is list of our current Sustaining Donors who help us balance our budget.

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You don't have to be Julia Child

Do you have a killer recipe for Caprese salad? Or perhaps your family raves about your Double Chocolate Macadamia Nut cookies. Or just maybe, your talents aren't on par with those of Julia Child's, but your organizational skills are outstanding. In either case, SnowCap can use your help.

Next year SnowCap will celebrate our 50th anniversary. One of the ways we will mark this exceptional accomplishment is by putting together a cookbook. We would like this cookbook to contain recipes from our supporters, clients, and volunteers. We plan to sell the cookbook to support fun 50th anniversary events.

So here's what we need: If you are organized and would like to participate in putting together submitted recipes, we could use your help by being part of the "Cookbook Committee." If you have a few knock-out recipes you wouldn't mind sharing, we would love to have them as well! If you can help in either of these ways, please contact Alicia@snowcap.org.

Auction reservations make great Christmas presents!



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Canned beans

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Blankets

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