

LEADING THE WAY.

Everyone deserves the opportunity to thrive. That's why we are joining United Way to lead the way to transformational change here in South Central Nebraska!

We are honored to serve as Chairs for this year's United Way campaign. Supporting United Way is one of the most impactful ways to make a positive difference in our community.

Please consider joining us in supporting YOUR United Way because we can do more when we are United. Whether you choose to make a one-time donation or become a regular contributor, your support helps to make a real difference in the lives of people in our community. Visit unitedwayscne.org to learn more or to give online. On behalf of our community and all of the United Way funded programs... THANK YOU.



Joe & Nikolayla Kindigs
2025 Campaign Chairs



"We choose United Way as our main fundraiser because we've had situations with our team members where they've needed some help and every single time we've been able to call United Way. They have been able to point us in the right direction so that we can help our team member who is in that crisis situation, or in need of some type of support so that we can help get them past that crisis and back in our workforce."

-Teena Kucera, PaperWorks



REDUCING POVERTY 30% BY 2030

Bridging Forward, a program created by United Way of South Central Nebraska and the Community Impact Network, is an innovative effort to engage all of us in putting individuals, families and this community on the road to stability.

Together, we are:

- Improving our quality of life
- Increasing our local workforce
- Reducing the need for public assistance
- Reducing poverty 30% by 2030 in Adam, Clay, Nuckolls and Webster Counties



Live your
PURPOSE.



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CAMPAIGN VIDEO



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Want to inspire change
in our community?

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2025 CAMPAIGN

United Way of
South Central Nebraska



United Way Funded Partners:



Adams County Teen Court & Diversion—
Designed to allow first-time youthful offenders who admit their guilt, to have their case heard by a jury of their peers.



Area Substance & Alcohol Abuse Prevention—
Striving to make a difference by educating and preventing the abuse of substances in individual lives and the lives of their loved ones.



Boy Scouts -Overland Trail Council—
Preparing young people to make ethical and moral choices over their lifetimes by instilling the values of the Scout Oath and Scout Law in them.



CASA of South Central Nebraska—
Providing trained, community volunteers to advocate for a quick, safe, permanent home for all abused and neglected children in our community.



Catholic Social Services—
Serves families and individuals in need of emergency assistance with rent, utilities, food and clothing



Community Action Partnership of Mid-Nebraska—
Providing essential programs that help individuals, families, and communities reach their fullest potential through advocacy and partnerships

Encourage Advocacy Center—
Provides support, guidance and education to men, women and children to live a life free from domestic and sexual violence.



Hastings Literacy Program—
Offers adult education classes for GED Test Preparation, English as a Second Language, Basic Education in Math and Reading, and Career Pathways Employability Skills to individuals in our community.



Kenesaw United Child Care Coalition—
Dedicated to providing high quality care in a safe, nurturing environment, for all children in Kenesaw and the surrounding communities.



Lutheran Family Services—Veteran's Services—
Non-traditional behavioral health service connecting with not only the veteran, or military member, but their family as well.



Maryland Living Center—
Transitional Living Facility that aims to successfully transition homeless and aged-out foster youth, between the ages of 16 and 21 into independent living situations within 12-18 months.



MentoringWorks—
Connecting youth and mentors to build long-lasting, mutually beneficial relationships that make a difference for individuals and the community.



Our Place After School Care—
This program provides after school care for teens (ages 13-20) with disabilities. Teens are involved in making snacks and crafts, playing games and building friendships.



Revive, Inc.—
Providing clean, sober living space for individuals to live while participating in our rehabilitation and counseling treatment programs.



Senior Action, Inc.—
Providing meaningful volunteer opportunities with programs and services in the community that enhance people's quality of life through programs such as the Foster Grandparent program and Meals on Wheels.



Special Children's Fund—
Assuring every child receives medical care promptly, prevent secondary problems related to a delay in health care, relieve financial stress and promote family unity.



STARS (Striving Towards Attendance Realizing Success)—
A school and family-based initiative that provides intense intervention to stop excessive absences among students.



TeamMates—
Matches caring adults with students in 6–12th grade, aiming to support their match for the longevity of their school career as well as offer support and possible scholarships for their post-secondary education.

(The Valley Child Development Center)

The Valley Child Development Center—
The Valley Child Development Center offers high-quality childcare and education services to children ages 6 weeks to 12 years.



YWCA—
Dedicated to eliminating racism, empowering women and promoting peace, justice, freedom and dignity for all.

United Way Programs:



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Born Learning is an engagement campaign that helps parents explore ways to turn everyday moments into fun learning opportunities.



2-1-1 is a free hotline that connects individuals with information on support services. It is confidential and free to use 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, anywhere in the country.



The Community IMPACT Network brings together a cross sector collaboration of nonprofits, government, businesses, and the public to improve the well-being of children and families through prevention efforts.



Communities for Kids partners with communities public and private entities to support and coordinate planning to high-quality early care and education for all children birth through age five.



Dolly Parton's Imagination Library, sponsored by United Way of South Central Nebraska, provides a book each month to a child from birth to age 5 at no cost to the family.



It's important for ALL kids to start the school year with the right supplies. That's why each fall the United Way engages local businesses and Individuals in a Stuff the Bus collection drive.



United Way works in partnership with the United States Marine Corp program to ensure children in Adams, Clay, Nuckolls and Webster Counties will receive a gift during the holidays.



Hastings Ford Lincoln accepts donated vehicles into the program and performs necessary safety repairs. The car is then donated to a family in need of a vehicle through United Way partner agencies.