



Monadnock United Way

Stronger Together

2021 Annual Campaign



MUW General Campaign Chair Special Update

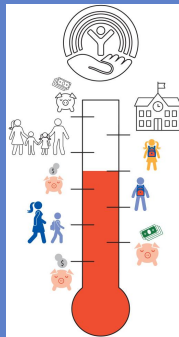
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Support MUW and Keene businesses!

Don't forget to stop into Ted's Shoe and Sports and purchase a pair of [Parrish Shoes](#) between now and 12/31. \$25 for each pair sold will go to MUW!

We are 67% to goal with \$974,056 raised so far!



Help us reach the \$1,462,000 Stronger Together campaign goal by donating today!

DONATE NOW

If you have given to the Stronger Together Campaign, THANK YOU!

If you have yet to give, please consider a gift today. In addition to the link above, you can text

Dear Friends of MUW,

YOU did it! You helped MUW raise \$41,650 dollars in contributions and matching funds on GivingTuesday! We are amazed and deeply thankful for the outpouring of support we received from all facets of our community.

We would like to thank all who contributed to our matching grant pool: [Carlisle Wide Plank Floors](#), [Clark Mortenson Insurance](#), [Prime Roast Coffee Company](#), [Stebbins Spectacular Painting](#), the MUW Board of Directors, and Ken and Carol Jue, and the many generous individuals and businesses who contributed on GivingTuesday.



Your donations make an impact on the lives of individuals, children and families every day. Here's a story about one such family:

Allison, a single mother and a disabled National Guard veteran, had been living out of her van with her son and daughter after they were evicted from their home in August 2020. In October 2020 Allison and her family contacted Hundred Nights, a local shelter and a member of the Cheshire County Emergency Housing Collaborative. The family of 3 moved out of their van and into a room at a local hotel. For 6 months, Allison and her children remained guests of Hundred Nights. As such, Allison had full access to Hundred Nights services, including a case manager, who helped to connect her with local resources as well as the VA and an Easter Seals' program for disabled veterans.

Each week, a Hundred Nights volunteer delivered to Allison and her children hot dinners from The Community Kitchen and boxes of food staples and basic cleaning supplies assembled at the shelter. And, as a client of Hundred Nights, Allison and her family were eligible for priority status for housing placement through Southwestern Community Services, another of the Cheshire County Emergency Housing Collaborative partners.

MUW to 41444 or mail a check to MUW, 23 Center Street, Keene NH 03431.



In June, a 2-bedroom apartment became available in Ashuelot, NH. By July, Allison and her family were able to move out of the hotel and into their own apartment!

All gifts made during GivingTuesday go toward the Stronger Together annual campaign. The goal this year is \$1,462,000 and you have contributed \$974,056 so far. With only a few weeks left in the campaign, gifts are more important than ever! Visit muw.org for more information or to donate.

Sincerely,
Danya Landis, Karen Peterson, Beth Wood
Stronger Together General Campaign Co-Chairs

p.s. For more information about how MUW puts your donations to work, please see this lengthy editorial in the Weekend Sentinel called [Focused giving; The United Way's collective impact model puts more where it's needed.](#)



You are now able to look up past issues of this newsletter!

Click [here](#) to see prior issues from 2021!

PLEASE NOTE:

With the importance of social distancing, we are limiting the number of hours that our staff come into the office to process gifts received via US Mail. We are asking donors to use our safe, secure [donation portal](#) whenever possible. However, we gratefully accept checks from anyone who prefers to donate in that manner and we will ensure that they are processed in a timely manner.

Thank you to our generous sponsors:

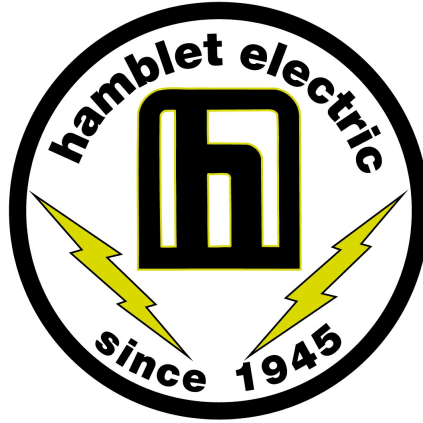
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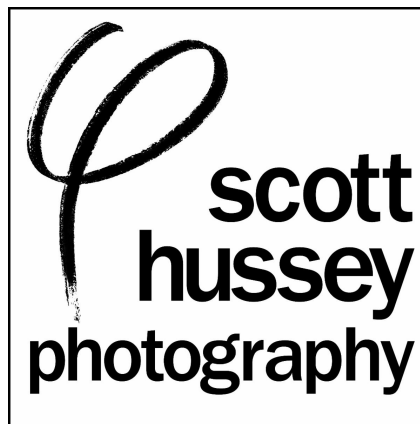




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