



One Way Farm

Shelter for Children

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Dear Friends,

Ms. Condo has undergone heart surgery. We at One Way Farm Children's Home, children and staff, wish her a fast recovery. We ask that you take up the care of our mission of caring for the children at One Way Farm. We ask all of you to be Ambassadors for the children. We would like for you to meet some of the employees who are constant Ambassadors, and along with you, the strong driving force to keep the children safe.



Love, The Children and Staff



Edna York- Residential Supervisor, 14 years

"I work here because I have compassion for the needs of these underprivileged children."

Nancy Simkow- Office Assistant, 18 years : "It is a privilege to work at One Way Farm., hoping to make a difference for our children."



Susan Rumley-Receptionist, 3 years: "I love working at One Way Farm. Whether it's driving the children to appointments, or meeting people as they come in. Each day here is unique."

Linda Shelley- Childcare, 15 years: "One Way Farm gives me the opportunity to hopefully, make a difference in a youth's life."



Mike Richardson-Maintenance, 1 year: "I enjoy working with the boys around the grounds."

Kathy Adams-Childcare, 10 years: "I get great pleasure out of doing what I can for the children"



Ray Lutz- Maintenance, 1 year: "One Way Farm helps keep me young and motivated to do something worthwhile. Plus, it is a privilege to work with the children."

Anna Waites-Childcare Supervisor, 3 years: "This is the world's greatest place to work, because of the love that's here. There is such guidance and structure, that it is a very safe place for the children. It's like a big family."



Terry Payne- Placement Administrative Assistant , 21 years: "I love my job at One Way Farm. I feel that these children need us. I have seen a lot of children return with success stories."

Ruby Tramel-Childcare Supervisor, 2 years: "One Way Farm has changed my whole life. It is the most rewarding way to make a difference in a child's life."



Dear Friends,

We begin another season filled with the wonders of fall.

As you can see, there is an army marching against child abuse, abandonment and children in need. It is a pleasure to share some of these soldiers with you, the people who care for the children who live at One Way Farm Children's Home. When I read the statements of dedication from the one's who work together to stop the cycle of child abuse, my heart beats as if to hear the Battle Hymn of the Republic in my spirit

As you can see the children have care and love to begin a life of success.

If you are a part of our army we will become partners in making a difference in these young lives.

In Service of the Children



Barbara J. Condo
Executive Director, Founder

Please inquire if your company has matching funds, therefore your contribution could be matched to benefit the children of One Way Farm Children's Home.

Remember the children in your estate planning

Help Light Up Our Corner of Fairfield

Can you or your group volunteer a few hours to help us decorate? We have a 15 foot tree for our all purpose room and need lights put up on all of our buildings.



**Mark Your Calendar
First Barn Sale
Nov. 3 & 4**

We will be having a sale the first and 3rd weekend of each month.

We are in need of your good, used furniture, clothing and household items to put in our barn. We can pick up larger items.

The barn sales will benefit the children's recreational activities. Volunteers are needed on Saturday mornings From 8:00 to 12:00 to get things ready.

Please call Brenda at 513-829-3276

One Way Farm Children's Home has funds established at the following foundations: Fairfield, West Chester and Hamilton.



Haircuts for our boys. We are needing someone to Pay for 10 haircuts a month.

2007 School Year

The children started school in August and because of the generosity of the community, each of them started with new clothes, new shoes and school supplies.

The children Thank YOU!



News about Christmas



The Christmas Child

"I want to but I can't go to sleep."
 "Can you give me just one little peek?"
 Slowly then their eyes begin to close.
 Then the wiggle of their tiny nose.
 Sleep and dreams are there at last.
 The fairies their sprinkles of dust have cast.

Awaken and running toward the tree,
 "How many presents are there for me?"
 One child stands and stares at his gifts.
 His body shakes, his eyes begin to shift.
 "What's wrong?" we began to ask.
 He still stares, his face like a mask.
 "Do you miss your Mom?" we ask.
 He only stands, a tear falls of times past.

"No one ever cared for me,
 I never got presents you see."
 "I am now crying because someone cares for me."
 That's what your gifts are,
 That were there under the tree.

On behalf of all the Children.
 "Thank you"
 for the gifts that will be under the tree.

Written by Barbara J. Condo

The Holiday Season is just around the corner again. We have been gathering wish lists from the children.

As you may imagine the children's list is quite extensive. We need your help in purchasing individual gifts for them and making dreams come true.

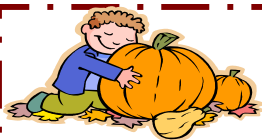
We are also in need of new refrigerators, (they just seem to wear out) 9x12 rugs and new comforters for the shelters. For the animal shelters, we need cat trees or condos

This is the time of year we gather movie tickets, fast food certificates, gas cards, Wal-Mart, Target, Meijer and other gift cards to help throughout the year with recreation and other needs for the children.

If you or your group would like to help
 Please contact Brenda or Rebecca
 513-829-3276
 for our
 Christmas needs list



When our Children need help, There's "Only One Way"



Every Day Needs

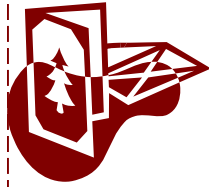
Soups: Tomato, Chicken Noodle, Cream of Potato and Cream of Mushroom

Canned Ravioli, Beefaroni, Green Beans, Corn, Peas, Canned Potatoes, Pork n Beans, Kidney Beans, Baked Beans, Hot Dog Chili, Apple Sauce, Pears, Peaches, and Pineapple.

Zippered 3 Ring Binders, 1 Gallon Freezer Zip Bags, Aluminum Foil,
 Plastic Spoons, 8oz Foam Cups, 3oz Bathroom Cups, Paper Towels, and Tissues

Having A Company Holiday Party?

Please choose One Way Farm as your benefiting charity for upcoming holiday gatherings. With winter nipping at our nose, we are in need of many things for the upcoming season.



Christmas Cards

Our children will create

Christmas Cards to be sent to your family, friends or business associates. We have heard from many of the recipients about how touched they were by the picture and it's meaning. After printing, postage, and the cost of creating the card, the cost is approximately \$1.20 per card. The children receive 30 cents for creating each card which they use for holiday shopping. There are those that donate more, realizing this money goes into our holiday fund. For more information please contact Rebecca at 829-3276.



"I am a child who dreams, I dream of all the things I want or want to give to my brother and sisters."

Yes, these are the children of One Way Farm approaching a time when they wonder who will fill their dreams. I know that you will want to help fulfill the dreams of a child so they know they are loved!

I want to fulfill the dreams of a child so they know they are loved!

\$25___ \$50___ \$100___ \$500___

When the door opens you hear the clatter of their voices:
Children talking, laughing, walking about. This is daily life.

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