



TINERVIN FAMILY FOUNDATION QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER

March 2023

WHAT'S NEW

Partnering with a Purpose

WACC: The WACC is hosting **An Evening with Brad Underwood** on May 3rd. Participants can expect great food, delicious cocktails, and stimulating conversation. (page 2)

Mobile Health Clinic: Updates on the Mobile Health Clinic. The Mobile Clinic will bridge the gap for those that need care but don't have the ability to access care (page 3)

Christmas 2022

This past Christmas, in partnership with the United Way of McLean County and Laborers' Local 362, we delivered about \$114,000 worth of Christmas food boxes (more than 2,500 boxes).



2023 IS A YEAR OF ACTION

We've been providing food to those in need through our mobile food pantry since 2017 and stepped up our efforts to meet the increased food needs during the pandemic. This year we've seen demand for food boxes return to pre-pandemic levels and, during the first quarter of 2023, delivered nearly 2,000 food boxes or more than 650 per month!

Since its inception, the Tinervin Family Foundation's mission has been about more than just food. We want to positively impact underserved families in our community by increasing access to resources through intentional partnerships focused on improving quality of life.

This year, we're starting to see real impact from our partnership network across our local community, including the establishment of a Mobile Health Clinic in the McLean County area and updating and refreshing the facilities at the Western Avenue Community Center. Both projects are about improving community

access to much needed services. These partnerships are helping us fulfill our mission beyond food needs and into other programs and services to support our community. See some of the exciting news about these partnerships are on pages 2-3.

As always, we'd like to thank our amazing volunteer network, our devoted financial supporters, and our strategic partners! As we continue to increase our reach into the community to serve those in need, know that your continued support is making a huge difference!

If you or groups you're involved with are interested in helping pack boxes, please visit our website: www.TinervinFamilyFoundation.com or visit our Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/Tinervin-Family-Foundation-106257791039704/>



Volunteers from Western Avenue Community Center

PARTNERING WITH A PURPOSE: WACC FUNDRAISING EVENT



The Western Avenue Community Center (WACC) is a non-profit organization serving the community for more than 95 years. It offers programs to support youth, seniors and immigrant members of our local community.

On May 3rd 2023, our partners at the WACC will host **An Evening with Brad Underwood**. In addition to dinner and cocktails, this fundraising event includes speakers Brad Underwood, University of Illinois Basketball Coach, and Mike Small, University of Illinois Golf Coach. All proceeds for this event will benefit WACC.

Coach Underwood is the 18th head coach in University of Illinois history, hired in March 2017 as the Richmond Family Endowed Men’s Head Basketball Coach. He has won nearly 69 percent of his games during his nine years as a Division I head coach, recording eight 20-win seasons. Some Illini highlights under Coach Underwood:

- Three straight NCAA Tournament appearances
- Big Ten’s winningest team in league play over the last four seasons.
- Four straight 20-win regular seasons
- Four straight top-five B1G finishes
- Four straight winning records in B1G play
- 2022 B1G Champions
- Led B1G in wins in 2021
- 2021 B1G Tournament Champions
- 2023 Coaches versus Cancer Champion Award recipient

Coach Small has served as the University of Illinois men’s golf head coach for 23 seasons. The 2015 Dave Williams National Coach of the Year has guided the Illini to 12 of the last 13 Big Ten Championship titles. Small has led Illinois to top-five NCAA finishes in seven of the last 11 postseasons, including a runner-up standing in 2013.

Participants can expect great food, delicious cocktails, and stimulating conversation!

There is still time to purchase tables (as of the time of this newsletter 4 tables remain), so if you’re interested in attending the event or being an event sponsor, please contact the Chris Hunt at <mailto:christopherhunt@shermansinc.com>.

Western Avenue COMMUNITY CENTER
PRESENTS

An Evening with Brad Underwood
University of Illinois Basketball Coach

May 3, 2023
Bloomington County Club
5:00 pm

Dinner and Cocktails

Presenting Sponsor
Carle

Cocktails Sponsor
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Platinum Sponsors
First SITE **PATRICK E. O'ROURKE** **TINERVIN FAMILY FOUNDATION**

3,000 Table Reservations
8 Invitees

All guests will receive a special gift at their table

Butler's Finest Eats
PROUDLY SERVING FUNDRAISING & SPECIAL EVENTS

All proceeds will benefit Western Avenue Community Center

Special Guest
MIKE SMALL
University of Illinois Golf Coach

PARTNERING WITH A PURPOSE: MOBILE CLINIC UPDATE

Mobile Health Clinic: Access to Care is one of the Top 3 issues identified in the McLean County Community Health Needs Assessment, and the Tinervin Family Foundation and our partners are taking that challenge head on. In 2022, the new mobile clinic was funded by a partnership between the TFF, United Way of McLean County, the City of Bloomington (each donated \$150k), and Laborers' Local 362, the Town of Normal, and McLean County (each donated \$100k), with Carle agreeing to supply personnel and handle ongoing operational expenses.



With thousands of community members and families unable to get to a care provider on a regular basis, the Mobile Health Clinic will bridge the gap between those that need care but have trouble getting access to it.

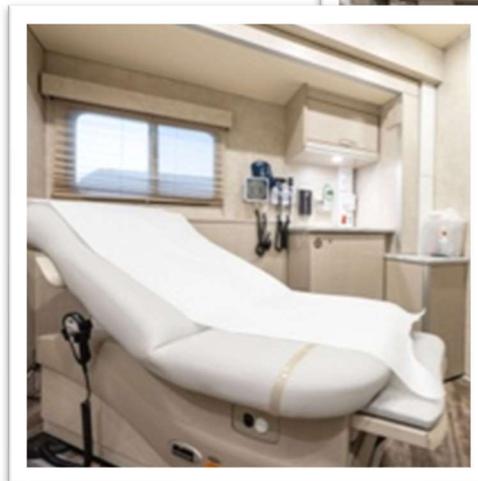
Here are some of the services provided by the mobile health clinic.

- Chronic condition management and education
- Treatment of acute illness
- Physicals, wellness care, and assessments
- School and sports physicals and immunizations
- Lab testing
- Referrals and applications for social services

While supply chain issues have delayed the start of the clinic, we anticipate it to be operational by June 2023. As of now, the vehicle is about 80% complete.

The clinic will serve in various locations around McLean County, including Western Avenue Community Center, Woodhill Towers, the Mennonite Church of Normal, and District #87 and District #5 schools for back-to-school events. Additional potential future locations are also being assessed.

The Mobile Health Clinic helps to fulfill Carle's mission of being your trusted partner in all healthcare decisions by taking healthcare outside the walls of the brick-and-mortar locations and bringing high quality healthcare directly into the communities and neighborhoods.



ONGOING INITIATIVES

MOBILE FOOD DISTRIBUTION

Over the last three months, partnering with the United Way of McLean County, we have delivered nearly 2,000 food boxes! We have increase the reach of our food distribution. Our current list of distribution locations include:

- Western Avenue Community Center
- Boys and Girls Club / Champaign
- Carle Healthy Beginnings / Champaign
- Carle – Mobile Clinic / Bloomington
- Mid Central Community Action
- Heartland Head Start
- Wesley United Methodist Church
- Mt. Pisgah Baptist Church
- Centennial Christian Church
- CHAFI / Champaign
- Crisis Nursery / Champaign
- DCS / Champaign
- Baby Fold / Champaign
- Rolling Fork MS – Tornado relief
- Milestones Early Learning Center
- Frank McSwain – Family Community Resource Center
- Abundant Life in Christ Church
- Rural and local school districts

ADOPT A FAMILY

Families are selected by organizations based on financial hardship and need—need for themselves, their children and their homes. During 2022, 69 families were adopted! Twenty-two were sponsored by individual and company donors and the rest were sponsored by the TFF. Some individuals donated money for presents and some donated their time shopping for presents!

SHOES FOR KIDS

This year we handed out 236 pairs shoes to kids in need during the Christmas season. We had 90 pairs of shoes donated by golfers at this years event and the TFF purchased an additional 146 pairs.

TOY DRIVE

For over 20 years, the Tinervin Family Foundation has provided and girls in our local community during the Christmas season.

SUPPORT FOR HEALTHY BEGINNINGS

Carle’s Healthy Beginnings program works to ensure children as healty and prosperous as they can. Last year TFF donated 15 program.

MCCA

The foundation donated \$2,500 to MCCA and Neville House for Our ongoing relationship continues to expand, and we are very MCCA Innovator Award.

WESTERN AVENUE COMMUNITY CENTER

The foundation highly values its relationship with Western Avenue. This non-profit organization offers many programs to support members of our local community. The Tinervin Family Foundation has pledged \$150,000 for new signage, landscaping and other building upgrades and an additional \$50,000 for its operating budget in 2022.

UNITED WAY WORKFORCE 180 PROGRAM

The Tinervin Family Foundation and First Site are each contributing \$8,000 and sponsoring a student in UW’s Workforce 180 program. The program helps students with things like tuition, transportation, and daycare. It is designed to helps participants develop skills and experience to enter the workforce and become self-sufficient and thriving individuals. The United Way is actively looking for more sponsors to participate in the program.



TFF volunteers after packing food boxes

toys, clothing and other gifts to boys

and families have an opportunity to be car seats and 15 bus passes to the

their domestic violence fundraiser. proud to be the recipient of the 2020