



TINERVIN FAMILY FOUNDATION QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER

September 2023

WHAT'S NEW

7th Annual Golf Classic

The Tinervin Golf Classic is right around the corner! See the schedule of events for the day and don't forget to bring a pair of new shoes for our Shoes for Kids program. This year we've already generated \$308,600 in sponsorships. (page 2)

Partner Update

Leaders from the TFF, United Way, Carle, and Western Ave Community Center continue to make progress with a shared vision of community support. See updates on some of our newest activities. (page 3).

In the News

On August 16th, CIProud.com covered the ribbon cutting of the new Mobile Health Clinic. See the article [here](#).



2023 PARTNERING FOR MEANINGFUL CHANGE

While we have continued providing food through our mobile food pantry (about 5,400 boxes through August), much of our focus has been devoted to other large projects with our partners. In last year's newsletter, we discussed working on new facilities for the Western Avenue Community Center (TFF provided \$300k for building improvements and operating capital) and funding a new Carle Mobile Health Clinic (TFF provided \$150k toward building the mobile clinic). Twelve months later, we're happy to report on the amazing progress!

The facilities at the Western Avenue Community Center have been updated and refreshed. The Mobile Health Clinic is set to be operational on September 5th. In addition, we continue to work with the United Way of McLean County and the Midwest Food Bank on local food insecurities.



Jeff Tinervin, Jim Leonard, Colleen Kannaday, and David Taylor speak at the Carle Mobile Health Clinic ribbon cutting.

Projects like these allow us to use your donations in the most effective way to impact our community's needs across social, educational, medical, and nutritional areas. These partnerships we've developed allow us to leverage each others strengths and provided more services for our community than any of us could do separately.

We want you to see that your contributions and continued support are making a direct positive impact on our local community and are helping to provide food and education and healthcare to those underserved populations in our local area. Thank you!

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

7TH ANNUAL TINERVIN GOLF CLASSIC – SEPTEMBER 11, 2023



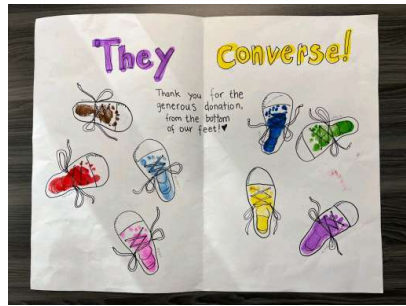
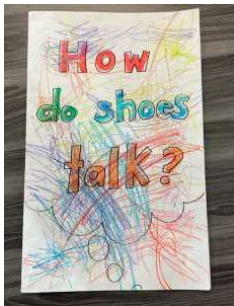
We're truly humbled by the overwhelming support we've received from individuals and the community. Thank you to all our participants, especially our corporate sponsors. At

last year's event, we raised an impressive \$308,935. This year we've already generated \$308,600 in sponsorships. As in previous years, Jeff Tinervin plans on matching money that is raised.



Tinervin Golf Classic

These funds help us carry out our mission. We deliver food directly to underserved neighborhoods, eliminating barriers for people who don't have adequate access local food pantries. We've also continued funding our Toy Drive and Adopt a Family programs to provide for those in need throughout our community during the Holiday season. One of the best parts is that we've been able to accomplish all of this without any paid employees or major office expenses. **Every dollar we raise goes directly to the community in need.**



At last year's event we collected tennis shoes for our **Shoes for Kids** program and distributed them during Christmas. This year, we're continuing our shoe drive. **We want everyone to bring at least one pair of name-brand tennis shoes to the event on Monday, September 11, 2023.** For more program details see our [2023 Golf Classic Brochure](#).

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS FOR MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 11th, 2023

7:00am – Breakfast Buffet with Bloody Mary Bar

8:00am – Morning Shotgun Start

11:00am – 2:30pm – Lunch Will be Served on the Patio

1:00pm – Afternoon Shotgun Start

4:30pm – 7:00pm – Cocktail Party & Awards Ceremony

All events will be held at the Bloomington Country Club.

*** Food stations will be located at #2 Tee, #6 Tee, and #15 Tee Areas.**

PARTNERING WITH A PURPOSE: UPDATE

Mobile Health Clinic: Beginning on September 5th, the community will see the new Carle Mobile Clinic we've been discussing for the past year. A ribbon cutting was held at the Carle BroMenn Medical Center Wednesday, August 16th.

The idea came together when the Tinervin Foundation and the United Way of McLean County sat with Carle leadership to see how they could improve access to healthcare in our local community. The idea grew as the new partners enlisted a coalition to fund the Mobile Health Clinic. As you might recall, the 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.

Physicals, lab work, immunizations and EKGs are some of the services that will be offered. Walk-ups can be seen at the mobile locations. **As of now there are four locations where the clinic will be routinely parked: The YWCA, Mennonite Church of Normal, Western Avenue Community Center, Wood Hill Towers.**



Western Avenue Community Center: In our partnership with Western Avenue Community Center, we have provided over \$300,000 worth of building improvements and operating capital. We are also helping to improve their day-to-day operations by introducing new technology, improved accounting practices, and more to make things more efficient.

While these and many other improvements at WACC have been funded, operational shortfalls remain and programs still need funding.

WACC is looking to raise an additional \$200,000 to help cover expenses and fund programming. **Between August 1st, 2023 and September 15th, 2023, the Tinervin Family Foundation has agreed to match dollar for dollar, up to \$100,000.** Every dollar counts! Click the link to see how you can donate.

<https://www.westernavenuecc.org/help-us-raise-200000>

ONGOING INITIATIVES

MOBILE FOOD DISTRIBUTION

Over the past eight months, partnering with the United Way of McLean County and the Midwest Food Bank, we have delivered nearly 5,400 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
- 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 256 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 166 pairs. These 422 pairs of tennis shoes were distributed at Christmas.

TOY DRIVE

For over 20 years, the Tinervin Family Foundation has provided toys, clothing and other gifts to boys and girls in our local community during the Christmas season.

MCCA

The foundation donated \$1,000 to MCCA and Neville House for their domestic violence fundraiser. Our ongoing relationship continues to expand, and we are very proud to be the recipient of the 2020 MCCA Innovator Award. In 2023, we also provide food boxes to MCCA.

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 \$200,000 for new signage, landscaping, reception area, website, and more. Recently, the foundation added an additional \$100,000 for its operating budget in 2023.

UNITED WAY WORKFORCE 180 PROGRAM

The Tinervin Family Foundation has contributed \$24,000 by sponsoring students in UW's Workforce 180 program. The program helps students with things like tuition, transportation, and daycare. It is designed to help 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 hands out produce, food boxes and hygiene products at Woodhill Tower alongside the Carle Mobile Clinic.