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BOOKS AND BREWS BUILDING BLOCK EVENT TODAY

Butler County, OH -

Butler County United Way will host a Books and Brews Building Block Event today at Municipal Brew Works in Hamilton. 'Building Block Events' are tailored to focus on one of the building blocks for a good life: Health, Income Stability/Basic Needs, or Education, while joining together with neighbors throughout Butler County to give back in a way that will build a solid foundation for the future.

"The response from the community regarding our Building Block events has been fantastic and we are excited to grow this concept of giving back," stated Mag Baker, President and CEO of Butler County United Way. "We have monthly events planned throughout the year, so there is ample opportunity for people to get involved all across Butler County."

The 'Books and Brews' event will be held today, **Wednesday**, **August 23**, **2017**, **from 5:00 – 7:00 PM at Municipal Brew Works**, **20 High Street**, **Hamilton**, **OH 45011**, and will focus on building literacy kits for young children. These kits will include the book <u>Brown Bear</u>, <u>Brown Bear</u>, <u>What Do You See?</u> and will be paired with a fun craft, tailored to pre-school-aged children. This literacy kit is about bringing the book to life and engaging children in the learning process at a young age.

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The final literacy kits will be provided to the Butler County Educational Service Center for distribution throughout their early childhood education programs.

Additional information regarding the Building Block events as well as ways you can become involved in other volunteer opportunities may be found by visiting <a href="https://www.bc-power.gov/www.bc-

unitedway.org/volunteeropportunities

All big things start out small. We invite you to join us in being the cornerstone to big change!

Butler County United Way advances the common good. Our focus is on education, income and health – the building blocks for a good quality of life. We invite you to be part of the change by giving, advocating or volunteering. For additional information, contact Butler County United Way at (513) 863-0800 or visit www.bc-unitedway.org.

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