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BUTLER COUNTY UNITED WAY COLLECTS GIFTS FOR FAMILIES IN NEED

(Butler County, OH)— Butler County United Way has teamed up with Butler County Educational Service Center and PARACHUTE: Butler County CASA to light up the holiday season for families in need across Butler County. Starting now through December 13, Butler County United Way will be hosting three drives: **Adopt-A-Family** as well as a **Teddy Bear and Toy Drive**, benefitting Butler County Educational Service Center, and a **Holiday Games and Board Games Drive** benefitting PARACHUTE: Butler County CASA.

Adopt-A-Family allows members of the community to adopt a family right here at home in Butler County! Each participant will be provided with a wish list to help fulfill basic needs for each adopted family member, adding to their holiday cheer. To get involved, please email holidayhelp@bcesc.org. We ask that all gifts remain unwrapped. You can also help by visiting Pour House in Hamilton and rounding up your purchase, with proceeds going towards Adopt-A-Family through December 13. Simultaneously, our annual **Teddy Bear and Toy Drive** collection of stuffed animals and other appropriate toys, will be distributed to children also through Butler County Educational Service Center. You may drop off donations anytime from 9-4 pm Tuesday-Thursday now through December 13 at Butler County United Way, 323 North Third Street, Hamilton.

Butler County United Way is also collecting **Holiday Games and Board Games** for all ages up to 18 years of age through December 13, benefiting our partner agency PARACHUTE: Butler COUNTY CASA. Donations may be dropped off at Butler County United Way now through December 13, 9-4 pm Tuesday-Thursday.

Our Building Block events, join neighbors together throughout Butler County to give back in a way that will build a solid foundation for the future. Each Building Block event is tailored to one of the building blocks for a good life: Health, Financial Stability/Basic Needs, or Education. Butler County United Way believes that big things start out small, and together we can be the cornerstone of major change in Butler County.

To sign up to participate in these holiday drives, get more details, or learn more about the organization, visit www.bc-unitedway.org.

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Butler County United Way was founded in 1920 and is proud to serve the entire Butler County service area. We strive to be the trusted community partner, leading impactful change for human service needs in Butler County. We invite you to join us by giving, advocating, or volunteering. For additional information, contact Butler County United Way at (513) 863-0800 or visit www.bc-unitedway.org.