



United Way of Knox County Women United Newsletter - March, 2017

Current Women United Investments:

Recovery Housing for Women and Children

Ruling Our eXperiences ROX
(Empowerment program for girls 4th-12th grade)

Crunch Out Obesity
(Nutrition and physical activity program for Knox County 4th graders)

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We're Moving!
United Way is thrilled to announce WE ARE MOVING!
Our new location is just two blocks down at 305 East High Street, same street, new location!
Look for our Open House and Ribbon Cutting in June, 2017!



NEW LOCATION!

Want to learn more about United Way?

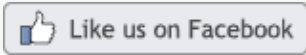
Lisa Rutter (lisa@uwayknox.org) is looking for volunteers to review and evaluate agencies seeking to receive 2018 investments. All interviews will be conducted at the Opportunity



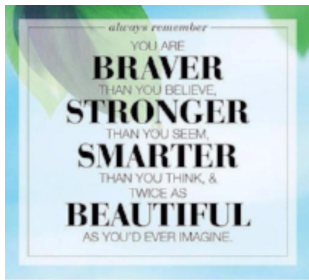


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**Look for
"Girls on the Run"
coming in Spring of
2018!**



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If you've not received your Women's United T-shirt, please contact us! We want every member to have one.

seeking to receive 2018 investments. All interviews will be conducted at the Opportunity Knox Conference Room, 17604 Coshocton Road, Mount Vernon. Please respond by March 17 of your interest.

Interview schedule:

Health Programs - Monday, April 10

Education Programs - Thursday, April 13

Financial Stability Programs - Thursday, April 20

Recovery Housing

In February the Mental Health and Recovery Board approved the purchase of a home to provide an affordable, safe, drug free environment for women in recovery and their children after they leave treatment centers.

Due to the incomplete application and neighborhood push back, the Recovery Housing Committee will be regrouping and re-strategizing and selecting another location. Part of this strategy is to hold several Town Halls to educate our community on the benefits of Recovery Housing and what Recovery Housing actually entails.

WE NEED YOU! If you are interested in working in these town halls, handing out information and seating the guests, contact Katie Peterson at katie@uwayknox.org. Dates of the Town Halls will be announced by March 10th.

The Founders of Women United have chosen to use the funds raised from Power of the Purse to make this happen. Members of Women United will be painting, selecting furniture, window treatments, bedding, kitchen supplies and doing all of the things that make a house a home.

As soon as a property is purchased, we will reach out to the Mental Health and Recovery Board and the Freedom Center to begin our transformation.





**Come Join us! Women United
Recovery
Breakfast for Women**

On Friday, May 19th, at 9:00 A.M. the Women United will be hosting ladies who are in recovery from the Freedom Center at The Alcove. Please join us as we celebrate their sobriety and bond new friendships. This is a free breakfast. Please call Katie Peterson at 740.397.5721 or email her katie@uwayknox.org today, to reserve your spot. Let's make this a truly memorable event!

Purses Needed!

Could you donate a purse for the Power of the Purse Auction? We are looking for purses in all price ranges for our silent and live auction. This is Women United's Fundraiser and the money raised goes towards supporting our projects. We ask that the original price tag be on it so we know the value (even if you get it at a discount). We are also looking for gently used purses for Bag Lady Boulevard.

**Please contact Katie, 740.397.5721 or katie@uwayknox.org for more information.
Thank you in advance for your help!**





*Individual Ticket: \$50
Corporate Table: \$500*

**Doors open at 4:30 p.m.
Auction starts at 6:00 p.m.
Tickets go on sale March 15, 2017
Reserve your seat or table today!
katie@uwayknox.org or 740.397.5721**