

Service Projects

Ongoing:

- Ronald McDonald House- Pull Tabs (Heyward Johnston)
- Junior Civitans at WHHS (Gale Garner)
- Ridgeview Birthday Parties (Betty Shurley)

October

November thru December

- Salvation Army: Red Kettle Collection (Jesse Bowens)

December

- Civitan House @ Ridge Road (Connie Burgess)
- Ridgeview House (Betty Shurley)

More information on service and fundraising projects can be found by contacting the member listed in parenthesis.

Fundraising Projects

Ongoing:

- 50/50 Raffle-- each meeting (Jenny Johnson)
- Card Sales-- each meeting (Debbie Johnston)
- Candy Box Collection (Anne Lavelly)

October-December

- Fruit Cake Sales (Sam Bennett)



So much is going on this time of year, sending out a special news flash for upcoming events that need your attention!

**#HopeMarchesOn
Salvation Army Bell Ringing**

Click [HERE](#) to access the Sign Up Sheet.

We need time slots covered for **December 18** to ring the bells at Old Time Pottery. **We need people to cover the 3-5 PM and 5-7 PM time slot.**

Thank you to those who have volunteered multiple times, but Jessie has already had to cover slots that were left open. This is a club project and we need volunteers. See Jesse Bowens, Project Chair, at the December 6 meeting to sign up.

DECEMBER WISH LIST

Ronald McDonald House Charities of the Carolinas

- Individual packs of Orbit gum or Mentos
- Liquid "HE" Laundry Detergent
- New Baby Clothes: Newborn 0-3 or 3-6 months
- Comet Soft Cleanser
- Brown Sugar Pop Tarts
- Weiman Cooktop Spray
- Oxi-Clean Laundry Spray
- Small Packs of Makeup Remover Pads
- Electric Only Dishwashing Liquid (not pods)
- Type C, AA, AAA Batteries and Small Flashlights
- Small, Individual Apple or Orange Juice bottles
- Life Saver Candies Individually Wrapped
- Individual Regular or Flavored Liquid Coffee Creamers
- Individual Packs of Nuts/Chips/Pretzels
- Individual Packs of Welch's Fruit Snacks
- Individual Packs of Sugar
- Adult Sized Lounging Pants Suitable for Winter
- Adult Sized House Coats for Men or Women
- \$10 McDonald's, Hobby Lobby, Chick-fil-a, or Walmart Gift Cards for Teen Gifts
- Bed Bug Blocker Zipped Mattress Encasements - Queen Size Only
- Vinyl Food Service Gloves - Powder Free, size Large
- HelloGreen 3 Section Take Out Containers, leak proof and microwave safe - See Amazon wish list for details
- Microwave "To Go" Soup Bowl with Lids- 16 oz. (See Amazon Wish List)

*Note: Due to Covid-19 we are unable to accept bulk food items that are not packaged individually. Please be sure donated food is not expired or does not expire within the month. We do not accept used toys, blankets, or clothes.



December 6 is a Membership Meeting, and what better way to demonstrate our service to others than bringing items from the Ronald McDonald House Wish List. While out shopping (groceries or Christmas) this week-end, make sure to grab a few items to help our local Ronald McDonald House during the holidays. There are several items specific to December.

Heyward and Debbie Johnston will collect all the items and deliver them to the House.



Meet at Dot Ray's house on **Monday, December 13** at 1 PM to wrap Christmas presents for the clients at the Ridgeview House. Anyone who is able to help us please contact Betty Shurley via cell phone at 864-395-9886 or by email at betty.shurley@gmail.com. We need a count so that Dot can have coffee and cake for us at the end of our packing. After that, we will get the gifts loaded up and caravan to Ridgeview to drop them off.

In the next Flashes, look for articles and pictures about the WHHS Junior Civitans, RMH Pull Tabs, and a special message from our President, Charlotte Walker

Civitan Mission Statement

The worldwide mission of Civitan International is to build good citizenship by providing a volunteer organization of clubs dedicated to serving individual and community needs, with an emphasis on helping people with developmental disabilities.