

THE Leavenworth CONNECTION



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The United Way Campaign *is hoping to shine brighter*

Annually, Hallmark's come together for a common worthy cause- United Way. Hallmark has a long proud tradition of helping United Way. Thanks to Hallmark employees generous contributions each year, Hallmark is one of the local United Way's largest contributors.

This year, event efforts included hosting the kick off community breakfast for the campaign, organizing a golf tournament, a silent auction and a weeks worth of overlap speakers. The speakers covered specifics of what their organizations do and how United Way contributions help fund their non-profit organizations.

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Employees are encouraged to participate in the 2012 Pledge Drive by logging on to the company intranet. Go to Benefits & Programs > Community Involvement > United Way > 2012 Pledge Drive Instructions, follow the link to the E-Way donation site then follow the instructions on the page.

The 2012 theme is "Together our star shines brighter". Hallmark's goals for this year is to increase awareness of the United Way and to increase employee/ division participation. Together, we can help others stars shine brighter! Thank you for all each of you do to

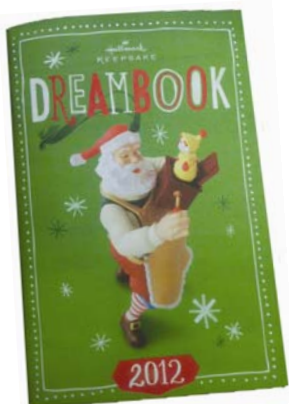
help support United Way efforts.



United Way Presentations and Speakers



CARD SHOP



KEEPSAKE ORNAMENT DEBUT

October ornaments debut on October 8th.
The Christmas Shop opens by October 10th.
Last years ornaments available for sale until October 5th.



***New Halloween items have arrived! Check early for best selection!**

CARD SHOP



SAFETY spot

The E. Edwards safety shoe trailer will be here November 11 & 12

Let your manager know you are interested to get an authorization voucher that will be given to the E. Edwards sales staff. Hallmark will pay \$100 maximum for approved styles. Employees are eligible for new safety shoes under this cost-sharing plan once every twelve months.



GREAT TURNOUTS

For blood drive and flu shots!

Results from the 9/21 blood drive:



18 volunteers with 15 units of blood collected and one first time donor!

**The next drive is scheduled for*

November 16 from 6am to 9:30am.

Flu Shots:

We have given over 90 flu shots in Leavenworth. There are a few doses left available on a first come first serve basis.



THANK YOU'S

A huge thank you to my Hallmark family for the cards, visits, and especially your prayers following my accident. Your support has made a giant impact on my recovery.

-Jim Munda

BIRTHDAYS

- 02 Penny Fields
- 04 Tony Prohaska
- 06 Elaine McClure
- 08 Brian Sanders
- 09 Kevin Kern
- 15 Larry Hund
- 16 Jack Grimm
- 17 Warren Abernathy
- 18 Tammy Marsh
- 24 Thelma Cason
- 24 Stan Schloer
- 25 Angie Lebron
- 26 Sharon Schloer
- 29 Alan Collins
- 31 Terry Lindbloom
- 31 Irene Shelton

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ANNIVERSARIES

Ken Alspaugh
 Multi-Equipment Operator
 October 18

40th