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Welcome Summer Interns!

This summer we are excited to announce we have two college interns, Hope Janise and Shannon Peterson, joining our United team.

Hope Janise attends the University of Houston- Clear Lake. She is a communication major and will be

Dear UWBC Friend,

The month of May has brought the community into bloom. Whether we are celebrating our volunteers, or working hard alongside them, United Way of Brazoria County just wants to say:

Thank you volunteers!

United we grow. United we stand.

Sincerely,

United Way of Brazoria County

The Impact Initiative

helping us with our social media sites as well as visiting different events and helping with photography.

Shannon Peterson attends Texas A&M University. She is a business management major with a minor in nonprofit. She will be shadowing everyone in the office as well as networking and getting to know our nonprofit partners and what working at a nonprofit entails.

We can not wait to have new outlooks on volunteering and show them how we **#liveunited** !



2016 Employee Campaign Awards Continue



May continues to see us deliver Employee Campaign Awards around the county. UWBC staff are still working hard to meet with each of our 2016 Campaign Workplaces, and we would like to acknowledge all of our award recipients of the month of May:

3M

Bank of America in Pearland
Centerpoint Energy

City of Alvin

City of Pearland

Chevron Phillips Chemical
Company

Dillard's of Pearland

First State Bank

Freeport LNG-Quintana

H-E-B Pearland Plus

Salvation Army, Freeport Corps

Shintech Incorporated

Texas Gulf Bank

Zachry Group



This May, UWBC spread the message of community capacity building. Through **The Impact Initiative**, the Brazoria County organizations were able to come and learn about the process of strengthening individual's abilities and effectiveness to enhance future sustainability of their nonprofits.



Those who participated were able to attend twenty different educational sessions with experienced speakers. The outcome of the event was successful and held a ton of educational value. We were extremely thankful to work with **The Dow Chemical Company** and their employees to bring this initiative to the nonprofits of Brazoria County.

If you are interested in looking further into this event or want to see pictures please visit [The Impact Initiative](#) or view our Flickr album by clicking the button below.



May's Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon



Thank you Employee Campaign Workplaces and ECLs!

If you are interested in hosting a United Way Employee Campaign in your workplace, contact [Susan Cooman](mailto:scooman@uwbc.org), scooman@uwbc.org, or call our office at [979.849.9402](tel:979.849.9402).



Click the button above to view the full 2016 Employee Campaign Award album. We will continue to add photos as we meet with our workplaces.

ELS Birthday BASH Wrap Up



The 2017 Emerging Leaders Society Birthday BASH has been an amazing success!

For 2017, ELS raised:

123 Birthday Bags

The Facts's Leaders Under 40 Celebration featured a drive to



On May 23rd, United Way of Brazoria County held a volunteer appreciation luncheon at **El Patio Restaurant**. We had the privilege of acknowledging our core volunteers and awarding the title of volunteer of the year to Lonnie Rathbun!

Angleton Flower Shop supplied the table arrangements and the volunteer of the year bouquet.

We like to reach out and remind our volunteers how much they mean to us for volunteering with UWBC. By volunteering you have just given the most expensive and priceless gift anyone could have ever given - kindness and love. Thank you.



See the entire UWBC Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon on Flickr by clicking the button above.



Schlumberger at Forgotten Angels

donate even more Birthday Bags to the ELS Birthday BASH.

We are in the process of delivering all the Birthday Bags. The bags are going to [The Salvation Army-Freepport Corps](#), [Brazosport Cares Food Pantry](#), [Brazoria County Dream Center](#), and Pearland Neighborhood Center.



If you are interested in joining ELS at their next event, contact [Andrea Raiff](#), araiff@uwbc.org, or call our office at [979.849.9402](tel:979.849.9402).



Click on the button above to view the full ELS Birthday BASH album.



Thursday, May 18th **Schlumberger of Rosharon** partnered with Forgotten Angels of Pearland to build a walking path for residents of Forgotten Angel's Dayhab. Volunteers showed up at 6 A.M. and began working on the path. 120 Schlumberger volunteers came to help, demonstrating their commitment to **#liveunited**.

If you are interested in organizing a service event for your workplace, contact Andrea Raiff, araiff@uwbc.org. Or call the UWBC office, 979 849 9402.



Visit the **Schlumberger at Forgotten Angels** album on Flickr.

United Way Days of Action

On June 23-24th, volunteers will be volunteering to make their community a better place through **Days of Action**. This event will take place at the Family Crisis Shelter in Oyster Creek.

For more information please contact **[Andrea Raiff](#)**, araiff@uwbc.org, or call our office at [979.849.9402](tel:979.849.9402).





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