

# SEASON OF Giving 2025

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# A circle of giving...

This annual “Season of Giving” publication reminds us of the continuing Circle of Giving that serves our community well: Local people support local businesses, which support local non-profit organizations, which are so important in supporting local people. Just as many businesses depend on the holiday season for their economic vitality, local non-profit groups depend on year-end giving to help them provide year-round services. That need also is supported by public policies that boost donations through reduction of taxes for donors. These pages highlight some of our many community-minded businesses and some of the non-profit causes they support. We join them in encouraging broad participation in this Season of Giving through contributions to these and other deserving charitable organizations.

## There are many ways to give this holiday season.

### SPONSOR

From new immigrants to individuals with disabilities, there are lots of great people in your community who could use your support. As a bonus, becoming a sponsor often marks the beginning of a wonderful friendship.

### NOURISH

Help banish hunger from your community: make breakfast for underprivileged children, cook meals for the homeless or manage a food bank for low-income families.

### ACCOMPANY

Simply being there for someone who is facing a stressful situation — a medical appointment, for instance — can make a world of difference, especially for the elderly and the vulnerable.

### SUPPORT

Offer an attentive ear to someone who’s going through hard times. To find an opportunity to do so, look for an organization that recruits and trains volunteers for this type of role.

### COACH

Get involved in your community and have a blast while you’re at it! Offer to coach a local sports team to share your passion and skills with tomorrow’s all-stars.

### TEACH

Do you have a gift for languages, the arts, music or mathematics? Sharing your craft or expertise for free with people of all ages and backgrounds is extremely rewarding.

### MENTOR

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Kiwanis at Beyond Backpacks



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St. Barnabas Soup Kitchen  
Amity Christmas Tree Lighting  
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Join with these local businesses and support our community non-profit organizations.

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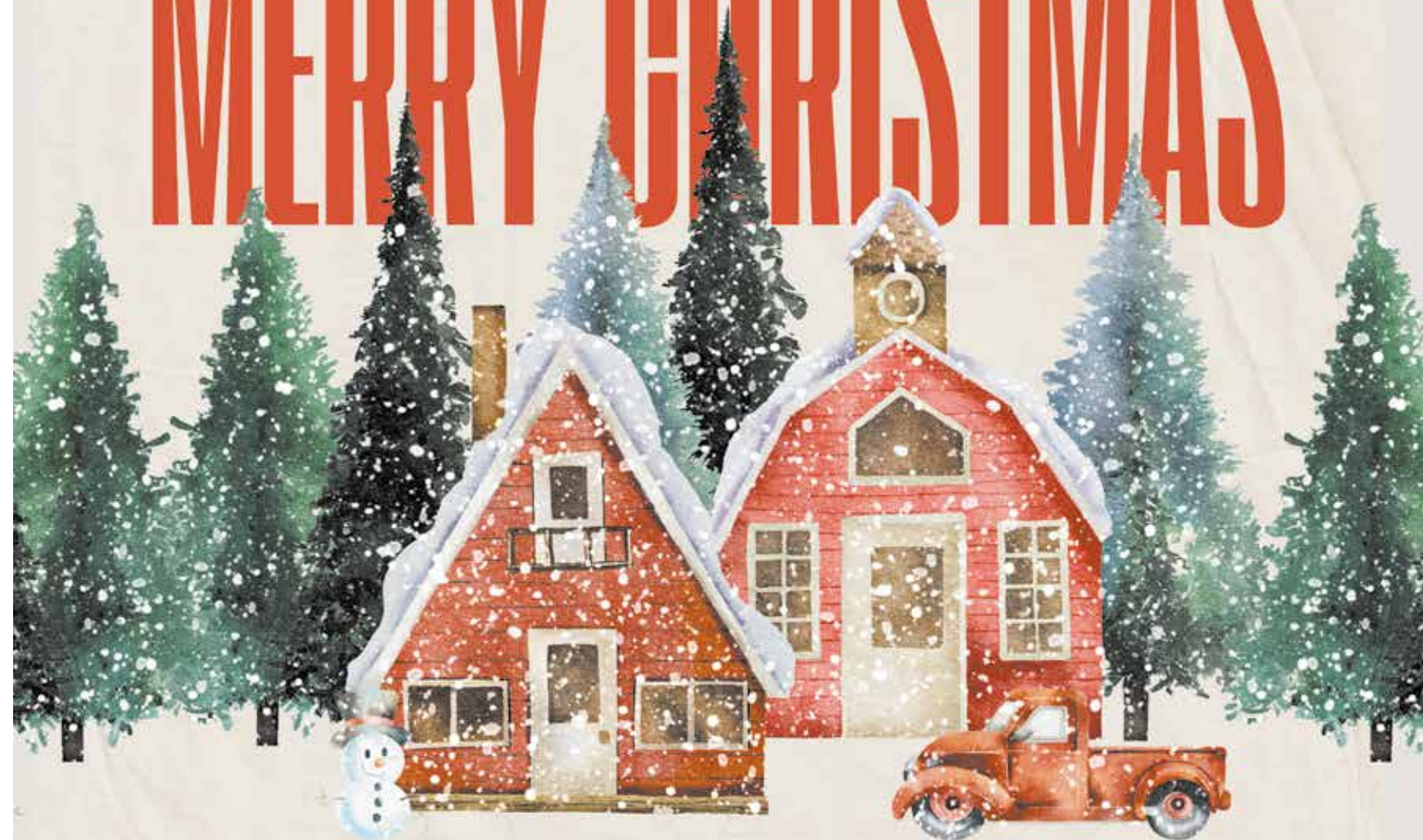
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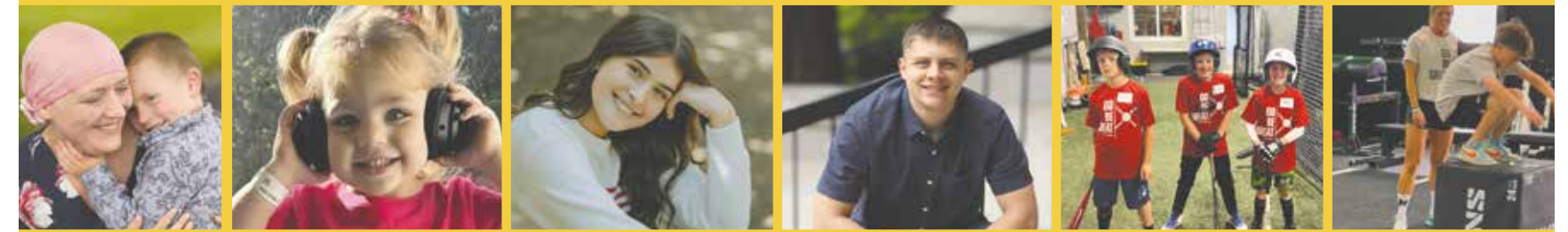
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*Help bring hope to local children in foster care...*



- **Take** a tag from one of our Giving Trees and bring joy to a child in foster care this holiday.
- **Donate** to support CASA volunteers advocating for children.
- **Volunteer** your time and make a lasting impact by becoming a CASA- next training starts in January.
- **Attend** Silent Nights on December 21<sup>st</sup> at the Yamhill County History Museum and celebrate hope with us.

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### Potential of life through activities

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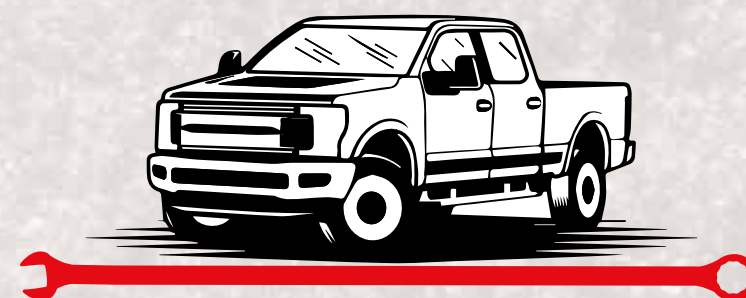
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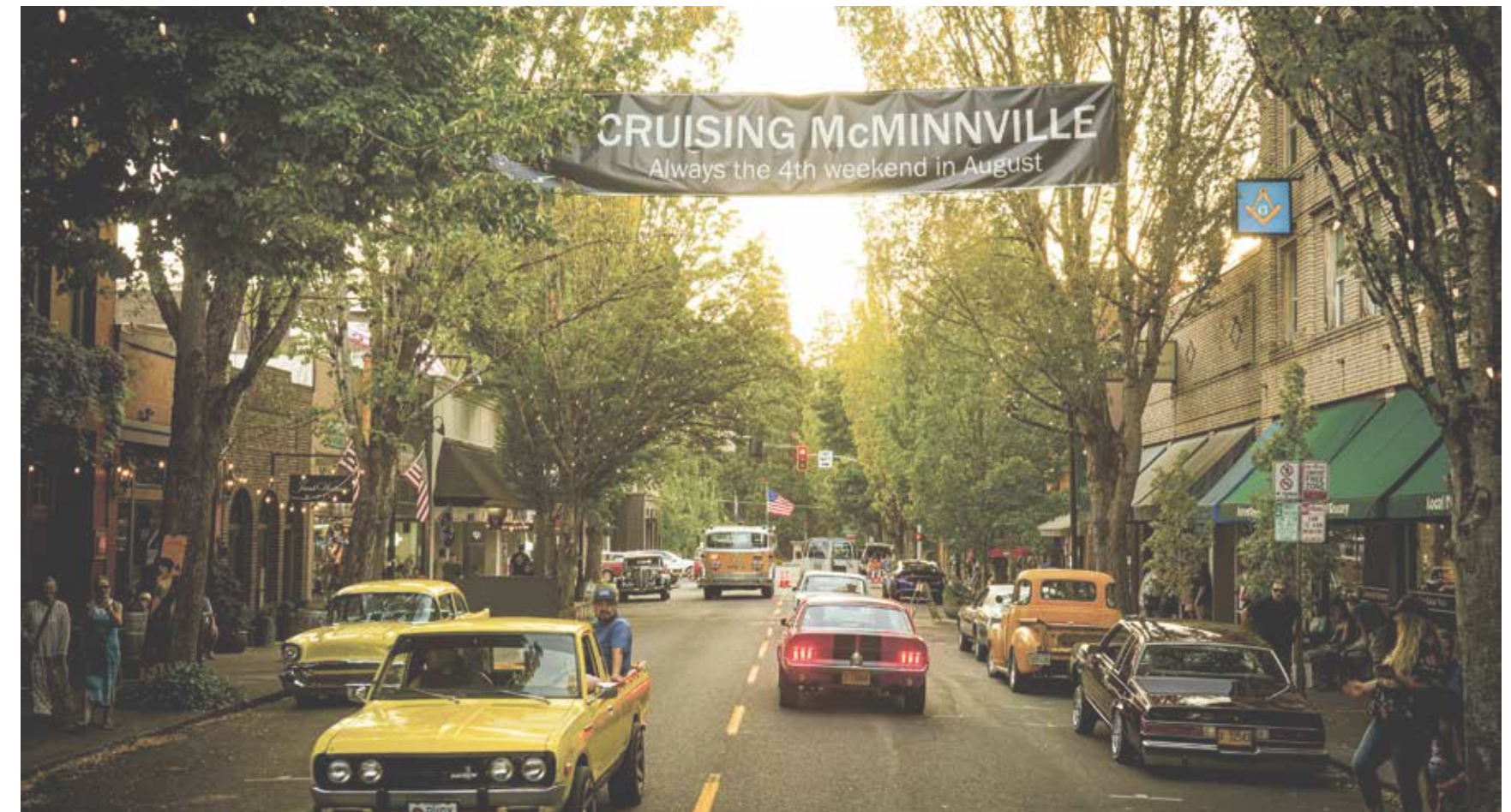


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## GIVE



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## McMinnville Young Life

... at a glance

## WHAT WE DO

### Club

Weekly gathering with students to celebrate relationships in a fun space and share real, life-changing stories about Jesus.

### Campaigners

Weekly small-group meeting of leaders and adolescents following Jesus together, reading the Bible, and talking about real life.

### Committee

A group of committed adults who partner with local staff and volunteers as the foundation of spiritual and operational support.

### Camp

A place designed for adolescents to experience adventure, fun, community, and the gospel twice a year at a Young Life property.

### Contact Work

Leaders going where adolescents are in our community to get to know them, earn the right to be heard, and love them like Jesus does.

## PARTNER WITH US

### PRAYER

Partners to engage in our first and most important work.

### VOLUNTEER LEADER

Adults invested in relationships with kids to carry out our mission.

### MINISTRY PARTNER

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### CONTACT

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Drop off new, unwrapped toys at these locations through December 12th, 2025.

**Delight a child  
This year with  
an awesome  
donation to the  
toy drive!**

Donations accepted after December 12th at McMinnville Fire District locations.

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Check the McMinnville Fire District Facebook page for other businesses who are participating in the Toy Drive!

While shopping this season, keep in mind that for many children, these toys will be their only gift.  
We are also looking for gift cards for clothes, coffee, etc., for older children.

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# SOROPTIMIST McMinnville

Investing in Dreams

A global volunteer organization working to improve the lives of local women and girls through programs leading to social and economic empowerment.

**Celebrating 75 Years in McMinnville 1951-2026**



Soroptimist International's *Live Your Dream*: Education and Training Awards for Women annually disburses about \$2.9 million in education grants to more than 2,000 women all over the world who have overcome enormous personal obstacles.



## Holiday Home Tour

On **December 7, 2025** The Holiday Home Tour invites you to explore five festive McMinnville homes decorated for the season while helping fund educational support for local women.

Noon - 4pm \$30pp  
Scan to purchase your Ticket  
or visit: [simcminnville.org](http://simcminnville.org)



## SoroBoutique

This program provides women in need with job interview or work appropriate clothing. They receive shopping vouchers from Soroptimist for clothing at the McMinnville "New to You" consignment store. The community participates by donating and assigning their consignment earnings to the Soroptimist account at New to You.



The Dream It, Be It is a program for high school girls between 14-18 years old. It includes relevant and purposeful lessons through mentoring, career onsite visits, volunteering opportunities, networking, and financial assistance for qualified extra-curricular activities.

## Sip for Success



Sip for Success brings the community together for an evening of wine, dinner, and lively auctions, all devoted to expanding educational access for women. The event raises critical dollars for programs that remove barriers like tuition, books, transportation, and childcare so women can keep building a stronger future.



For more information or to contact us  
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## Empowering Yamhill County Youth Through Literacy & Music Enrichment



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JOY engages over 1,250 Yamhill County students in grades K-12 through in-school and after-school string instruction. Building musical skills, community connection, and a love of music—culminating in a county-wide youth orchestra.



As the local partner for Dolly Parton's Imagination Library, YES helps deliver books to an average of 2,500 children each month, inspiring a love of reading from an early age.



Bounty of Yamhill County (BOYC) is an annual August fundraiser that features two signature events celebrating our community and passion – the BIG NIGHT Salmon Bake and SOUNDS OF JOY Concert.





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**B**eyond Backpacks is an annual event that was established in 2004. The organization helps children in Yamhill County from high needs families in grades Pre K-12 receive new backpacks, "chalked" full of school supplies.

Children who attend the event get to pick out their own brand new backpack and receive school supplies appropriate to their grade level. Other supplies needed for their families are also available that day. Refreshments are served and the children are encouraged to visit and play while their parents are able to learn more about community services available to them.

Beyond Backpacks is a totally donation-led organization and is a coordinated effort supported by many churches, service organizations, businesses and individuals throughout Yamhill county. Each year Beyond Backpacks continues to serve well over 500 children of our community. We continue to work hard to meet the needs of as many children as possible. Beyond Backpacks goal is to never leave a child without the supplies they need to start the school year off right.



### HOW CAN I HELP?

#### DONATE SUPPLIES

*Beyond Backpacks accepts only new supplies.*

Backpacks  
sturdy — durable, please  
# 2 Pencils  
Pens — blue or black  
Pink erasers  
Pencil top erasers  
Composition books  
Filler paper  
Scissors  
blunt, pointed, and 7"  
Facial tissue  
Glue sticks

Spiral notebooks  
Highlighters  
Pocket folders  
Dry erase markers  
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Tab dividers  
Rulers  
Crayola Brand (PLEASE)  
Crayons, 24 pk.  
Colored pencils, 12 pk.  
Washable markers, 8 pk.

#### DONATE MONETARILY

Make checks payable to:  
BEYOND BACKPACKS  
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McMinnville OR 97128

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#### VOLUNTEER

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#### OUR MISSION:

To serve children of families in need with a backpack and school supplies. We believe deeply in children starting the school year on a positive note; feeling that they belong and can contribute to their classroom.

#### WHEN:

August 15, 2026

#### WHERE:

Sue Buel Elementary

#### WHO:

Children from families in need attending school in Yamhill County, grades Pre K-12  
Advance Application Required.  
Children must be present on event day.

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# Merry Christmas

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Every year we look forward to celebrating some of our favorite local non-profits with the Season of Giving. This community does good work, and we are thrilled to participate with you each year and throughout the year.

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## 99 GAL Friends of Yamhill County A DIFFERENT WAY OF GIVING!

We are a **women's giving circle** committed to bringing about positive, transformational, even lasting, change in our local communities.

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**How does it work?** Each member pays a yearly fee (a minimum of \$300 yearly or \$25 a month). These funds are pooled so that relatively large Impact Grants can be awarded to nonprofits in Yamhill County for the benefit of underserved populations.



We have awarded 65 Impact Grants so far in these areas:

- Arts & Culture
- Children, Education, & Schools
- Senior Citizen Welfare
- Women's Health

To become a member—and for further information—please visit our website at [99galfriends.org](http://99galfriends.org), email us at [info@99galfriends.org](mailto:info@99galfriends.org), or leave a message at 503-857-2964. Note: As a 501(c)(3), we operate under the umbrella of the Give a Little Foundation (see facing page).



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We invite you to become a Loyal Companions monthly donor at [HBPets.org/LC](http://HBPets.org/LC). This program provides a safety net and allows us to prioritize animal care over spending valuable time fundraising.

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# MAC FOOD FUND

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