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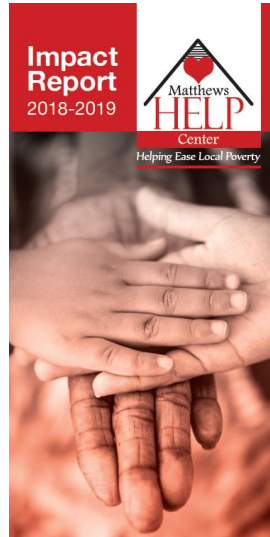
Helping
Ease Local
Poverty

In the Community

- Matthews Human Service Council Meeting – April 23rd
- MHC HELP Fest – April 27th
- The Joe Maus Foundation Charity Golf Tournament – May 6th
- Metrolina Council of Nursing Banquet – May 9th
- Matthews Chamber Women in Business Event with Local Family Network – June 18th
- Matthews Town Meeting – Nancy Glenn Award Presentation – June 24th



MHC Updates



Click [here](#) to see how your support made a difference in our Annual Impact Report!

In our 4th Quarter (April – June) MHC provided:

1,645 services to
798 households impacting
1,344 individuals!



2019 “HELP Fest” Fundraiser

Thank you to all of you who attended, sponsored, and donated to our 2019 “HELP Fest” Fundraiser in April.

We were able to raise over **\$21,000** to help local families in our community!





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Community Partners

We are so grateful for the grants that we receive throughout the year to give us the ability to help more individuals in our community. Thank you to each of you for your support!

2018/2019 Grants

Charlotte Alumnae Chapter - Delta Sigma Theta Sorority
Disney Worldwide Services Inc./ESPN
Duke Energy
Grace & Hope Foundation, Inc.
Matthews Rotary Club
Matthews Womans Club Service League
Novant Health Matthews
Provident Benevolent Foundation

Publix Super Markets Charities
The CarMax Foundation
The Gary M. Smith Foundation, Inc.
The Leon Levine Foundation
The Merancas Foundation
Walmart/Sam's Club
Weddington United Methodist Church

Upcoming Events

August 16th 2019

“Matthews Gives Back” to School

MHC partners with Matthews Police Department on this annual program to support local children in need of school supplies to start off their school year. If your child is in need of supplies or if you would like to donate school supplies for this program please visit www.matthewshelpcenter.org for more information.

August 20th 2019

MHC 9th Annual Golf Tournament Fundraiser

Join us for a day of golf to give back those in need. The event will be held at Raintree Country Club. The deadline for registration is August 13th. For more information and to register, visit www.matthewshelpcenter.org/golftournament.html

November 2019

MHC 40th Anniversary

We are so excited that MHC will be celebrating our 40th Anniversary this year! We want to hear from YOU! Are you a current or past Board Member, Volunteer, Customer, or Client that would like to share a memory or testimonial about Matthews HELP Center? Please email Sarah Galligan at development@matthewshelpcenter.org. Thank you!





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Volunteer Spotlight



Lee Monk, Food Pantry Volunteer Extraordinaire!

“Everybody has a story”. Lee has been our Food Pantry volunteer for eight years and always astounds staff and volunteers with her leadership and caring ways. Lee found out about the Matthews Help Center after she lost her son, Alex, ten years ago in a tragic accident. Another volunteer told Lee of MHC and once she started coming here, she quickly realized that we all have a season, a time for heartache and hardship, and a time for giving back and ministering to others. Lee volunteers every day except Tuesday and Saturday. Her son Connor, 25, lives in Brevard.

As Lee says, “Everybody has a story, and I have an opportunity each day to help them and pray for them during their season.”

Thank you Lee for all you do for MHC, we are so lucky to have you!



Customer Appreciation Sale! **August 21st, 2019**

All items storewide will be 50% off and surprise giveaways will occur every hour to honor our wonderful customers!

All proceeds from Back Porch Treasures help local families in crisis

 Check our Facebook page for weekly sale listings!

★ MHC Wish List Items ★

We are currently in need of the following items for our Back to School Program:

3-Ring Binders
Composition Notebooks
Notebook Paper & Graph Paper
(college/wide rule)
Spiral notebooks
Pocket Folders (various colors)
Pencils and sharpeners

Pencil Boxes/Pouches
Pens (red, blue, black)
Highlighters
Colored Pencils/Crayons
Erasers/eraser tops
Index Cards
Tab Dividers

Glue sticks
Rulers/Scissors
Flash Drive
Headphones
Lunchboxes