Renters Eviction Assistance Project (REAP) Presentation
Mary Lynne Donohue, project manager, presentation

Legal action of Wisconsin runs a program out of Milwaukee that provides pro bono legal assistance to people with eviction cases. ML Donohue worked to replicate that program in Sheboygan County, working with corporate lawyers to provide services. REAP has been serving clients in Sheboygan County since August 20, 2021.

Lakeshore CAP is the key partner in referring individuals to REAP. There is a REAP pre-screen on the Lakeshore CAP website (lakeshorecap.org). After completing that pre-screen, individuals are referred to the program.

The project has served 49 individuals since August.

If you are interacting with clients who are in need of legal assistance for eviction cases, refer them to Lakeshore CAP (lakeshorecap.org, Sheboygan office: 920-803-6991; Manitowoc office: 920-682-3737).

Spirit of Sheboygan County Volunteer Awards – Looking for Nominations!
Help highlight the groups, individuals, businesses, and your board of directors that support your mission by making a nomination. This event is also a great way to get your nonprofit’s name out into the community by highlighting your past successes thanks to volunteerism in our community.

a. Nomination Form: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/21SA

Volunteer Center Network (VCN) Meeting
The first quarter Virtual Meeting is on January 26th at 9 a.m. – calendar invites coming out soon.

c. Reminder, sign-up for your annual radio spot (we are now conducting these in person for those that want to) and Digital Sign.
   i. Radio Spots: Click here to reserve your spot.
   ii. Reserve the Digital Outdoor Sign: Click here to reserve your time slot for the digital sign. Click here for information regarding the sign limitations.

b. Also, Save the date for 2022 Day of Caring: Thursday, September 22, 2022

N95 Masks May be Available
The Boys and Girls Club of Sheboygan County may have access to thousands of N95 masks. They will work with United Way in distributing masks. Email Christina Singh if you are interested in receiving masks and how many you would want: csingh@thepositiveplace.com

Meals on Wheels Update
Fresh Meals On Wheels has increased the number of people we are serving by more than 20% in the last month. We are currently feeding more than 360 people throughout Sheboygan County, with the biggest influx coming from the southwest section of the county. If any business, individual or organization is interested in hosting a route each week, we’d greatly appreciate it.

Resource Night focused on minority groups
Partners for Community Development is holding a Resource Night on Feb. 17, 2022 from 5-8 p.m. at Sheridan Elementary School, specifically targeting different minority groups to attend. They are looking for organizations to participate and provide resources about their programs. Email Karina at Partners for more information: karina.aguirre@partners4cd.com or call 920-946-5965.
Community Center at Sunnyside Townhouses
Partners for Community Development is also looking open a community center to bring resources onsite at Sunnyside Townhouses, to increase access for the residents. If you are interested in more information about the community center, contact Karina at Partners: karina.aguirre@partners4cd.com or call 920-946-5965.

Great Marriages Update
Great Marriages has our 2022 events starting up again...some online and some in-person. January: "Sexpectations" this Saturday, 1/15 (in-person), then "Perpetual Problems and Steps to Resolve Conflict" on 1/25 (online). https://www.great-marriages.org/events Join us!

Nonprofit Sector Community Calendar
The nonprofit sector has a shared community calendar for everyone to use to post their classes and events. If you or someone in your agency needs access, please email info@bbbswishoreline.org with the name and email to be added. It is a Google Calendar.

Youth and Family Resource Guide
Be sure to submit your youth and family focused events and programs for the February Youth and Family Resource Guide. Please fill out the survey using this Google Form to submit your event/program information: https://forms.gle/nDxW6C8DaIMmXQK77