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Ohio Valley Goodwill Industries Named One of the Best Workplaces in Ohio!



Ohio Valley Goodwill Industries is proud to announce that the organization has been singled out as one of the 2017 Best Workplaces in Ohio by the editors of Ohio Business Magazine. This is the second time in the past two years that Ohio Valley Goodwill has been recognized by Ohio Business Magazine for this distinction.

Goodwill was selected as a winner in the category of businesses with more than 200 employees. As noted by the magazine, a great workplace is a place where a worker feels valued and the long tenure of many of the organization's team members reflect that sense of being part of a larger mission in the community. Goodwill has been a fixture in the Greater Cincinnati business community for over a century and employs almost one thousand people through its 18 retail stores, donation centers and employment and training programs.

Ohio Valley Goodwill is particularly honored to be selected for recognition for the second year in a row by Ohio Business magazine. Ohio Valley Goodwill Industries thanks Ohio Business Magazine for this prestigious recognition as one of the 2017 Best Workplaces in Ohio.

To find out more about Goodwill, visit www.cincinnatigoodwill.org/about. To view Ohio Business Magazine and Best Workplaces in Ohio story, visit https://ohiobusinessmag.com/





Ohio Valley Goodwill's Newsletter and Annual Report Mailings Are Going "Green"

Beginning in 2018, we will be transitioning to an on-line electronic version of both Ohio Valley Goodwill's newsletter and annual report. Each of these publications will be available on our website at: www.cincinnatigoodwill.org (just simply go to the ABOUT US tab and click on MEDIA).

Please email us and let us know if you wish to move to the electronic format.

You can simply send us an email at: **gpalmer@cincigoodwill.org** and let us know if you would like to read both publications on-line and remove your contact information from our mailing list. If we do not hear back from you, we will continue to mail you a copy of our newsletter and yearly annual report.

It's just another way we are working to assist the environment and helping to go "Green" at Ohio Valley Goodwill Industries.

Thank you for your continued support of Ohio Valley Goodwill Industries and the many people we serve each year!









Ohio Valley Goodwill Chief Financial Officer Receives 2017 CFO of the Year Award



Ohio Valley Goodwill is pleased to announce that the organization's Chief Financial Officer, Doug Ostholthoff, was honored with the "2017 CFO of the Year" award at the Cincinnati Business Courier's C-Suite event on Thursday, August 17th. The prestigious C-Suite Awards hosted by the Business Courier is designed to recognize top executives in Greater Cincinnati whose skills and leadership have helped shape success for their companies.

Doug Ostholthoff has been with Ohio Valley Goodwill Industries for more than 40 years and has helped Goodwill grow from a one million dollar enterprise to now a non-profit organization with more than a \$41 million dollar operating budget. During the C-Suite awards ceremony, Doug's accomplishments were publicly noted and included the following: "As CFO of Ohio Valley Goodwill for the past 40 years, Doug Ostholthoff has been directly involved in all major decisions affecting the growth of the organization. Corporate growth has been managed through prudent investment, solid accounting practices and attentive management enabling the organization to become one of the largest and most successful nonprofits in the state of Ohio."

Doug has been an integral part of the organization's mission of helping thousands of people with disabilities and our nation's veterans to help get jobs in our community. "I am very proud of the important services that Goodwill provides and the reputation that we have worked hard to earn over the past 40 years in the Cincinnati business community," said Ostholthoff at the event ceremonies.

Ohio Valley Goodwill congratulates Doug Ostholthoff, Vice-President and Chief Financial Officer, on this well-deserved award recognition from the Cincinnati Business Courier.





Ohio Valley Goodwill Launches Newly Re-designed User Friendly Website

Ohio Valley Goodwill is pleased to announce the formal launch of its newly re-designed corporate website at www.cincinnatigoodwill.org. The new website is designed to be mobile-friendly, have improved navigation and most importantly, to be accessible to all visitors. As an organization which serves more than 3500 people annually through its Employment and Training Center, Goodwill typically welcomes thousands of interested individuals to its corporate website each month. The newly re-designed site was a priority to make it as welcoming as possible and to share much needed information with website visitors.

Ohio Valley Goodwill worked hard in the re-design process to ensure that the website would be as easy as possible for visitors to find what they are looking for in terms of programs and services; shopping; donating; the Auto Auction as well as Industrial Services. "With an organization as large as Ohio Valley Goodwill Industries and our many different business lines, we wanted to design our website to provide visitors with the information they need and in an expedient fashion," said Doug Ostholthoff, CFO and Vice President of Administrative Services.

Ohio Valley Goodwill offers its main corporate website at **www.cincinnatigoodwill.org** and four mini-sites accessible from the main site for the ease of interested visitors.

Shopping - www.goodwillbargains.com
Auto Auction - www.goodwillcars.com
Employment Resources - www.goodwillemploymentservices.com
Goodwill's Industrial Services - www.goodwillb2b.com

All of the mini-sites have been re-designed as well to ensure user-friendliness and enhanced accessibility.

The best part is all visitors can check out the newly re-designed websites and sign up for anything of interest to them including receiving a monthly store sales calendar; the latest Auto Auction list; or information about our Employment



and Training Services. Please take a moment to check out the newly re-designed Goodwill websites today and let us know what you think! At Goodwill, we value our customer feedback and look forward to your next visit to www.cincinnatigoodwill.org.

Goodwill and Queen Bee Celebrate 2017 Half Marathon and Expo Success



Ohio Valley Goodwill was thrilled to again be a part of the annual Queen Bee Half Marathon held on the weekend of October 6th and 7th. As an exciting part of the marathon's Expo held at the Duke Convention Center, Goodwill once again offered its always popular Goodwill "Bee-Tique" which offered dozens of running and sports apparel for only \$5. each at the Friday October 6th Expo! Also, the Goodwill "Selfie" photo booth was also a major attraction and this year drew dozens of Queen Bee's in training.

This year's Queen Bee followed a new route which ended with a big post-race celebration event at Lytle Park. More than 5500 athletes buzzed around the post-event party which is designed to be the crowning touch for all of the Queen Bee participants. As a Royal Sponsor of the event, Goodwill once again had the opportunity to take the stage and announce the winner of a luxurious spa pampering basket offered by the organization which was truly fit for a Queen. Entrants receive a chance to win when they make a donation to Goodwill during the Queen Bee weekend event and the winner is always selected at the post-race party.

As a Royal Sponsor of the Queen Bee Half Marathon event, Ohio Valley Goodwill is pleased to support this unique celebration which honors women and promotes the power of community. Goodwill is proud of being a sponsor and supporter of the 4th annual Queen Bee Half Marathon," said Sharon Hannon, Marketing Manager and event coordinator.

Goodwill thanks everyone for their involvement in this year's successful Queen Bee Half Marathon and looks forward to next year's fall event.

Your Holiday Giving Goes A Long Way to Help Goodwill!

At this time of the year, we always like to suggest to our friends and supporters that holiday giving to Ohio Valley Goodwill Industries goes a long way to help Goodwill's mission throughout the year. This year, why not put Ohio Valley Goodwill Industries on your holiday giving list! A contribution of any size will assist Goodwill with its very important mission of helping to serve the vocational and job support needs of men and women with disabilities and our nation's veterans. You can be sure that a monetary contribution of any size will go directly to support the programs and services for the people that Ohio Valley Goodwill serves.

Don't forget that during this time of giving, Goodwill needs your donations of clothing, shoes, household goods, furniture, small appliances, kitchen wares, and other usable items that help to fill our stores for the upcoming winter months. When these donations are sold in Greater Cincinnati Goodwill retail stores, the income that is generated from the sale of these items goes directly to support the more than 3,500 individuals that Goodwill serves each year. Your support is always appreciated and goes a long way to help all the people who are served by Ohio Valley Goodwill.

For more information about Goodwill's programs and services and how your contributions help our organization, please visit our website at: www.cincinnatigoodwill.org/donate

Ohio Valley Goodwill congratulates the following individuals on their service and dedication during 2017

Administrative Services:		10 Years	Connie Roehm
5 Years	Tiffany Smith	10 Years	Brian Salyers
5 Years	Hope Ware	10 Years	Chris Serger
5 Years	Carol Westmoreland	10 Years	Joan Trauthwein
10 Years	Ana Mendoza	10 Years	Cheryl Webster
10 Years	Eric Payne	15 Years	Arlen Beal
10 Years	Michael Speed	15 Years	Pamela Countryman
15 Years	Alfreda Lee	15 Years	Thomas Digon
25 Years	Tammy Meyer	15 Years	William Funderburg
		15 Years	Kevin McGuire
Contributed	l Goods:	15 Years	Katie Wilson
5 Years	Alleen Adomako	20 Years	Kim Bick
5 Years	David Anderson	20 Years	Eve Lawson
5 Years	Glenda Bise	20 Years	Janet Macke
5 Years	Denise Dooley	20 Years	Donald Mueller
5 Years	Mike Finke	20 Years	Sharon Williams
5 Years	Debbie George		
5 Years	Clark Hagen	Executive Office	
5 Years	Jamie Hardewig	40 Years	Joseph Byrum
5 Years	Phillip Henson		
5 Years	Gladys Hill	Industrial Services:	
5 Years	Sarah Hines	5 Years	James Farrell
5 Years	Jeffrey Jones	10 Years	Ronald Combs
5 Years	Julius Mader	10 Years	Brittany Klug
5 Years	Joseph Miller	10 Years	Sara Sams
5 Years	Malia Mitchum	10 Years	Donna Stollings
5 Years	Corwin Neu	15 Years	Willie Bailey
5 Years	Angela Pickering	15 Years	Harold Flemister
5 Years	Dennis Smith	20 Years	Marcheta Millen
5 Years	Shirley Trice		
5 Years	Deborah Wallrauch	Rehabilitation Services:	
10 Years	Dorothy Berg	5 Years	Matthew Burnheimer
10 Years	Jackie Black	5 Years	Lisa Morgan
10 Years	Stephanie Boyajian	5 Years	Mary Stradtman
10 Years	Matthew Fortner	5 Years	Mary Wellen
10 Years	Ronnie Gross	5 Years	Frances Williams
10 Years	Gay Hall	10 Years	Sandra Holden
10 Years	Ryan Jensen	10 Years	Sean Jackson
10 Years	Peggy Jones	10 Years	Rachel Lednik
10 Years	Se Lee	10 Years	Barbara Rogers
10 Years	Catherin Lincoln	15 Years	Michelle Ruschman
10 Years	James Lusher	20 Years	Kip Miller
10 Years	James Magee	20 Years	Kimberly Steele
10 Years	Kathy Mohrhaus	30 Years	Darlene O'Hair
10 Years	Tomas Phelan		
10 Years	Michael Prestis		



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Ohio Valley Goodwill Opens **New Attended Donation Center** in Hamilton, OH!

Ohio Valley Goodwill is pleased to announce that it has opened a new Attended Donation Center Drive-Thru located at 5565 Liberty Fairfield Rd. in *Hamilton -* directly opposite the former donation trailer at the Kroger store.

Come see what's new at this center on Liberty Fairfield Rd. For directions please visit the Goodwill website at www.cincinnatigoodwill.org/donate or call **(513) 737-4963**

Shopping & Donating to Ohio Valley Goodwill

Goodwill has 33 locations throughout Greater Cincinnati and Northern Kentucky. Donations are accepted at any of the following locations. Call (513) 771-4800 for hours and information or visit our website at: www.cincinnatigoodwill.org

Amelia Attended Donation Center 87 East Main St. Amelia, OH 45102

(513) 947-2800 **Aurora Attended Donation Center** 1030 Green Blvd. Aurora, IN 47001 (812) 926-8139

Batesville Goodwill Store 1348 State Rd., 46 East Batesville, IN 47006

(812) 934-6349 **Beechmont Goodwill Store** 4051 Commercial Dr. Cincinnati, OH 45245

Bellevue Goodwill Store 15 Donnermever Drive Bellevue, KY 41073 (859) 291-1333

(513) 752-0067

Blue Ash Attended Donation Center 9410 Kenwood Rd Cincinnati, OH 45242 (513) 791-6058

Cheviot Goodwill Store 3980 North Bend Rd. Cincinnati, OH 45211 (513) 662-7080

Cold Spring Attended Donation Center 4691 Alexandria Pike Cold Spring, KY 41076 (859) 441-0803

Colerain Attended Donation Center 9289 Colerain Avenue Cincinnati, OH 45251 (513) 245-2964

Delhi Attended Donation Center 5080 Delhi Pike @ Former Kroger Store

Cincinnati, OH 45238 **Delhi-Cleves Warsaw Attended** Donation Center

6096 Cleves-Warsaw Pike Cincinnati, OH 45238 (513) 467-0542

Fairfield Crossings Goodwill Store 4605 Dixie Highway Fairfield, OH 45014 (513) 939-0020

Finneytown Attended Donation Center 6700 Winton Rd. Cincinnati, OH 45224 (513) 541-0409

Florence Goodwill Store 7855 Tanner's Lane Florence, KY 41042 (859) 371-1238

Harrison Goodwill Store 1110 Harrison Ave Harrison, OH 45030 (513) 367-2495

Independence Goodwill Store 6435 Taylor Mill Rd. Independence, KY 41051 (859) 356-5591

Landen Attended Donation Center 8927 Columbia Rd. Landen, OH 45140 (513) 583-5461

Lebanon Goodwill Store 1161 E. Main St. Lebanon, OH 45036 (513) 932-6856

Liberty Fairfield Attended Donation Center 5565 Liberty Fairfield Rd. Hamilton, OH 45011 (513) 737-4963

Loveland Goodwill Store 330 Loveland-Madeira Rd. Loveland, OH 45140 (513) 683-1151

Mariemont Attended Donation Center 7385 Wooster Pike @ Kroger Cincinnati, OH 45227

Mason Boutique & Donation Drive-Thru 1063 Reading Rd. Mason, OH 45040 (513) 770-3290

(513) 831-9900

Milford Attended Donation Center 985 State Route 28 Milford OH 45150

Montgomery Boutique & Donation Drive-Thru

9820 Montgomery Rd. Cincinnati, OH 45242 (513) 791-7058

Mt. Washington Boutique & Donation-

2234 Beechmont Ave. Cincinnati, OH 45230 (513) 231-1459

Oakley Goodwill Store 3080 Markbreit Ave Cincinnati, OH 45209 (513) 631-6348

Oxford Store

203 South Locust St. Oxford, OH 45056 (513) 273-2053

Tri-County Goodwill Store 10600 Springfield Pike Cincinnati, OH 45215 (513) 771-4804

Union Attended Donation Center 9990 Old Union Road Union, KY 41091 (859) 384-0430

West Chester Store 7773 Cincinnati Dayton Rd. West Chester, OH 45069 (513) 755-0575

West Chester Attended Donation Center 7779 Tylersville & Cox Rd. @ Big Lots West Chester, OH 45069

Westwood Attended Donation Center 2990 Harrison Ave Cincinnati, OH 45211

Goodwill Outlet Store 10596 Springfield Pike Cincinnati, OH 45215 (513) 771-0387

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