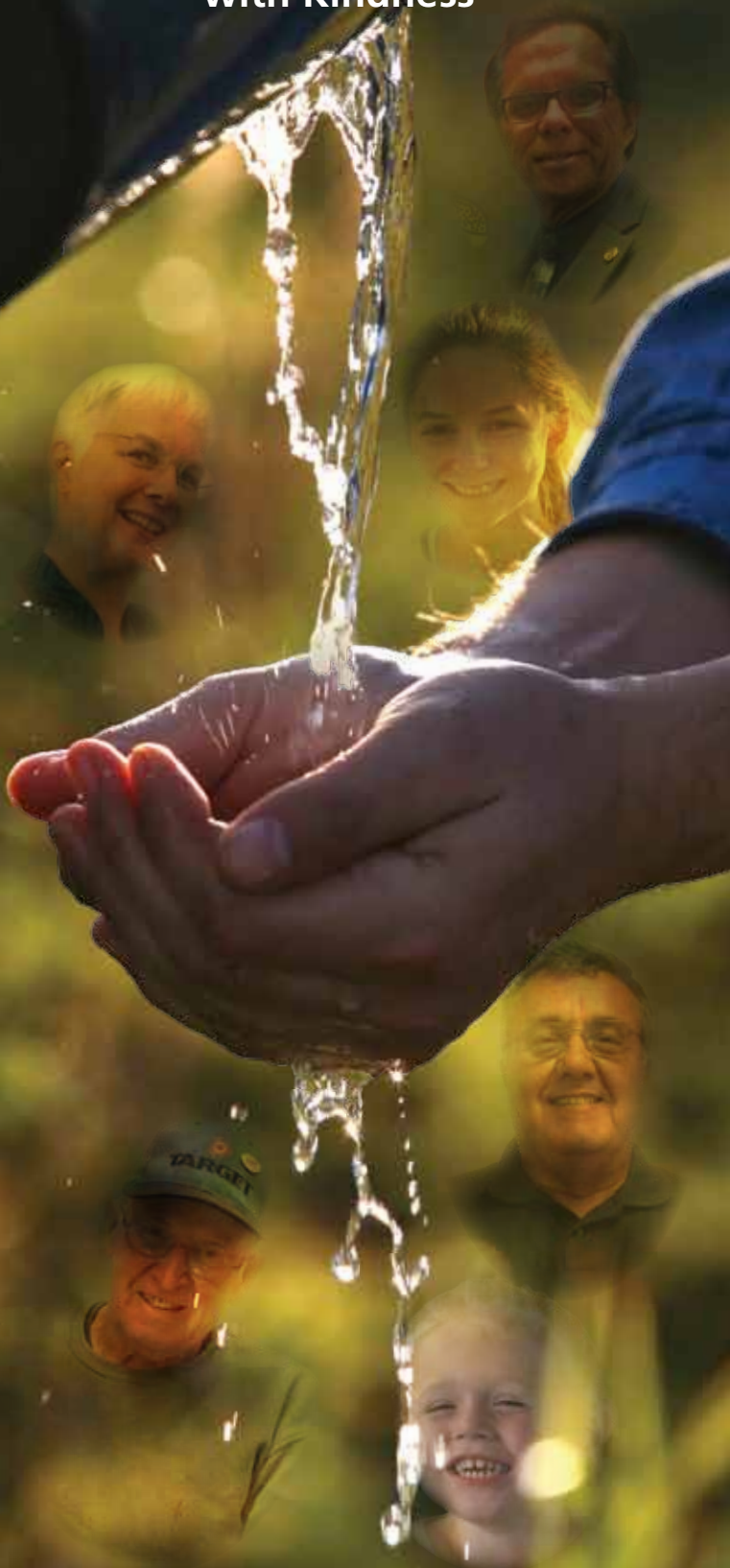


THE TEEG BUCKET

Filling Hearts & Lives
with Kindness



2015 ANNUAL REPORT

A Wellspring of Generosity

Water may be the elixir of life but it is caring that sustains us at TEEG. We are fortunate to have Northeast Connecticut as the reservoir that fills the bucket from which we serve others.

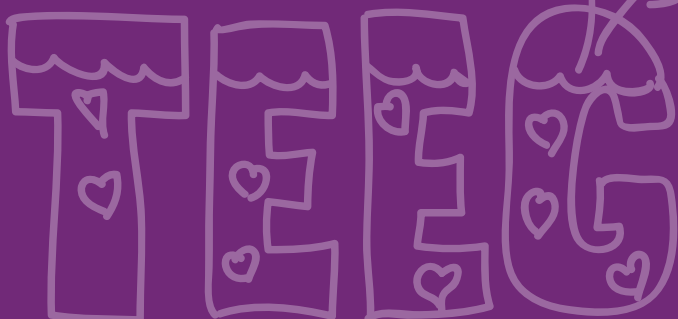
Every year, donations come in all shapes and sizes. Piggy banks filled with coins from lemonade stands. Paper bags filled with a garden's abundance. Envelopes stuffed with one, five and ten dollar bills. Checks in memory of love ones lost too soon. Sponsorships from local businesses and much, much more. Every donation contributes to the bucket brigade that continually replenishes our capacity to serve the community.

Dedication

As TEEG enters our 28th year of service to northeast Connecticut, we dedicate this annual report to the thousands of donors who have contributed money, time, talent and resources over the years.

The annual outpouring of generosity from children and families, faith communities, businesses, civic organizations, community groups and classrooms sustains us. It is because of you that we have the resources year after year to address the challenges faced by neighbors and friends in need.

THANK YOU for keeping our bucket full!



THANK YOU

Helen, Newell &
Peter Hale, &
Blake, Brooke &
Brody Zahansky

ABOUT: Each year on Labor Day weekend, this enterprising group of children sell lemonade to raise money for TEEG.

IN THEIR OWN WORDS: "Even as young people, we know that helping our local community is important because we're all part of it. Helping TEEG is helping grow our community."

FUN FACT: Besides being civically minded, all of these lemonade-selling youth are three-season athletes, staying active year round.



Acknowledgements

TEEG is ever grateful to work with a team of dedicated professionals who have helped us carry water for over a decade!

- ~ Laura Moorehead of Angell House Design and Mary Ann and Kyle Dostaler of MAD Communications continue to provide their award-winning talents to create this year's annual report.
- ~ Don and Laurie Monopoli, owners of The Learning Station, for sharing their powerful and popular tune 'Fill Your Bucket' from the multi-award winning CD #1 *Best Kids Songs*, for this year's 2015 annual report and appeal.

"We are happy to provide TEEG with this year's theme song to support their mission of building healthy lifestyles for the betterment of children."

~ Don and Laurie Monopoli

Let's be
bucket fillers,
that's what we
all should be.

Our bucket is
invisible, it's really
make believe.

But there's no doubt
what a kind act can do.

It makes someone
feel good and
comes right
back to you.

Fill Your Bucket, from the CD, #1 Best Kid's Songs by
The Learning Station

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THANK YOU

Karyn & Rich DiBonaventura

Longmeadow Automotive

ABOUT: Longmeadow Automotive supports TEEG through in-kind donations including securing 'Louise' the lunch van, collecting food donations at their shop, and donating the excess from their own garden.

IN THEIR OWN WORDS: "We support TEEG because the need in this area is greater than people realize. TEEG gives people the resources to take control and responsibility of their own lives."

FUN FACT: Karyn and Rich DiBonaventura both have the same birthday - November 25th!



Goodness in Every Drop

Having to head up hill to fetch every pail of water can be extremely challenging – just ask Jack and Jill!

Fortunately, for our neighbors and friends in the Quiet Corner who face the day-to-day uphill challenges of life, TEEG is here to help. Because our community keeps our bucket full, TEEG is able to provide a variety of programing aimed at offering empowering assistance.

Last year, because of your support to TEEG, we were able to deliver services to 2,660 unduplicated individuals on 42,056 occasions.

TEEG Programs Lives Touched

Early Childhood & Community Education.....	2,815
Youth Services.....	6,769
Community & Income Qualified Programs.....	26,264
Volunteer Services & Giving Back.....	3,919
Senior Services.....	2,289
TOTAL LIVES TOUCHED	
FISCAL YEAR 2014-2015.....	42,056

- Unduplicated Individuals: 2,660
- Unduplicated Families: 1,025



THANK YOU

CNB

A division of bankESB

ABOUT: TEEG's financial partner and supporter from the first day we opened has been Citizen's National Bank. CNB was an annual sponsor of our *Have a Heart Auction* and the TEEG Ambassador for many years. We are very happy to hear that ESB plans to continue CNB's longstanding support.

IN THEIR OWN WORDS: "We share the same goals and values of making small, yet important changes that have significant impacts on the communities we serve. We help support the health and wellness of individuals, families and the community at large. CNB has been a long-term, lead sponsor for this great organization and we plan to keep it that way."

FUN FACT: For the last two years, the *Boston Business Journal* has recognized bankESB as having the highest average of employee volunteer hours in the state! Along with that recognition, the organization was named as a Top Charitable Contributor in Massachusetts.





Message from Our Executive Director

For the past 16 years, it has been my privilege to be a part of the TEEG organization. I am proud of who we are, what we do and, most importantly, the way we do it. TEEG is not a typical social service agency. We were founded on a mission of empowerment, and we serve this mission every day.

To ensure that TEEG stays focused on a mission of empowerment, and remains

true to the intent of our founders, the TEEG Board of Directors has spent the past year working on a renewed strategic plan. This document will guide the future of the organization, assuring personal service and delivery to those in need in a way that preserves their dignity and allows each individual to be a part of their own solution.

TEEG remains a grassroots community service agency committed to providing support to friends and neighbors in northeast Connecticut. We are frugal with the resources we are given and stretch every dollar to assure each one yields maximum benefit. We work hard to keep our administrative costs to less than 12% of our annual budget. At TEEG, our priority is keeping it local ... the services we offer, the people we serve and the resources given to us to get the job the done. Your generosity is vital to our success, and you can rest assured that 100% of your support stays right here in northeast CT ... making a difference in the lives of our neighbors, families and friends. On behalf of the TEEG Board, Staff and those we able to serve, THANK YOU for stepping up to help fill our bucket.

Donna M. Grant, L.M.S.W.

THANK YOU

Phyllis Emigh

Quiet Corner Consulting

ABOUT: Phyllis has been providing pro bono database design and consultation services to TEEG for more than a decade.

IN THEIR OWN WORDS: "TEEG is glue that connects resources to needs in our community, and without TEEG the resources would go unused and needs unmet. Every community needs a TEEG!"

FUN FACT: Phyllis can name all 50 states in alphabetical order in about 30 seconds (it's her secret weapon for trivia night)!



Message from Our Board President



Many generous donors have blessed TEEG this past year with contributions of time, talent and money. *We are pleased and ever grateful for all you have done to help us fill the bucket of TEEG services.*

One of TEEG's hallmark programs that has a great need

and even greater impact is Holiday Giving. The distribution of donated gifts and those purchased from cash contributions resulted in many area children experiencing the joy of presents for Christmas.



The TEEG Food System programs, including Thanksgiving and Christmas meals and food pantry support, helped families and individuals supplement their nutrition and ensure no one goes hungry. With the help of area farms, we gleaned fresh fruits and vegetables. Food Rescue donations from Walmart and others gave us a big boost, and as always, individual contributions of food and money helped us meet the needs of our friends and neighbors.

Throughout the year, we counted on volunteers to assist with many of our programs. We also received countless gifts of time and talent in getting our donated backup generator in place and working. The Town of Thompson has been a great partner in this endeavor.

Our Youth offerings such as the "All Star Adventure Program" and "Got Drama?" also had great results. Our Juvenile Review Board helped guide more young people back to the right path.

Still more drops in our bucket came in the form of donations from towns and individuals, which helped to provide money for emergency oil supplements for those in crisis. All these efforts are available to families and individuals who need a hand up to get back on their feet.

It is by each and every one of you who adds to our bucket – individuals, businesses, organizations and towns – that we are able to water our communities with empowerment.

Thank you!

THANK YOU

Cathy Smith

ABOUT: Cathy is a communicant of Creation Church and works to serve their mission. She and her sons, along with other church members, can often be seen volunteering at the TEEG food pantry.

IN THEIR OWN WORDS: "TEEG is a conduit for the faith community that allows different faith-based partners to work together to get resources to where they're needed most."

FUN FACT: Kathy's two sons, Jonathan and Elijah, are avid Red Sox fans - their favorite players are David Ortiz and Mookie Betts.



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Laura Crosetti, *Administrative Strategist*



THANK YOU

Mary R. Fisher Elementary School 2nd Grade Teachers

ABOUT: The Thompson Elementary School is raising social consciousness among local students by engaging them in supporting TEEG's work in the community.

IN THEIR OWN WORDS: "As teachers, seeing children who do not have enough to eat is heartbreaking. Creating the opportunity for children to give to other children helps develop empathy at a very early age while making sure the youth in our community are taken care of."

FUN FACT: The Mary R. Fisher Elementary annual food drive (which will now be biannual) has been held for over fifteen years.



TEEG Programs & Services

Early Childhood & Community Education Programs

- Gambler's Anonymous
- Parent/Child Playgroup
- Parent Support
- Parents Empowered & Anger Aside
- Positive Parenting Program (PPP)
- School Readiness

Youth Service Program

- All Star Adventure Program (A.S.A.P.)
- Back to School
- Campership Program & MARS Scholarships
- Got Drama?
- IAM Adolescent Therapeutic Support Services
- Juvenile Review Board (Referrals)
- Scholarship
- Summer Breakfast & Lunch

Community & Income Qualified Programs

- Case Management & Budgeting
- Client Relief & Private Fund Fuel Assistance
- Clothing Assistance
- Community Garden & Nutrition Education
- Community Outreach
- Diaper Assistance
- Food Systems (Gleaning, Food Rescue, Hub)
- Holiday Giving
- Information and Referral Consultation
- Monthly & Emergent Food Distribution
- Operation Fuel
- Private Fund Energy Assistance
- Salvation Army

Volunteer Services & Giving Back

- Community Service
- Volunteering Opportunities

Senior Services

- Benefits Counseling
- Pomfret Senior Center
- Senior Recreation and Events

THANK YOU WINY Radio

ABOUT: With a shared commitment to community, WINY understands the importance of spreading TEEG's message to northeastern Connecticut.

IN THEIR OWN WORDS: "We appreciate TEEG's empowerment model of service. TEEG meets people where they are, embracing the community - and the community embraces them back."

FUN FACT: Gary and Karen Osbrey bought WINY on their 14th wedding anniversary, allowing them to celebrate their two greatest milestones on the same day!



Filling the TEEG Bucket

While children may sing, "There's a Hole in My Bucket, Dear Liza, Dear Liza," at TEEG we always find ways to plug our bucket when it springs a leak.

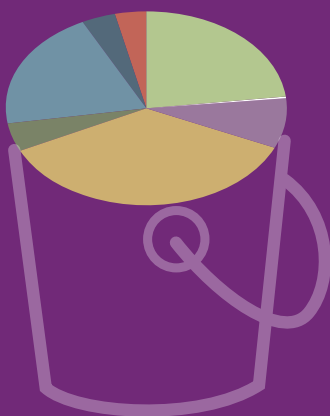
This past year has not only been a challenging one for those we serve, it has brought a fair share of obstacles to TEEG as well. When the state budget provided fewer resources to health and human service agencies, TEEG turned to the generosity of northeast Connecticut. When almost 20% of our fiscal plan was not realized due to cuts at the state level, we activated a bucket brigade to engage local donors – and you answered the call. Local giving increased by more than 16 percent!

This combined with a very frugal approach to agency expenditures enabled TEEG to end the fiscal year with less than a \$10,000 loss despite having \$132,311 in unrealized revenue.

Our ability to fill the buckets of vulnerable residents in the Quiet Corner was only possible because you were there to fill ours!

REVENUE

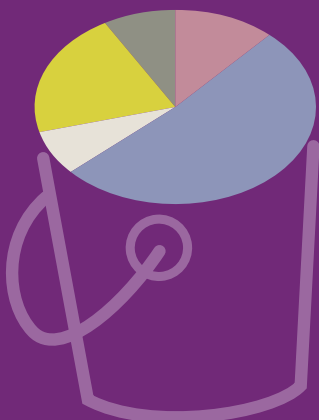
Individuals, Foundations, Schools, Scouts & Service clubs	\$219,987
Faith Based Partners . . .	\$4,350
Business & Fundraising.	\$77,557
Earned Revenue.	\$345,672
Municipal	\$43,548
State	\$191,809
Federal	\$34,895
Client Relief	\$33,860
Total revenue.	\$951,677



EXPENSES

Early Childhood . . .	\$113,662
Youth Services	\$497,024
Community Support & Education	\$72,735
Community Services	\$197,950
Senior Outreach	\$79,885
Total expenses	\$961,256

*Program expenses include salary.



THANK YOU

Allan Walker, Jr.

First Selectman, Woodstock

ABOUT: Allan Walker and the town of Woodstock support the citizens in their community by supporting TEEG.

IN THEIR OWN WORDS: "We have a responsibility to take care of our most vulnerable citizens, but it's important to do that in a sincere and connected way. TEEG staff embody the spirit of a community taking care of its own."

FUN FACT: Allan Walker, Jr. and his family have been living in Woodstock throughout their lifetime - Allan's father was the Headmaster at Woodstock Academy during his high school days!



TEEG Wellspring Funders

We gratefully acknowledge and thank the following foundations for helping to keep our bucket full.

Bishop's Fund for Children	Early Childhood Programs	\$2,000
Northeast Women & Girls Fund Managed by the Community Foundation of Eastern CT	Women's Self Defense Classes	\$7,200
End Hunger	No Child Hungry	\$1,500
Feinstein	Food Security Programs	\$342
GHADA Financial	Education Programs	\$1,000
Glass Foundation	Early Childhood Programs & Juvenile Review Board	\$35,000
Graustein Fund	Early Childhood Programs	\$10,000
Newell & Betty Hale Fund Managed by the Greater Worcester Community Foundation	Community Support	\$2,000
Ossen Foundation	Positive Youth Programming	\$40,000
Putnam Bank Foundation	Financial Education Programs	\$4,000
Wakely Foundation	Client Relief	\$142
Webster Five Foundation	Financial Education Programs	\$2,000
Pomstock Client Fund	Client Relief for emergency family needs	\$3,825
Woodstock Fuel Fund	Fuel Programs	\$11,745



THANK YOU

John Rice

ABOUT: As an outstanding volunteer, John Rice has helped to keep TEEG's bucket full with his commitment, dedication and TIME!

IN THEIR OWN WORDS: "Life is a journey and helping others makes the journey a lot more enjoyable. There is a need in our community and it is well served - efficiently and effectively - by TEEG."

FUN FACT: Besides being married to his best friend for 55 years, John's favorite role in life is being a grandpa.



The TEEG Bucket List

For over 28 years, TEEG has faithfully served northeast Connecticut. We have filled the hearts and lives of those in need while continually working to keep our bucket full. Now, the time has come to think more deeply about sustainable capacity.

- Can the bucket that is TEEG carry enough to meet the long-term needs of our community?
- Is there a way to patch holes when the lack of state funding drains away resources?
- Can we ensure that there will always be someone ready, willing and able to assist in the bucket brigade that connects resources to services?
- How can we drill a well for a sustainable future?

These are the questions the TEEG Board is considering in our renewed strategic plan. With this year's annual report, TEEG is launching a new donor development initiative to begin building an endowment for the future.



THANK YOU

Thompson Public Library

ABOUT: The 'Food for Fines' program at the Library allows patrons to pay library fines with canned goods.

IN THEIR OWN WORDS: "We see TEEG and the Library as vital community supports, two entities that provide a pool of shared resources to those who need them."

FUN FACT: The Thompson Library was built in 1994. It still feels new because the library staff takes care of not only the community, but the building as well.



THANK YOU

Barbara Pickett

ABOUT: As one of the creators of the TEEG organization, a founding member of the TEEG Board who still serves today, Barbara has been providing leadership and guidance to TEEG with a keen understanding of how it's grown to help meet the needs of our community.

IN THEIR OWN WORDS: "Supporting TEEG means helping our own community to get people to a better place. TEEG helps make the community successful by empowering people to grow."

FUN FACT: Barbara's life is children - she has 3 children, 4 grandchildren, and 2 great grandchildren that she adores.



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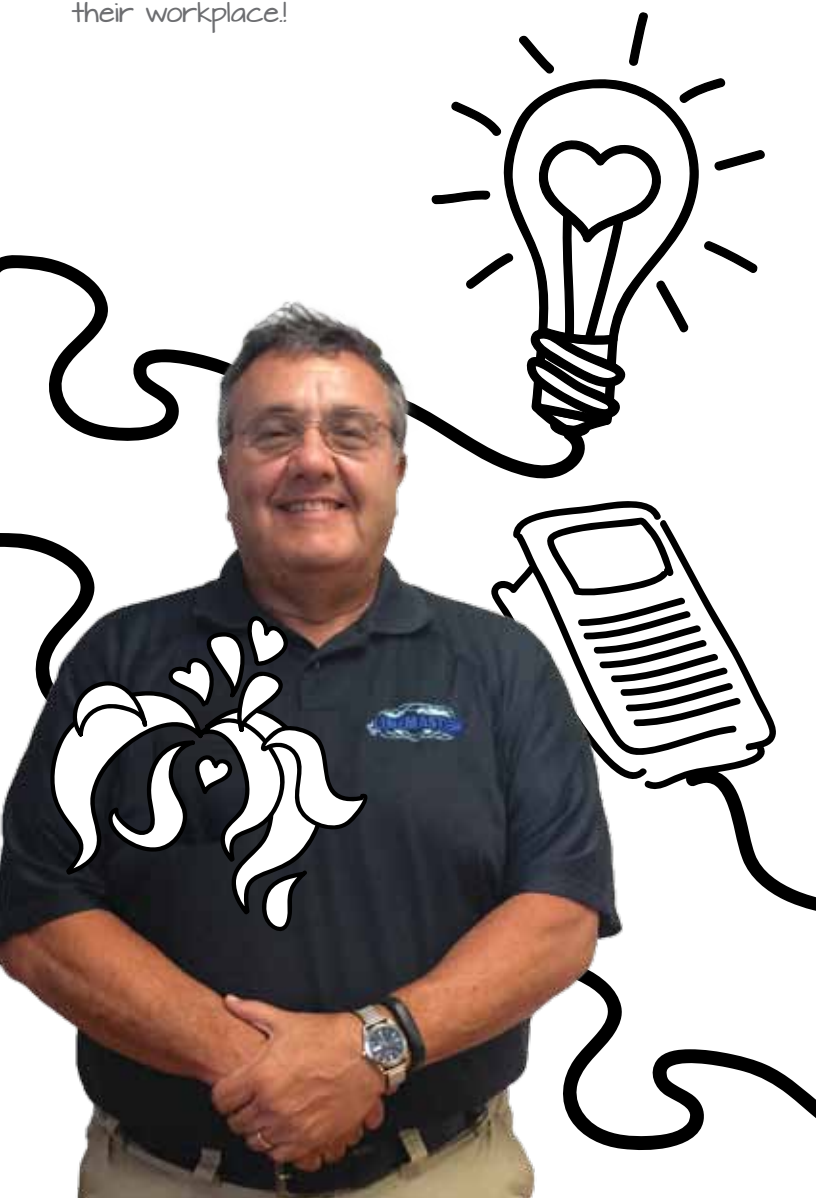
Joe Carlone Sr.

LINEMASTER Switch Corp.

ABOUT: A platinum sponsor of our annual Have a Heart Auction, LINEMASTER helps to fill our buckets in so many ways.

IN THEIR OWN WORDS: "I believe when you're successful in business, you have an obligation to pay it forward. TEEG is an effective vehicle to reach out to provide support when help is needed."

FUN FACT: LINEMASTER Switch Corporation has a corporate resolve to promote wellness initiatives in their workplace!



THANK YOU

Woodstock Middle School Cross Country Team

ABOUT: Every November, student athletes from Woodstock help fill TEEG's bucket by participating in the annual Turkey Trot.

IN THEIR OWN WORDS: "Running the Turkey Trot is a fun event to get involved in and help give back. It also is an opportunity for our next generation to understand the bigger picture by teaching students to be proactive in addressing the needs of our community."

FUN FACT: The WMS cross country team has been the undefeated division champions.



THANK YOU

Ryan & Shelby Colwell

ABOUT: As civic minded young parents, Ryan and Shelby encourage their daughters to support TEEG Holiday Giving. While the girls may be too young to understand the impact of their actions, it is the right time to plant the seeds of the most important lessons in life.

IN THEIR OWN WORDS: "As parents, we want to raise children who help make the world a better place. Having Alexa and Taelyn bring their turkeys and presents to TEEG is not only a way to help our community; it's an opportunity for our children grow into adults that understand the importance of taking care of one another."

FUN FACT: In an effort to focus on family fitness, Alexa and Taelyn enjoy a lot of wagon time while Ryan continues to pursue half marathons and Shelby prepares for her first 5K.



THANK YOU

Thompson Lions

ABOUT: TEEG has been a top priority for the Thompson Lions club for decades. Each year Lions members hold fundraisers specifically to help keep the TEEG bucket full.

IN THEIR OWN WORDS: "TEEG, like the Lions, is local. We both support and are supported by the community."

FUN FACT: The Thompson Lions have been active for over 60 years. Their volunteers all raise funds to benefit local and international initiatives.



THANK YOU

Dennis & Kathy Kelly

Kelly's Tire

ABOUT: From the agency's humble beginnings under the leadership of Sister Suzanne, Kelly's Tire has been helping to keep TEEG on the road since 1988.

IN THEIR OWN WORDS: "We support TEEG because they do business like we do - focusing on the importance of individual relationships, serving people one customer at a time."

FUN FACT: Kelly's Tire opened in 1936 - they're one of only three family businesses still operating in Putnam!



THANK YOU

Maureen Nicholson

First Selectwoman of Pomfret

ABOUT: TEEG has worked in partnership with the Town of Pomfret since 2005.

IN THEIR OWN WORDS: "I support the TEEG/Pomfret partnership because of TEEG's demonstrated ability to facilitate collaboration among diverse groups of people, effectively managing limited resources along the way."

FUN FACT: This year, Maureen has completed her sixth 110 mile road race for the Pan-Mass Challenge, cycling a total of 1,200 miles for cancer research.



THANK YOU

Kristina & Carrina Cook

ABOUT: With the help and encouragement of her mom Kristina, seven-year-old Carrina used her birthday as a food drive event. Instead of presents, guests brought donations for the TEEG food pantry.

IN THEIR OWN WORDS: "I'm glad TEEG is there because I can imagine being hungry, and I would feel good about getting help too."

FUN FACT: Carrina loves to read, and is a great friend to her classmates!



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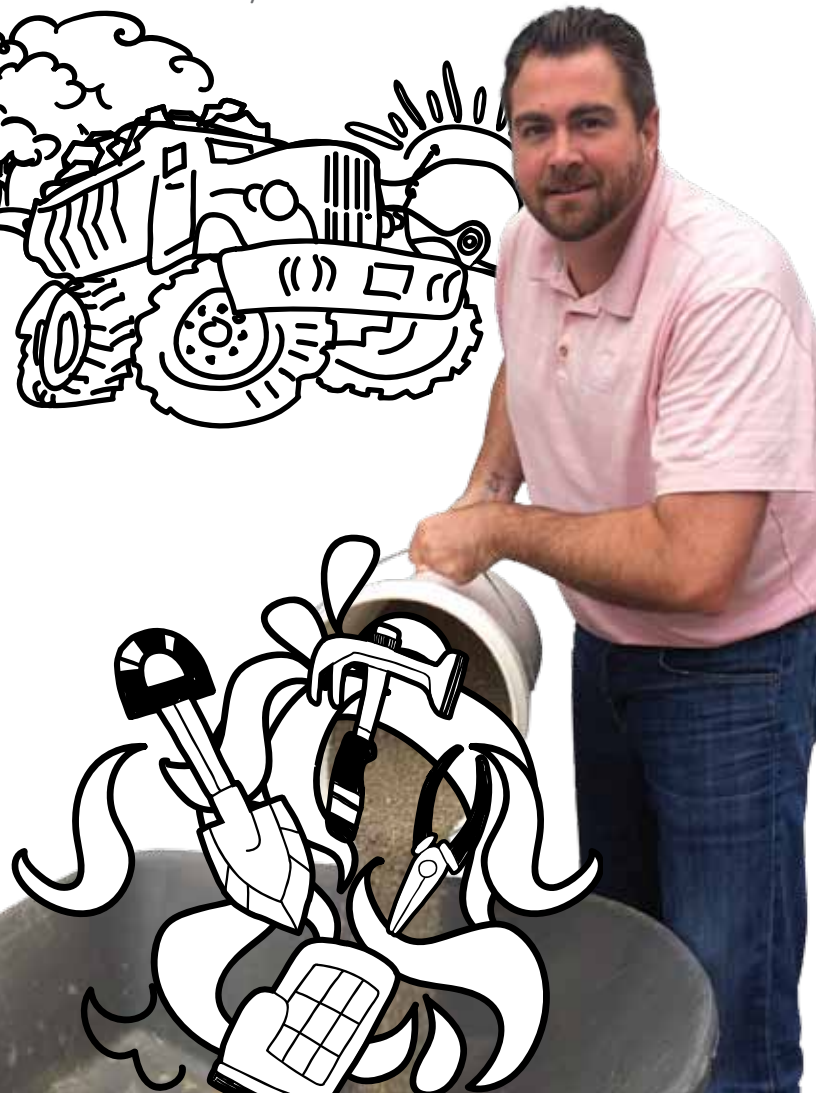
Jeff Rawson

CEO of Rawson Materials

ABOUT: Rawson Materials supported the TEEG building project by embracing the philosophy of 'built by the community, for the community.'

IN THEIR OWN WORDS: "My family supports TEEG because its mission is very much in concert with our own ideals that founded Northeast Opportunities for Wellness (NOW). We believe everyone should have access to quality education, recreation, and nutrition, and we know TEEG helps make this happen."

FUN FACT: Rawson Materials, originally a logging company, hauled a total of 1.2 million tons of material last year.



THANK YOU

Pomfret School Community Service Team

ABOUT: From helping stock the food pantry, to fundraising through game day snack sales, to assembling gleaning groups, Pomfret School supports TEEG by allowing students from near and far to give back to the local community and develop an understanding of social justice to take with them wherever they go.

IN THEIR OWN WORDS: "It's important for students to understand they can make an impact. TEEG lets students realize the need in the community and gives them an avenue to make a difference."

FUN FACT: Pomfret School is working to convert an old school bus into a food truck that will be used to raise funds for TEEG and other community service projects.



Empowering the Future of TEEG

Ongoing contributions to the TEEG annual campaign is vital to our ability to meet the day-to-day needs of our community. And while we are focused on meeting the immediate needs of our community, we also are working on a planned giving strategy to support the establishment of a TEEG endowment.

A pool of dedicated resources will support the sustainability of the TEEG organization and ensure that our bucket will have enough water to quench the thirst of residents in the Quiet Corner for decades to come.

In the spirit of this year's annual report, we would like to leave you with a question...What is on *YOUR* bucket list?

- What kind of legacy do you want to leave?
- Have you supported TEEG's Back to School program?
- Have you put a sparkle in the eye of a child every Christmas by giving to our holiday program?
- Have you supported the food pantry to ensure that your neighbors had enough to eat?

Planned giving and estate planning is the safest way to be assured that what matters to you most will be carried on. For more information about how you can invest in a better future for families in Northeast Connecticut please contact TEEG.

Help us to help others...Please make a contribution to the TEEG community bucket!



THANK YOU

Adam Squires

Unbound Glory Farmstead

ABOUT: When the farm's high quality produce yields a surplus, Unbound Glory shares the bounty with TEEG, which makes the work of growing more than the farm needs worthwhile.

IN THEIR OWN WORDS: "We support TEEG because feeding people is at the heart of family, community, and life."

FUN FACT: Adam says that while growing heirloom varieties is a challenge, maintaining the authentic culinary tradition of diversity is rewarding!



“Fill Your Bucket”

From the CD, #1 Best Kid’s Songs by The Learning Station

Hold the hands of the friends on either side of you,
And don’t let go at all, that’s what we all should do.

It’s only holding hands, but it means so much.
We’re filling buckets, with just a simple touch.

Let’s be bucket fillers, that’s what we all should be.
Our bucket is invisible, it’s really make believe.
But there’s no doubt what a kind act can do.
It makes someone feel good and comes right back to you.

When we’re kind, we fill our bucket.
When we’re nice, we fill yours too.
When we help, we fill our bucket.
When we smile, we fill yours too.

Keep holding hands and sway from side to side.
We feel much better now and we know why.

It’s only holding hands, but it means so much.
We’re filling buckets, with just a simple touch.

When we’re kind, we fill our bucket.
When we’re nice, we fill yours too.
When we help, we fill our bucket.
When we smile, we fill yours too.

Keep holding hands and standing straight and tall,
Bring your arms really high and don’t let go at all.

It’s only holding hands, but it means so much.
We’re filling buckets, with just simple touch.

When we’re kind, we fill our bucket.
When we’re nice, we fill yours too.
When we help, we fill our bucket.
When we smile, we fill yours too.

Keep holding hands and shout “hip hip hooray!”
Let’s celebrate filling our buckets too.

When you wake up tomorrow, to start your day,
Refill your bucket with all you do and say.

When we’re kind, we fill our bucket.
When we’re nice, we fill yours too.
When we help, we fill our bucket.
When we smile, we fill yours too.

THANK YOU

Betti Kuszaj

Executive Director of the Northeast Connecticut Chamber of Commerce (NCCC)

ABOUT: The NCCC is a vital connection between TEEG and the local business community.

IN THEIR OWN WORDS: "As the Executive Director of the Chamber, I have seen how TEEG's connection to the business community has helped grow the agency's capacity to change individual lives in Northeastern Connecticut."

FUN FACT: I love to cook, and my Chicken Piccata is a fan favorite!



THANK YOU

Mike Joyce

Faculty, Tourtellotte Memorial
High School

ABOUT: Tourtellotte teaches students the importance of giving back and creates opportunities to do so in meaningful, practical and authentic ways.

IN THEIR OWN WORDS: "Technology Education has partnered with TEEG on many projects to help students understand the bigger picture. Our raised bed construction project is an example of how we connect student skill-building and labor to manufacture resources that help to grow food in our community."

FUN FACT: Tourtellotte has one of the last remaining active shop programs around.



The TEEG Mission

Empowering individuals to live independently,
Strengthening families to live respectfully,
Engaging the community to work collaboratively,
Connecting resources to promote a better future for all.



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