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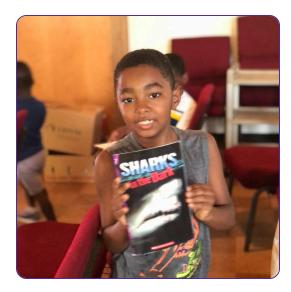
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2024 Mid-Year Report —

Here is an update on what we've been up to at RBI so far this year!

RBI's FREE STORES have an average of 80 shoppers per week. Shoppers can find clothing, household goods, linens and towels, toys, jewelry, personal care items, and more! All freely given!

FOOD4U is our monthly food program in Redford that distributes over 120 bags of groceries and cleaning supplies each month. We also have volunteers who deliver items to people unable to visit our Redford location.

At our COMMUNITY MEALS we serve a hot, healthy breakfast every Saturday morning to over 130 adults and kids. These meals take place when the Brightmoor Free Store is open.

WHY DO WE CALL IT COMMUNITY MEALS? We have become a community at RBI. Some people come by on Saturday mornings to enjoy a cup of coffee and breakfast with their friends. During this time people chat, share resources, and start off their day with us!

As part of the WASH WEDNESDAY LAUNDRY PROGRAM, we spend several hours each month at a local laundromat covering laundry costs.

During the CAR CARE PROGRAM our amazing mechanics assess and

repair vehicles on a weekly basis. We hope to expand this program over the next year.

The RBI FURNITURE PROGRAM has delivered hundreds of pieces of furniture to clients since January. Dressers, beds, tables and chairs, lamps, rugs and more! This continues to be one of our most in-demand programs!

Our PROM DRESS event is always so much fun! Over 50 dresses and matching jewelry were given away to our happy high schoolers over two Saturdays in April.

SUPPORT SERVICES - we have visiting agencies throughout the year at RBI including Wayne Metro Community Action Agency, Lakeshore Legal Aid, Detroit-Wayne Integrated Health Network, Detroit Diaper Bank, Voting Access For AII, and others!

Covenant Community MOBILE DENTAL UNIT came to our Brightmoor location for 6 days of cleanings, x-rays, fillings, and extractions.

WAYNE MOBILE HEALTH UNIT continues to support RBI on the 2nd Saturday of each month by providing blood pressure checks, immunizations and vaccines, questions regarding prescriptions, information on diabetes, mental health, and other related topics.

We have already celebrated so much at RBI this year:

Easter!

Mother's Day!

Father's Day!

Bra Day!

Baby Shower!

PBS & Clifford the Big Red Dog!

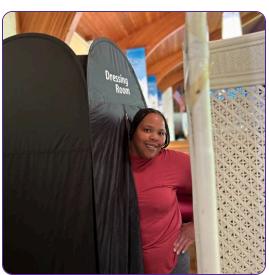
COMING UP: Family Fun Day & Backpack Giveaway!

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