

HOTLINE

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What Matters: Results You can See United Way Campaign

PPPPL, the University, and other employers in the area will join together to help people in the local communities through the United Way of Greater Mercer County's annual fund-raising campaign. This year's theme is "What Matters: Results You Can See." On Wednesday, December 8, PPPL is hosting the annual United Way meeting for employees at 10:30 A.M. in the MBG Auditorium. This meeting will provide information about United Way programs and will feature a presentation by Better Beginnings Daycare Center Executive Director Luz Horta, refreshments, and a tricky-tray raffle (see list of prizes on page 2). The raffle prizes have been donated by the Lab, employees, and local merchants. Everyone who attends the meeting is eligible for prizes. Those who contribute to this year's campaign will be entered in the Grand Prize drawings, which will occur at the PPPL Holiday Party on Thursday, December 23, in the LSB Lobby at noon (see list of Grand Prizes on page 2).

Pledge Cards

Pledge cards have been mailed to staff through the interoffice mail. These forms can be dropped off at the meeting or returned to 2004 PPPL United Way Committee Chairperson Rose Fuchs at MS-38. Pledge cards need to

be turned into Rose by December 22 to be included in the Grand Prize drawings.

Donations may be given as a one-time contribution or through payroll deductions. The University will contribute 15 cents per dollar for all gifts made by payroll deduction. For all other types of donations, the University will contribute 10 cents per dollar.

All donations will be distributed to United Way programs in Mercer County or employees' home communities or to other health and human services agencies that are designated by individual donors. United Way funding is based on three focus areas — promoting health and well-being, responding to crisis, and strengthening individuals and families.

Donors can choose to make general or specific contributions. They can provide contributions that are divided among all United Way-supported programs, among all programs in an area of interest, or among all except for a particular program. With a minimum gift of \$52, they can designate a contribution to a United Way in their home community, to any specific program supported by the United Way or to any charitable health or human care organization with a 5013c tax status that is not supported by the United Way. While the historic focus of United Way is on home communities, it also is possible to direct gifts to agencies that provide health or human care in other countries. (Charities are listed in your pledge card envelope material.) **Please give generously.**

****NEW:** This year the raffle prizes at the December 8 meeting will be drawn through a tricky-tray method. You will be given a ticket upon entering the Auditorium to place into a bag labeled with the prize of your choice. The prizes to select from are listed on page 2. The bags will be on tables at your left as you enter the Auditorium. **

The 2004 PPPL United Way Committee includes John Bennevich, Joanne Bianco, Mary Ann Brown, Sara Flohr, Rosemarie Fuchs, Jim Hirsch, Tom McGeachen, Sue Murphy-LaMarche, Sonya Patterson, Neil Pomphrey, Rod Templon, and Patricia Wieser.

Examples of what your dollars could provide:

- \$1 per week — Twelve days of rehabilitative therapy for a child with developmental disabilities.
- \$5 per week — Five months of dinner meals for a senior citizen.
- \$10 per week — A hot, nutritious meal for 100 homeless, indigent people.
- \$20 per week — 15 days in a shelter with counseling for a battered woman and her children.

United Way Special Edition

A child in need  The family feels bad  Your gift is a seed  To a future grad  UNITED WAY
— John Bennevich

PPPL 2004 United Way Campaign

The One-Day United Way Campaign at PPPL is Wednesday, December 8. Please come to the meeting in the morning and join in the Celebration Party in the afternoon. Thank you!

**10:30 A.M. — MBG Auditorium
United Way Meeting**

**3:30 P.M. — LSB Lobby
United Way Party**

Door Prizes for the United Way Meeting

Contributors listed underneath the prize:

\$15 Gift Certificate

HIGHTSTOWN DINER

Dinner for 2 at Nassau Inn Tap Room

NASSAU INN

One-hour Facial

ARTISTIC DESIGN, PENNINGTON

Man's Haircut

VILLAGE HAIRCUTTERS

Blue Glass Vase with Surprise Inside

MARY ANN BROWN and PPPL

Jazzercise Certificate

MARY JANE BRADY

\$25 Gift Certificate to McCaffrey's

MCCAFFREY'S MARKET

\$25 Gift Certificate to Princeton U-Store

PRINCETON U-STORE

\$30 Gift Certificate

SUNNY GARDEN

Fruit Basket

J. AMBRIOGIA

1/2 Hour Full Body Massage

FULL CIRCLE FAMILY MASSAGE
& HEALING CENTER

Two-pound Cookie Plate

SALSON'S BAKERY

Four Cakes

ALLIANCE FOOD SERVICE

Donated by PPPL:

Special Parking Space for Six Months (6)

\$30 Gift Certificate to Olive Garden

\$30 Gift Certificate to Ruby Tuesday's

\$30 Gift Certificate to Ground Round


\$30 Gift Certificate to Chili's

\$30 Gift Certificate to Macaroni Grill

\$30 Gift Certificate to Best Buy



Grand Prize Drawing



Thursday, December 23
Noon, LSB LOBBY, at the PPPL Holiday Party

Grand Prize: _____

\$200 Gift Certificate to Rats Restaurant, Grounds for Sculpture

Compliments of PPPL

Runner-up Prizes: _____

Gents Pulsar Silver Dial with Two-Tone Bracelet

Compliments of Sherman & Sons Fine Jewelers

\$100 Gift Certificate to Acacia Restaurant

Compliments of PPPL

Gourmet Meal for Two at Your House

Compliments of Ron Goley, PPPL Cafeteria Manager

\$100 Gift Certificate to Tre Piani Restaurant

Compliments of PPPL

Package with Two Tix to Ripley's Believe it or Not! Museum, the Robert J. Novins Planetarium at Ocean County College, Jenkinson's Aquarium in Pt. Pleasant, and NY Cruise on the Zephyr plus a \$25 Certificate for Gas

Compliments of Ripley's, the Novins Planetarium, Jenkinson's Aquarium, The Circle Line, and PPPL (gas).
(Two of these packages will be drawn)

Anyone who contributes to this year's PPPL United Way Campaign will automatically be entered in the Grand Prize Drawing.

When you give  From your heart  You give hope  A new start  UNITED WAY — Sara Flohr