

Goochland Community Action Newsletter



Dolly Parton's Imagination Library Comes to Goochland!

Goochland Social Services and VA Early Learning Partners have partnered to bring Dolly Parton's Imagination Library to Goochland County! Children from 0-5 years old can sign up to receive a book right in their mailbox each month.



To sign up, go to www.imaginationlibrary.com or scan the QR code below. This program is **free** for families!



Did you know?

Goochland Community Action Program directly served **476 residents** last year. This included rent, mortgage, utility, child care, and educational expense assistance.

Want to learn more about our community impact? Visit our website, www.goochlandcap.org to read our full annual impact report.



Board Member Spotlight

Jay Shively has been an integral part of the Goochland community since 2007, when he began his role as Executive Director of the Goochland Family YMCA. In 2011, he and his wife, Mary, chose to make Goochland County their home, raising their two children here.

Jay currently serves as Chief Development Officer at the Henrico Education Foundation, where he supports public schools and advances opportunities for students. His passion for youth and community service has guided him to serve as a Board Member of the Goochland Education Foundation, Goochland Social Services Board, and GCAP.

His extensive involvement in the community has included Rotary Club of Goochland, Rotary District 7600, Goochland Leadership Enterprise, Goochland Sheriff's Department Citizen's Academy, and Leadership Metro Richmond. Reflecting on his work with GCAP, Jay shares, "I am honored to be a part of GCAP where I have a hands-on, direct role in helping the citizens of my community."

Partner Spotlight

Goochland Habitat for Humanity also operates the Basement Boutique. This thrift store sells donated household appliances and furniture at affordable prices. With a variety of items from stoves to tables, the store ensures families have access to the items they need. This year, GCAP awarded grant funding for the store to increase staff and community outreach. We thank the Basement Boutique for its unwavering commitment to supporting families in Goochland!

