



Monthly Newsletter

Dear WCCH Family,

Families go through seasons of experiences that include teachable moments. At Woodburn Christian Children’s Home, these seasons tend to be repetitive from generation to generation. This is especially true lately as our ministry team taught four teenage girls how to drive with the help of our dear friends at *Precision Driving* of Fort Wayne.

After doing hours of training with the girls on the road, Hal and Carol Rogers, Residential Director, wrote, “We have been taking the girls out separately for an hour at a time, totaling three hours per day. Talk about being tired and mentally exhausted. But then we reflected on the lives of these girls and how they may never have learned how to drive unless we taught them at WCCH. They may never have heard a grownup pray as they drive down the highway or in town, even while that grownup was white knuckling the door handle.”

The seasons are repetitive, and the teachable moments are the same: weave God’s love into the ordinary experiences of life. Praying while driving with a teenager who is new to driving is a teachable moment of God’s grace for everyone involved. (Hal and Carol have taught teenagers how to drive for over 25 years at WCCH.)

Adrianna, one of the young drivers wrote, “WCCH has helped me plan my future. I am an 11th grader now and soon I will be a senior. After school, I know I want to do something that helps people, like hospice. I am not sure what yet, but I want to thank WCCH for inspiring me to want to help other people.”

Adrianna wants to help others because that is what she experienced at WCCH. God continues to use our mission to set into motion love that echoes forward.

Thank you for your partnership with our mission. Without your help, we could not help children in need.

In Service to Him, Joe Heins Executive Director

WCCH Benefit Golf Outing

Woodburn Christian Children's Home is supported by voluntary contributions. We receive no federal, state or county support. We are entirely dependent upon private contributors whose strong support enables WCCH to operate on a cash basis. Family participation is on a sliding scale. Over the years, numerous children have been accepted for placement even though their parents had little or no ability to pay. The annual fundraisers are an essential part of maintaining WCCH core values.

Event Sponsors Needed

All funds given as sponsorship are used for the direct care of children. *Impact a child, be a sponsor!*

Sponsorship Opportunities

(Great for churches, businesses, and families)

- Eagle Sponsor: \$1,000
- Birdie Sponsor: \$750
- Food/Beverage: \$400
- Hole Sponsor: \$200



Are you a golfer? The outing is a fun time for people of all ages and skill levels. Join us at Pond-A-River Golf Club, located just around the corner from WCCH on Saturday, May 10, 2025 (Tee Time: 8:30 AM). The cost is \$60. Includes 18 holes with cart, prizes for winning teams, and a steak dinner with the WCCH children.

Please visit wcchonline.org/golf-outing to register as a golfer or sponsor (or call the office at 260-632-5551).

Family Development Workshops

WCCH family development workshops empower families with biblical truths. Benefiting every member of the family, the application-based workshops provide a humorous perspective on today's family.

Topics include communication, conflict management, child development, blended families, effects of social media, mental health, and a variety of other topics. Visit our website for more information.

If you donated in February, your receipt is on the back of this letter. Thank you for your faithful support.



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