

# FamilyWorks

Family Resource Center & Food Bank

E Newsletter

October, 2016

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### Upcoming Programs:

**Pizza & Politics**  
Watch the debate with us!  
October 19 6-7:30 pm in the conference room

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Holiday Gift Program for Families currently participating in FamilyWorks programs

Please register at  
(206) 694-6727

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Family Advocacy, Teen Parent Program, Playgroups and more, see [Website](#)

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**WIC Appointments at FamilyWorks**  
Every Thursday  
Call (206) 694-6728

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**VOLUNTEERING**  
We are always in need of volunteers in the food bank, for food drives, and other events

Check out the [opportunities here on our website!](#)

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There's no debating that this election will be over soon! I am seeking a positive outcome: one that continues to empower all families in the community, one that respects all members of the community and one that sees the best in people.

However this ends up, we (all of us) will embrace the values of equity and respect! Thanks for being part of this supportive

community here at FamilyWorks. Get out and vote!

With gratitude,  
*Jake Weber, Executive Director*

## Join us at the FamilyWorks Supper on November 6!

So many community members and businesses have contributed fabulous auction items for our Supper and Silent Auction event on November 6th at Tom Douglas' Palace Ballroom. Check out a list of [auction donors here!](#) There are [still some tickets left](#) and

you don't want to miss the chance to share a

great Tom Douglas meal, bid on some awesome items and hear from our wonderful participants!



## Want to see the Seahawks beat the Rams?!



We have a [GREAT Raffle](#) for you! For just \$10 a ticket - you get a chance at winning 2 seats, 2 jerseys, 2 knit caps and fifty bucks! Tickets must be purchased from a FamilyWorks representative, cash or check only. Click the link above or call 206-694-6725 for more info.

More info on anything listed:  
(206) 694-6727

[Check out our 2015 Annual Report Here!](#)

EIN: 91-1757277  
See the impact of your support!

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### Connect With Us



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Click [here](#) for the monthly program calendar

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Please help us continue in **Nourishing, Connecting and Empowering** our most vulnerable neighbors.

**Donate Now**

& [click here to find out if your employer will double your donation!](#)

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## [Debates, Victories, and other News](#)

Check out our [FaceBook page](#) sometime and catch up on a lot of action at FamilyWorks, like the community viewing of the [Presidential Debate!](#) That's tonight!

### [A Letter from Greater Good Granola](#)



Greetings Greater Good Granola friends- Happy fall. The ovens are toasty and we're ready for your [orders](#). We are partnered with FamilyWorks to donate all profits towards food safety and family support for at-risk community members. If you haven't ordered in a while, please re-join the GGG community or recommend our products to a friend. We will be baking every other week- so when you place your order, we'll let you know delivery date. Also, we will be launching a few seasonal flavors in the next few months- stay tuned!

As always, thank you for supporting the greater good.  
Love,  
Mandy (Levenberg)

### [Children's Toy Drive for The Holidays!](#)



So many of you made hundreds of children happy last year at holiday time. Amazon packages showed up at FamilyWorks with gifts that would delight! [Read more about the program and our wish list.](#) It's a great way to include your family in giving and sharing at Holiday Time.

You can also pick names of children participating in the FamilyWorks program at the Giving Trees at PNA, University Village and Todo Bien. Thank you!

### [Phinneywood and Hunger Action Month](#)



Thank you to PhinneyWood for [posting this article](#) for us, and thank you to all the people who made donations toward the Greenwood Food Resource Center and helped us MEET OUR MATCH! of \$3,000 (\$6000 total). What a tremendous help. **Did you know that last month we had a RECORD BREAKING number of visits to our food banks of 3629!** That is a 35% increase over last year at this time. We are helping more and more families, especially at Greenwood. Thank you!