

Giving Spree

Guide for Donors 2025





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Welcome to the Adams County Community Foundation Giving Spree!

For 15 years, the Adams County Community Foundation Giving Spree has been Adams County's day of giving: when everyone comes together to learn about local nonprofits and give them a financial boost. In recent years the amazing generosity of Adams Countians has made our Giving Spree one of America's largest per capita giving days!

The Giving Spree makes it easy for you to give to multiple nonprofits with one gift by check, credit card, securities, or even a qualified charitable distribution from your IRA.

You decide how each gift you make will be used by the nonprofits you support with a checkbox on the Donation Form. Check **"today"** and your gift goes directly to the organization for its immediate use. Check **"forever"** and your gift will be added to your favorite nonprofit's endowment, which then provides an annual grant to the nonprofit for years and decades to come.

The Community Foundation operates the Giving Spree as a gift to Adams County: no fees are charged to participating nonprofits and there is no fee taken from donations. And we also provide an **incentive match** to boost donor gifts even further.



Join Us Live!

We're celebrating the Community Foundation's 40th anniversary with our biggest in-person Giving Spree ever!

Meet the participating nonprofits on Thursday, November 6, 2025, from 3:00 p.m.–7:00 p.m. at the Wyndham Gettysburg Hotel, 95 Presidential Circle, Gettysburg, PA 17325. In addition to learning how these organizations make a difference in Adams County, you'll also have the chance to discover hundreds of meaningful volunteer opportunities.

Help Us Bag the Bounty!

"Bag the Bounty" is an annual food drive organized by the United Way of Adams County to help stock local food programs and fight food insecurity. You can help by donating non-perishable food and hygiene items at designated drop-off locations, including the Giving Spree on November 6. The collected food is then distributed to local organizations to support families in need.

Beyond the Day

Want to do more than make a gift on the day of the Giving Spree? You can promise the gift of a lifetime to the nonprofits and charitable funds most important to you with a planned gift to a designated endowment at the Community Foundation.

Two simple ways to do so:

- Include a bequest to the Adams County Community Foundation in your will, naming any of the nonprofits or charitable funds on the Giving Spree Participant List.
- Name the Adams County Community Foundation, or any designated nonprofit endowment at the Community Foundation, as beneficiary of your IRA.

Sample language for a bequest to a designated endowment:

"I give and bequeath to the Adams County Community Foundation, a Pennsylvania not-for-profit corporation, tax ID # 26-1404848, the sum of \$_____ Dollars [or all the rest, residue, and remainder of my estate] to be used for the designated endowment benefitting [name of nonprofit]."

2025 Nonprofit Participants

1 Adams County Community Foundation
www.adamscountycf.org

We are Adams County's endowment builder. Through the Giving Spree, grants, and scholarships, we support neighbors, strengthen nonprofits, and invest in solutions for Adams County.

2 Adams County Scholarship Fund
www.adamscountycf.org/grants-scholarships/scholarships

Your gift gives Adams County's exceptional young people money for college and technical training, helping them afford school and build skills for good jobs.

3 The Fund for Adams County
www.adamscountycf.org/grants-scholarships

Your gift improves lives in Adams County by supporting nonprofits that provide food, housing, mental health services, and urgent needs through the Community Foundation's Grants Program.

4 All Other Community Foundation Funds
www.adamscountycf.org/for-donors/funds-list

Use code #4 to support other Community Foundation Funds. Please include the fund name so we can make sure your gift reaches the right place.

5 4-H Clubs of Adams County
www.extension.psu.edu/programs/4-h/counties/adams

4-H enables children to have fun, meet new people, learn life skills, build self-confidence, learn responsibility, and set and achieve goals!

6 Adams Christian Prison Ministries
www.adamscpm.org

Adams Christian Prison Ministries works with churches in Adams County to provide compassion, hope, and love to those incarcerated.

7 Adams County Arts Council
www.adamsarts.org

The mission of the Adams County Arts Council is to cultivate an arts-rich community. We accomplish our mission by providing arts classes, programs, and events.

8 Adams County Children's Advocacy Center
www.kidsagaincac.org

Adams County Children's Advocacy Center provides hope and healing to child victims of abuse while working to prevent future child abuse in our community.

9 Adams County Christian Academy
www.adamscountychristian.org

A Pre-K-12 private Christian school that teaches students to love, learn and lead in their community and throughout God's Kingdom.

10 Adams County Farmers Market
www.acfarmersmarkets.org

We foster an inclusive, community-driven farmers market, which administers critical food assistance resources for low-income shoppers while strengthening the bond between agriculture and the community.

11 Adams County Fund for the Environment
www.adamscountycf.org/funds/adams-county-fund-for-the-environment

Seeks to make environmental stewardship a shared community value through environmental education, local environmental projects, and programs that educate our community around environmental issues.

12 Adams County Habitat for Humanity
www.habitatforhumanityadamscountypa.org

Our vision is a world where everyone has a decent place to live. In doing so, providing families the opportunity to own their own home.

13 Adams County Head Start
www.achsaccess.org

Provides a "Head Start" to school readiness for eligible preschool children by supporting the educational, health, and social-emotional development of children and empowering families.

14 Adams County Historical Society
www.achs-pa.org

What is a community without its history? The Adams County Historical Society exists to preserve, share, and celebrate the story of this remarkable place.

15 Adams County Library System
www.adamslibrary.org

We connect people to opportunities that enrich their lives through programming, resources, one-on-one assistance, and meeting new people! Your library opens gateways for exploration.

16 Adams County Literacy Council
<https://www.iu12.org/programs-services/adult-education-programs/aclc>

By offering free adult basic education and ESL instruction, ACLC helps learners grow through education, empower change, and achieve success through employment.

17 Adams County Office for Aging
www.acofa.org

There's no place like home! ACOFA coordinates a range of services to help adults age 60+ live safely at home for as long as possible.

18 Adams County SPCA
www.adamscountyspca.org

We are dedicated to helping pets and people and saving animals' lives in the community.

See you on Thursday, November 6!

19 Adams County Trout Unlimited
www.adamscountytu.org

ACTU, guided by three tenets of Fishing, Conservation, and Community, is committed to developing conservation-minded youth and bettering the recreational opportunities available throughout Adams County.

20 Adams Regional EMS
www.arems.net

Provides the highest level of patient care to residents and visitors to Adams County with well-maintained vehicles and equipment.

21 Adams Rescue Mission
www.adamsrescuemission.org

Exists to proclaim the passion of Jesus toward the hungry, homeless, and addicted; to accelerate recovery and restoration to the least, last, lonely, and lost.

22 Alpha Fire Company #1
www.alpha20fire.org

Alpha is an all-volunteer fire company that provides emergency services to the citizens of Littlestown and its surrounding communities.

23 Apple Core Band
<https://www.applecoreband.org/>

Through our concerts, we annually provide live music to over 5,000 Adams County residents, including those in nursing homes and veteran groups.

24 Bermudian Springs Eagles Fund
www.bermudian.org

The Eagles Fund works to enhance and strengthen opportunities and experiences for Bermudian Springs School District by fostering a foundation for lifelong success and collective growth.

25 Biglerville Hose and Truck Co. #1
www.biglervillefd.com

Biglerville Hose and Truck Company #1 is a group of volunteers working to preserve life and safety in a fire, vehicle accident, or any emergency.

26 Buchanan Valley Volunteer Fire Department
www.buchananvalleyfd.org

BVFD provides top-notch emergency services to Adams County with an all-volunteer group of responders. Our current major building addition will help provide better service.

27 Camp Nawakwa
www.lutherancamping.org

Camp Nawakwa offers summer youth/family camps and retreats encouraging faith formation, hosts Adams County school outdoor education programs, and addresses food insecurity.

28 Canner Education Foundation
www.cannerfunds.com

Enhances the quality of the educational experience provided to students of Upper Adams School District in ways not covered by the district's budget.

29 Children's Aid Society
www.cassd.org

The Nicarry Center in New Oxford provides care to children and their families through Child-Centered Therapy, Family Advocacy, God's Closet, and Community Care.

30 Collaborating for Youth
www.cfygettysburg.com

Collaborating for Youth is Adams County's community-based, data-driven coalition that works to support positive youth development and substance-free positive futures.

31 Community Media of South Central PA
www.communitymedia.net

Dedicated to informing people about the news, events, and activities happening in and around our community and highlighting the people that make our community great!

32 Delone Catholic High School
www.delonecatholic.org

Educates students within the teachings of the Roman Catholic Church. Inspires students to encounter Jesus Christ personally and to "Be Doers of the World."

33 Dolly Parton's Imagination Library Fund — Adams County
<https://imaginationlibrary.com/usa/>

Your gift supports a book gifting program that mails free, high-quality books to children from birth to age five, no matter their family's income.

34 Dwight D. Eisenhower Society
www.dwightdeisenhowersociety.org

The Eisenhower Society is dedicated to promoting the memory and legacy of leadership of Dwight D. Eisenhower through educational programs, scholarships, grants, and special events.

35 East Berlin Area Community Center
www.ebacc.org

EBACC offers activities, programs, volunteer opportunities, fitness center and services in a safe, inclusive environment. Our four guiding stars are people, education, community and sustainability.

36 East Berlin Community Singers
www.eastberlincommunitysingers.squarespace.com

We are organized to sing for the enjoyment of our members, for all who are listening, and to educate our audiences through varied musical selections.

37 Evergreen Cemetery Gatehouse Preservation Fund
www.evergreencemetery.org

The Evergreen Cemetery Gatehouse Preservation Fund helps to preserve the historic structure for educating current and future generations about the cemetery's rich history.

38 Fairfield Alumni Scholarship Fund
www.fairfieldpaschools.org

Supports scholarship awards to Fairfield High School seniors moving on to college and trade schools.

39 Find Toby in PA
www.findtobyinpa.org

Find Toby in PA's mission is reuniting lost pets with their families through volunteer efforts, social media outreach, and networking with shelters, rescues, and communities.

40 Forever Love Rescue
www.foreverloverescue.com

Working collectively to create a better life for cats in our communities through our adoption program and homeless cat spay/neuter services and rescue food pantry.

41 Gettysburg Area Dollars for Scholars
www.gettysburg.dollarsforscholars.org

The mission of Gettysburg Area Dollars for Scholars is to engage students in pursuit of post-secondary education by awarding scholarships and providing academic support.

42 Gettysburg Area Recreation Authority (GARA)
www.gara-recpark.info

The Gettysburg Rec Park has been the source of outdoor recreation, family gatherings, and community events and entertainment in Gettysburg for over 80 years.

43 Gettysburg Brass Band Festival
www.gettysburgbrassbandfestival.com

To introduce brass music to Adams County, to encourage musicians of all ages to land in a safe place after their music education is complete.

44 Gettysburg C.A.R.E.S.
<http://gettysburgcares.com/>

Gettysburg C.A.R.E.S., a local shelter and resource center providing shelter for people during the cold weather months, works in partnership with local churches and over 300 volunteers.

45 Gettysburg Chamber Orchestra
www.thegco.org

Adams County's only fully professional orchestra. We perform multiple concerts a year to enrich our community's cultural and artistic scene. All concerts are free!

46 Gettysburg Children's Choir
www.gettysburgcc.org

The Gettysburg Children's Choir provides access to a choral program of the highest quality for young people in grades three through 12 from all backgrounds.

47 Gettysburg Choral Society
www.gettysburgchoralsociety.org

The Gettysburg Choral Society, Inc. is composed of auditioned singers who utilize their talents to pursue excellence in choral music performance.

48 Gettysburg Civic Chorus
<https://www.gettysburgcivicchorus.com/>

The Gettysburg Civic Chorus, a diverse, non-auditioned yet highly acclaimed group of singers serves the people of Adams County through their bi-annual choral concerts.

49 Gettysburg Community Soup Kitchen
<https://www.gettysburgsoupkitchen.org/>

We happily offer a midday meal from 11:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m., Monday through Saturday, at no cost to those in need in the Gettysburg community.

50 Gettysburg Community Theatre
www.gettysburgcommunitytheatre.org

About to enter its 18th season, Gettysburg Community Theatre nurtures creativity and inclusivity year-round through performance, educational, and volunteer opportunities for all ages and abilities.

51 Gettysburg Film Commission
www.gettysburgfilmcommission.org

We attract film productions by showcasing local talent, services, and location — boosting the economy and spotlighting our community. Your support keeps the cameras rolling locally!

52 Gettysburg Garden Club
www.gettysburggardenclub.org

We bring beauty to downtown Gettysburg by providing beautiful flowers for Lincoln Square, hanging baskets, and street planters. Inspiring admiration and giving pleasure to many.

53 Gettysburg Green Gathering
www.gettysburggreengathering.com

The Gettysburg Green Gathering educates, inspires, and fosters environmental stewardship in the daily lives of citizens and businesses throughout Adams County, PA.

54 Gettysburg Hospital Foundation
www.wellspan.org/gettysburggiving

Your gift supports neighbors with their health and wellness needs by relieving financial pressures that affect an individual's treatment or health outcomes.

55 Gettysburg Nature Alliance
www.gettysburgnature.org

The Gettysburg Nature Alliance preserves and promotes Gettysburg's natural and historic legacy through education, conservation, community events, and stewardship of land beyond the battlefield.

56 Gettysburg Pride
www.gettysburgpride.org

Gettysburg Pride, Inc. fosters diversity, equality, and inclusion by organizing community events, with advocacy and educational opportunities for all.

57 Gettysburg YMCA
www.hanoverymca.org

The Y strengthens community through youth development, healthy living, and social responsibility. Your gift redevelops beloved childcare and youth spaces for Gettysburg's children and families.

58 H.A.R.T. Center (Hanover Adams Rehabilitation & Training)

www.hartcenterpa.org

A vocational rehabilitation facility providing training experiences for adults with disabilities. We serve individuals diagnosed with developmental disabilities, chronic mental illness or physical challenges.

59 Healthy Adams Bicycle Pedestrian, Inc. (HABPI)

www.habpi.com

HABPI is a group of volunteers working to develop a network of safe and accessible paths for walking and bicycling.

60 Healthy Adams County

www.healthyadamscounty.org

Healthy Adams County strives to increase the quality of life for residents by assessment and promotion of efforts that support physical, mental, and social well-being.

61 Healthy Eastern Adams Rails & Trails

www.heartadamspa.com

HEART is assisting in bringing a vibrant passive park system to eastern Adams County — uniting communities to promote health, adventure, learning, and nature conservation.

62 Historic Gettysburg Adams County (HGAC)

www.hgaconline.org

HGAC spearheads and coordinates preservation, restoration, and interpretation of Adams County architectural, cultural and historical resources — barn preservation; speakers, tours, and Investing in Youth.

63 Hoffman Homes

www.hoffmanhomes1910.org

Hoffman Homes transforms young lives through compassionate residential treatment, providing therapeutic care and hope for youth and young adults healing from trauma.

64 Holiday Family Outreach

<https://achfo.org/>

Our volunteers make the holidays brighter for low-income families, people with disabilities, and the elderly in Adams County by distributing toys and food certificates.

65 Interfaith Center for Peace & Justice

<http://icpj-gettysburg.org/>

ICPJ seeks to promote respectful dialogue on equity, multiculturalism, and environmental sustainability by hosting events and encouraging individuals to work together to enrich our community.

66 John's Meals (Upper Adams Christians Together)

www.facebook.com/JohnsMeals

Providing nutritious weekend meals for hungry children in the Upper Adams School District so they can return to the classroom ready to learn.

67 Land Conservancy of Adams County

www.preserveadams.org

The Land Conservancy of Adams County is a member-supported nonprofit land trust with the mission of preserving the rural lands and character of Adams County.

68 Lincoln Cemetery Project Association

www.lincolncemeterygettysburg.org

LCPA works to improve, rejuvenate, and memorialize the burial grounds/cemetery of Black American war veterans and citizens interred at Lincoln Cemetery, Gettysburg.

69 Lincoln Fellowship of Pennsylvania

<https://lincolnfellowship.wildapricot.org/>

We sponsor the Dedication Day ceremony, commemorating Lincoln's Gettysburg Address, and One Hundred Nights of Taps. We maintain Lincoln's statue on the square, and more.

70 Little Longears Mini Donkey Rescue

www.littlelongears.org

Little Longears Miniature Donkey Rescue in New Oxford is dedicated to the rescue, rehabilitation, and safe sanctuary of abused, neglected, or otherwise unwanted donkeys.

71 Littlestown Area Historical Society

www.littlestownhistory.com

We hope to provide a permanent place where research can be conducted, artifacts can be preserved and viewed, and educational programs can be presented.

72 The Fund for Littlestown

www.adamscountycf.org/funds/the-fund-for-littlestown

The Fund supports unmet community needs that benefit the people of Littlestown with grants that support things like food, housing, senior services and youth.

73 Littlestown Thunderbolt Foundation

<https://www.adamscountycf.org/grants-scholarships/the-fund-for-littlestown/>

To empower students and educators in Littlestown Area School District by providing access to quality educational resources, tools, and opportunities that support learning and development.

74 Lomas Center Museum

www.lomascenter.org

We work to increase public understanding and appreciation of American military history, providing a forum for the study of military history and armed conflict.

75 Main Street Gettysburg

www.mainstreetgettysburg.org

Main Street Gettysburg champions economic development and sustainability in Historic Gettysburg through strategic planning, business programs, preservation initiatives, public projects, and volunteer service.

76 Manos Unidas Hispanic American Center

www.manosadams.com

Manos Unidas promotes the integration of the growing diverse community in Adams County through programs, events, and services that facilitate multicultural understanding and appreciation.

77 **Mediation Services of Adams County**
www.mediateadams.org

Offers conflict resolution services and promotes peace through transformative mediation and education, fostering understanding and resolving disputes while empowering people to make their own decisions.

78 **Mental Health Services Fund**
www.adamscountycf.org

Supports nonprofits and programs that enhance and expand professional mental health services in Adams County.

79 **Mission of Mercy**
www.amissionofmercy.org/maryland-pennsylvania

Mission of Mercy provides free healthcare, dental care, prescription medications, lab work, and X-rays to the uninsured and underinsured via mobile clinics utilizing volunteer healthcare professionals.

80 **Music, Gettysburg!**
www.musicgettysburg.org

Each year Music, Gettysburg! presents about 20 excellent musical performances in a wide variety of styles, free of charge, to audiences in south central Pennsylvania.

81 **National Riding Stables Horse Rescue**
www.nationalridingstables.org

NRSHR saves distressed horses from abuse, neglect, and slaughter. Since our incorporation in 2018, we have rescued and provided permanent retirement homes for 44 horses.

82 **Neighborhood Emergency Aid Response**
Email: nearamblebrook@gmail.com

NEAR, a Pennsylvania EMS-certified QRS (Quick Response Service) Organization, provides emergency medical services to 911 callers in Amblebrook while awaiting the ambulance crew to arrive.

83 **New Hope Ministries**
www.nhm-pa.org

New Hope Ministries offers crisis assistance through food pantries, housing aid, and transportation, along with job training and workforce development opportunities for a stable life.

84 **Oakside Community Park Fund**
www.oaksidecommunitypark.com

Our beautiful 92 acres provide sports fields for all ages, playgrounds, picnic areas, catch and release fishing pond, double dog park, and walking trails.

85 **Optimist Club of Gettysburg**
www.gettysburgoptimist.com

The Optimist Club holds fundraisers to benefit Adams County youth such as Reading is Fundamental, Youth Basketball, Little League, Special Olympics and much more.

86 **Project Gettysburg–Leon (PGL)**
www.gettysburg-leon.org

A sister city partnership between Leon, Nicaragua and Gettysburg that empowers people and communities to advance substantial development through capacity building, education, and exchange programs.

87 **Roots for Boots**
www.rootsforboots.com

Roots for Boots is 100% volunteer and aims to meet the needs and challenges of local servicemen and women. Your way of serving your country!

88 **Ruth's Harvest—Gettysburg**
www.ruthsharvestgettysburg.org

Ruth's Harvest Gettysburg provides healthy meals and snacks to food-insecure children in the Gettysburg Area School District each weekend during the school year.

89 **Ruth's Harvest Littlestown**
www.FaceBook.com/RuthsHarvestLittlestown

A free program providing weekend meals and snacks for children in the Littlestown Area School District, as well as gently used clothing items and new socks and undergarments

90 **Safe Home Adams County—YWCA Hanover**
www.ywcahanover.org

Safe Home offers free, confidential, trauma-informed services to individuals and families experiencing domestic violence or human trafficking in Adams County.

91 **Salvation Army—Gettysburg Unit**
www.salvationarmyusa.org

The Salvation Army meets human needs through emergency assistance, shelter, food, and programs that combat poverty, support families, and offer hope without discrimination.

92 **SCCAP (South Central Community Action Programs)**
www.sccap.org

Helping local families improve their lives through case management and programs like WIC, Circles, childcare assistance, housing, weatherization, fresh produce, food, and community initiatives.

93 **Seminary Ridge Historic Preservation Foundation**
www.seminaryridgemuseum.org

Seminary Ridge Historic Preservation Foundation preserves built witnesses to history on Seminary Ridge, where visitors discover the legacies and lessons of the Civil War era.

94 **Servants, Inc.**
www.servants.org

Servants provides free home repairs and modifications for older adults and people with disabilities, helping them live safely and with dignity in their own homes.

95 **Shining Stars Therapeutic Riding Program**
www.shiningstarsTR.org

We partner with horses to provide programs that improve the physical, cognitive, emotional, and social areas in the lives of the individuals we serve.

96 Special Olympics Team Adams
<https://specialolympicspa.org/>

Special Olympics provides a year-round sports training program for people with intellectual disabilities, giving them opportunities to develop physical fitness, demonstrate courage, and experience joy.

97 St. Francis Xavier Catholic School
www.sfxcs-pa.org

St. Francis Xavier Catholic School enriches the lives of children through education while empowering them to be distinctive, faith-filled, and inspiring members of our community.

**98 St. James Lutheran Church
Early Learning Center**
www.stjamesgettysburg.org

Affordable quality childcare, for children ages six weeks through school-age, meeting PA Early Learning Standards, providing Christian values and beliefs in a loving environment.

99 Strawberry Hill Foundation
www.strawberryhill.org

Strawberry Hill continues to build nature stewardship by providing Adams County with hands-on, place-based environmental education experiences that create emotional connections to our natural world.

100 Tech and Career Education Fund
www.adamscountycf.org

This fund trains Adams County's future workforce by supporting schools, apprenticeships, and certificate programs that prepare people for skilled trades and technology careers.

101 Tender Care Pregnancy Centers
www.tendercare.org

Tender Care Pregnancy Centers help women and their families embrace the journey of pregnancy and parenthood through pregnancy testing, ultrasounds, parenting classes, and material assistance.

102 Thaddeus Stevens Society
www.thaddeusstevenssociety.com

The Society operates The Thaddeus Stevens Museum in Gettysburg devoted to telling the story of Stevens, one of the most important statesmen in American history.

103 The Arc of York & Adams Counties
www.thearcyorkadams.org

We provide advocacy, personalized home and community involvement, recreational programs, and vocational services for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities and their families.

104 Totem Pole Playhouse
www.totempoleplayhouse.org

We bring world-class productions to Central PA and free arts to Adams County schools — fuel the magic, spark imaginations, and keep live theatre alive for everyone!

105 United Way of Adams County
www.uwadams.org

We connect organizations with volunteers and resources while focusing on solving issues surrounding food insecurity, poverty, and early childhood education.

106 Upper Adams Food Pantry
www.uagmc.com

Upper Adams Food Pantry serves families in the Upper Adams School District three times a month with meals, food, and clothing. We are all volunteers.

107 Vida Charter School
www.vidacs.org

Vida Charter School is a public school located in Gettysburg, serving students in grades K–6 with a rigorous dual language English/Spanish instructional model.

**108 Visiting Nurse Association of Hanover
& Spring Grove**
www.vnahanover.org

We provide compassionate home health and hospice care that supports patients and families — delivering comfort, dignity, and healing during life's challenging moments, right in their homes.

109 Waldo's & Company
www.waldosandco.com

Part art collective, part coffee bar, Waldo's empowers local artists through low-cost access to equipment and provides a safe space where community and creativity grow.

110 Watershed Alliance of Adams County
www.adamswatersheds.org

The Watershed Alliance enhances and protects our water resources through education, tree planting, stream monitoring, and promoting wise storm water management and land use practices.

111 World War II American Experience
www.visitww2.com

Using our local history, we educate about the sacrifices, preserve the stories, and honor the united effort of Americans to win WWII and preserve freedom.

112 Giving Spree Incentive Match
www.ACCFGivingSpree.org

The Incentive Match helps all nonprofits by stretching their total gifts raised during the Giving Spree. Including a gift to the "Incentive Match" helps everyone!

**Volunteer Opportunities Abound
in Adams County!**

Visit <https://www.uwadams.org/volunteer-booklet/> to support these and other community nonprofits!

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How To Participate



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Drop it off

Bring your completed Donation Form and gift to the Community Foundation between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. anytime between now and November 6.



Mail it in

Complete the Donation Form and mail it with your gift to:
Adams County Community Foundation
25 South 4th St.
Gettysburg, PA 17325
Please mail your donation early to ensure we have your gift in time for Giving Spree on November 6.



Give online

Review the Participant List, then visit ACCFGivingSpree.org on November 6 any time between 12:01 a.m. and 12:00 midnight to complete your donation online. It's quick, convenient and secure.



Choose how your gift will be used:



Check **Today** and 100% of your gift goes directly to the nonprofit for its immediate use.



Check **Forever** and 100% of your one-time gift will be added to the nonprofit's endowment at the Adams County Community Foundation, which then provides an annual grant to the nonprofit for years and decades to come.

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- 63 Hoffman Homes
- 64 Holiday Family Outreach
- 65 Interfaith Center for Peace and Justice (ICPJ)
- 66 John's Meals (Upper Adams Christians Together)
- 67 Land Conservancy of Adams County
- 68 Lincoln Cemetery Project Association
- 69 Lincoln Fellowship of Pennsylvania
- 70 Little Longears Miniature Donkey Rescue
- 71 Littlestown Area Historical Society
- 72 The Fund for Littlestown
- 73 Littlestown Thunderbolt Foundation
- 74 Lomas Center Museum
- 75 Main Street Gettysburg
- 76 Manos Unidas Hispanic American Center
- 77 Mediation Services of Adams County
- 78 Mental Health Services Fund
- 79 Mission of Mercy
- 80 Music, Gettysburg!
- 81 National Riding Stables Horse Rescue
- 82 Neighborhood Emergency Aid Response, Inc (NEAR)
- 83 New Hope Ministries
- 84 Oaks Community Park Fund
- 85 Optimist Club of Gettysburg
- 86 Project Gettysburg—Leon (PGL)
- 87 Roots for Boots
- 88 Ruth's Harvest—Gettysburg
- 89 Ruth's Harvest—Littlestown
- 90 Safe Home Adams County—YWCA Hanover
- 91 Salvation Army Gettysburg Service Center
- 92 SCCAP (South Central Community Action Programs)
- 93 Seminary Ridge Historic Preservation Foundation
- 94 Servants, Inc.
- 95 Shining Stars Therapeutic Riding Ministries
- 96 Special Olympics PA Team Adams
- 97 St. Francis Xavier Catholic School
- 98 St. James Lutheran Church Early Learning Center
- 99 Strawberry Hill Foundation
- 100 Tech & Career Education Fund
- 101 Tender Care Pregnancy Centers
- 102 Thaddeus Stevens Society
- 103 The Arc of York & Adams Counties
- 104 Totem Pole Playhouse
- 105 United Way of Adams County
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Frequently Asked Questions



When is the Giving Spree?

The Giving Spree is **Thursday, November 6, 2025**.



Where is the Giving Spree?

The Giving Spree will be LIVE at the Wyndham Gettysburg, 95 Presidential Circle, Gettysburg, PA 17325 between 3:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. You can also participate by mail or online.

Can't join us live? Tune into Community Media online or Comcast Channel 12. See www.communitymedia.net/coverage for details.



Where can I drop off my Giving Spree gift?

Bring your completed Donation Form and gift to the Adams County Community Foundation, 25 South 4th Street, Gettysburg, PA 17325 between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. anytime between now and November 6.



What is the difference between a today gift and a forever gift?

On the Donation Form, you'll see that for each nonprofit you choose to make a gift to, you can check either the **Today** box or the **Forever** box. If you check **Today**, your gift will go to the nonprofit right away, to help with immediate needs. If you check **Forever**, your one-time gift will be added to a permanent endowment fund held at the Community Foundation. Each year a grant will be made from that fund to the nonprofit, sustaining it for years and decades to come.



Can I give to a Community Foundation fund not listed here?

Yes! To make a gift to any Adams County Community Foundation fund, use code "04" and fill in the name of the fund on your donation form. You can see a complete list of Community Foundation funds at AdamsCountyCF.org, under "For Donors."



What can I give?

You can give by check, credit card or other popular options:

- a qualified charitable distribution from your IRA
- a gift of stock
- a grant recommendation from your donor-advised fund at the Community Foundation or another institution

See ACCFGivingSpree.org for step-by-step instructions on these types of gifts.



Is there a gift deadline?

Yes! To qualify for the incentive match, gifts must be received by **November 6, 2025**.

Gifts received **after November 11** will be treated as "forever" gifts and added to the endowment of the nonprofit you selected.



Are donations tax deductible?

Yes, donations are tax deductible as allowed by law. The charitable status of each nonprofit has been verified by the Adams County Community Foundation. The Community Foundation will send you an acknowledgement before December 15, which will serve as your tax receipt, for the total amount of your gift. The Community Foundation will send your gift to the nonprofit(s) you selected, which may send you an informal thank-you.



What is the **Incentive Match** and can I donate to it?

The Incentive Match helps all participating nonprofits. At the close of the Giving Spree, the Incentive Match is distributed to the participating nonprofits in proportion to the amount they raised during the Giving Spree. You can donate to it by including a gift to the "Incentive Match" (#112 on the list) on the Donation Form.



Need more information?

Call us at 717-337-0060 or visit ACCFGivingSpree.org for a copy of our Donor Guide with details on the participating nonprofits.



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