



SPECIAL DELIVERY

THE MEALS ON WHEELS DELAWARE NEWSLETTER - MARCH 2022



Thank You DuPont for Caring for Delaware's Seniors

We are grateful to DuPont for their continued leadership in Delaware in caring for those who are homebound. Our collaboration with DuPont, through a generous grant in 2021, allowed us to further our mission, which ensures seniors in our State receive a hot meal delivered to them Monday through Friday. The grant allowed us to support the Newark Senior Center in New Castle County where the grant funded over 7,000 meals!

Additionally, City Fare Meals On Wheels program needed a replacement delivery vehicle for bulk meals to be delivered to satellite pick up locations, which minimizes driving time for volunteers. Another portion of this grant helped City Fare with the purchase of a large capacity van, which replaced an out-of-date vehicle.

In Kent County, Modern Maturity Center needed assistance with kitchen wares to prepare and serve meals as the number of meals increased, and to help with the staging of the meals for volunteer pick up. This agency typically has about 50 routes that are covered with dedicated volunteers.

We want to also congratulate CHEER from Sussex County on the opening of their custom-built kitchen facility in June 2021. We were excited that DuPont's funding allowed for continued enhancements to the

facility to improve the ease of loading and unloading of bulk food supplies from a variety of delivery trucks, while ensuring the kitchen remained isolated from the delivery area.

DuPont recognizes that volunteers are the lifeline of Meals On Wheels and that changing work practices has placed a strain on volunteers who continue to deliver. Part of this grant has funded a pilot campaign to recruit new volunteers and assess engagement opportunities. We are in the initial stages of roll-out but intend to use the materials to spread the news on volunteering.

"As a purpose-driven company, DuPont is committed to making a meaningful difference in people's lives – with funding, employee volunteers and more," says Patrick McCrummen, DuPont's Global Community Impact Leader. "We're thrilled to continue partnering with Meals on Wheels to provide people in our community with the basics to thrive. Only through collaboration will we be able to meet critical community needs."

Working together Meals on Wheels Delaware and DuPont strive to end senior hunger.



MEALS ON WHEELS DELAWARE

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Results for DoMore24

Meals On Wheels Delaware was able to raise **\$1,946** over the course of 24 hours on March 3-4. We thank all the donors who make it possible for us to fund meal delivery programs for seniors throughout Delaware. We would also like to thank **Spur Impact** and **United Way of Delaware** for this great day of fundraising.



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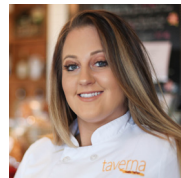
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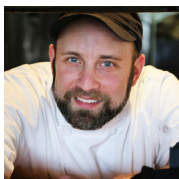
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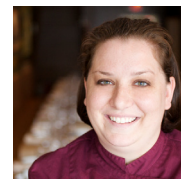
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Together we can end senior hunger.