## HOPE Center of Edmond | Serving Edmond Since 1984 | February 2024 Newsletter















**CELEBRATING COMMUNITY** 



## **UCO NAACP** and **UCO BSA**

Members of University of Central Oklahoma's National Association for the Advancement of Colored People and Black Student Association volunteered in our warehouse as part of UCO's NAACP Week recognizing Black History Month this February.

We're honored to have served with these groups in celebration of 115 years of the NAACP!

Group Leader: Makia Sullivan





Video: <u>UCentral Media</u>



# **UCO NPHC**

Members of UCO's National Pan-Hellenic Chapters were a big help in our warehouse sorting donations, stocking our clothing room, and loading our vans.

Group Leader: Marchel Mims













Photos: **UCO NPHC** 

# **VOLUNTEERS ARE the LIGHT of OUR COMMUNITY**



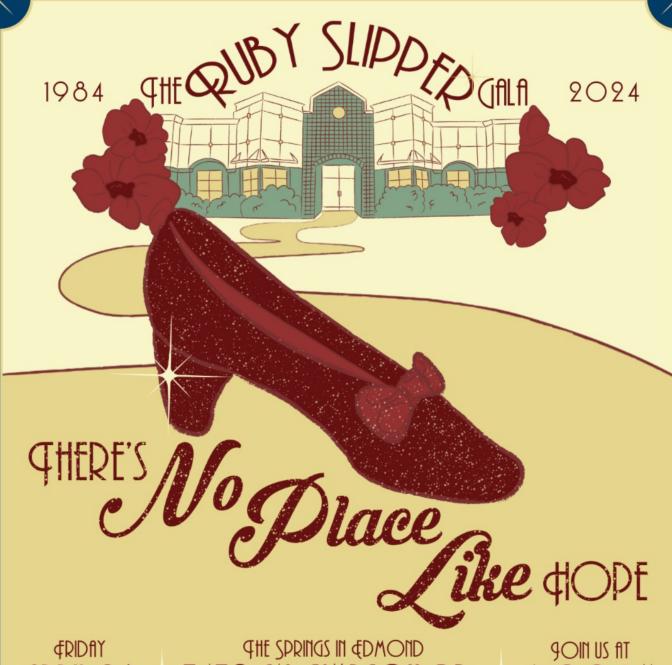
OCCC Nursing
Group Leader: Brooklyn Venegas



Homeschool Co-Op Elevate
Group Leader: Jackie Sofio

# 40 YEARS of SERVICE

The Ruby Slipper Gala: There's No Place Like HOPE



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HOPE Center will celebrate its 40th anniversary with The Ruby Slipper Gala: There's No Place Like HOPE!

The event will raise funds and awareness of HOPE Center, its mission, and our purpose.

Plan to join us on April 26, 2024 at <u>The Springs in Edmond</u> for an evening of delicious food, fun, and fabulous silent and live auctions, beginning at 6:00 PM.

### LEARN MORE AND REGISTER FOR THE GALA

## BEST of the 405



We want to extend a special thank you to all who voted our resale shop <a href="HOPEfully Yours">HOPEfully Yours</a> your favorite thrift store in <a href="405 Magazine">405 Magazine</a>'s Best of the 405!

Winners will be announced this May by 405 Magazine. We appreciate your nomination and can't wait to see the results!

Good people doing good things.

—Lecia H.

LEAVE A REVIEW





SUPPORT OUR MISSION

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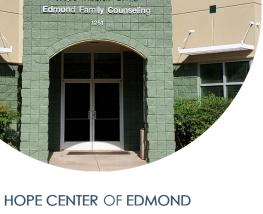














**HOPEFULLY YOURS** 

was organized in April 1984 to meet a community need for a central agency to provide social services. The Center was developed by the Edmond Ministerial Alliance, an interdenominational council of churches, with volunteers and a grant from the Edmond Women's Club. Services include a food pantry, clothing room, financial assistance for rent or utilities, and a prenatal clinic with WIC services. Prescription and transportation help are also available.

Our name is our mission: Helping Our People in Emergencies. is a resale project that helps support the mission and programs of the HOPE Center of Edmond. All store proceeds are utilized to fund HOPE Center Health Clinic, and to purchase the fresh milk, meat, and produce included in food packages for families. HOPEfully Yours is how the HOPE Center is able to fully utilize all of the donations we receive for the maximum benefit of our clients.

When you shop with us, you are directly supporting your neighbors in need!

### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

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HOPE's Board of Directors formulates the annual budget and determines the agency's goals and guidelines. HOPE Center of Edmond is a not-for-profit, equal opportunity agency that practices non-discrimination concerning age, race, sex, religion, national origin, or handicap. Any grievances concerning discrimination should be written and mailed to Chris Sperry, Executive Director, or Jeff Massad, Chairman at PO Box 2915, Edmond, OK 73083.



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### **OFFICE HOURS**

MON—THU: 8:30 AM-4:00 PM FRI: 8:30 AM-12:00 PM

### **DONATION HOURS**

MON—THU: 8:30 AM-5:00 PM FRI: 8:30 AM-4:00 PM SAT: 10:00 AM-4:00 PM



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### STORE HOURS

TUE-SAT: 10:00 AM-5:00 PM

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