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Chicktime Newsletter

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Dear Karen,

Does Chicktime matter? Depends on who you ask. Our kids? Probably not. Most are so wrapped up in their own worlds that their main thoughts about their mothers centers on being fed, being loved, and having clean clothes to wear! The government? Not likely, we don't invest a lot of time raising money for Chicktime (we focus on raising awareness for our charities) and therefore we are a tiny little non-profit when you look at our financial records. Our communities? If you are a new chapter, not yet. Most likely the majority of people in your community haven't heard of Chicktime yet!



But look to the charities we serve and the children they care for... and you will see our impact. Our goal is to bring women into the presence of the almost forgotten victims of abuse in our society. Prop them up. Show them they matter to us. And in the meantime... the women who volunteer with us begin to shift their focus. Rather than focus on their



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own personal problems, Chicktime volunteers begin to focus on solutions these charities desperately need. Leaking buildings? No problem, I know someone who can fix that. Kids need new shoes? Let's do a shoe drive. Only enough money to send 1/2 the the kids to camp this year? We can solve that! And the story goes on and on with endless possibilities!

In 2012, 5000 Chicktime volunteers served 52 charities in 20 states in the US and 2 in other countries. We can't give you the dollar amount of the goodness we influenced because we don't track it. We don't need nor want credit... but we do want to make sure all of our volunteers SEE the bigger picture. When you are immersed in volunteering with the children you serve, just remember that there are many other women across the US simultaneously doing the very same thing in their communities. That when we all do something, together we can accomplish the phenomenal... spreading love to the lonely and the broken... and lifting a generation up and out of desperation and giving them hope for a future filled with joy and blessing!

Speaking of joy and blessing... if you haven't checked out the link we feature on our website to Fulfill published by Elisa Morgan... [click here](#) to learn more!

Wishing you and your families a happy and prosperous New Year! May you bear much fruit and multiply your impact in 2013!

Joyfully,

Lori Rhodes
Chicktime National Founder
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Chicktime 2012 Impact

In 2012, 5000 Chicktime volunteers served in 52 charities throughout

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and contact
info@chicktime.com if you
would like to establish a new
chapter in your area

Most chapters are looking for
volunteers to help update
their chapter webpages. If
you like working with
computers, please contact a
local chapter and ask how
you can help. contact info
located at chicktime.com

the US in 20 states (in addition to two other countries). The list of the charities we served is below!

AL- Mobile	Easter Seals
AL- Montgomery	Brantwood Children's Home
AZ- Mesa	The Child Crisis Center of Mesa
DE- Kent County	Pressley Ridge in Kent County
FL- Fort Walton Beach	Crisis Center
FL- Naples	Youth Haven
GA- Atlanta	Atlanta Day Shelter for Women and Children
IN- Indianapolis	Wheeler Mission Ministries
MI- Detroit	Vista Maria
MI- Flint	Wayley's Children's Home
MS- Jackson	Sunnybrook Children's Home*
NC- Charlotte	Thompson's Child and Family Focus
NJ- Middlesex	Brahma House in Bridgewater
NJ- Washington	Domestic Abuse and Sexual Assault Crisis Center of Warren County
NV- Las Vegas	St. Jude's Children's Home
NY- PaceU	Covenant House and the Center Against Domestic Violence
NY- Waterloo	Foster Care in the Waterloo/Geneva Area
OK- Oklahoma City	Pauline E. Mayer Shelter
OH- Cincinnati	One Way Farm
PA- Cedar Crest	Pinebrook Family Services, Cityspace, and St. Luke's Neighborhood Center
SC- Charleston	My Sister's House
SC- Columbia	Eppworth Children's Home
TX- Austin	Texas Baptist Children's Home, Caritas of Austin, and the RRISD Clothes Closet
TX- Blanco	St. Jude's Ranch for Children
TX- Boerne	Meadowlands
TX- Canyon Lake	New Life Children's Center
TX- Connect DFW	Christ Haven
TX- Corpus Christi	Bokenkamp Children's Shelter
TX- Houston/Katy	Krause Center in Katy
TX- Killeen	The Option House, Rosewood Assisted Living
TX- Mission RGV	The Rio Grande Valley Children's Home in Mission, TX

TX- Palestine	Crisis Center of Anderson County
TX- Permian Basin	Safe Place of the Permian Basin
TX- San Antonio	St. PJs Children's Home
TX- San Antonio Hope	MountainChild, Changing Directions, SA Pregnancy Care Center, King's Compassion, Globalife Journeys
TX- San Marcos	Gary Job Corp
TX- SM Empowered	Various Charities in San Marcos, TX
TX- Smalltown	Hill Country Youth Ranch
UT- Ogden	Safe Harbor Crisis Center in Kaysville Utah
WI- Madison	Brantwood Children's Home
Africa	Kumasi Children's Home- Ghana
Cambodia	White Lotus- Phnom Pen

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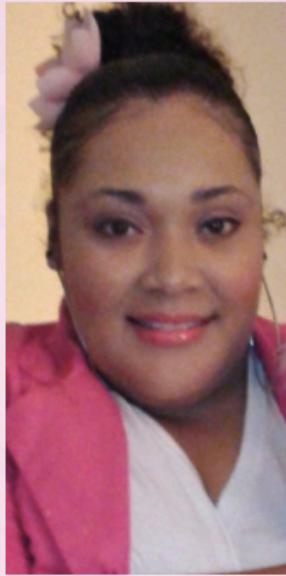
Chicktime Osceola (Florida) Holly La Rosa



Hi my name is Holly La Rosa, I am a wife married to my high school sweetheart, mom of three boys; twins that are four and a two year old. They keep me very busy, but I wouldn't change it for anything.

I have a strong faith in God, which keeps me going on my pursuit to help others who are in need. I have always lived with the belief that God has blessed me so I must help others in return. I never understood how strong my passion and need to help children was until I became a mom. Holding my babies in my arms and seeing how vulnerable and innocent they are made me sad to think that there are children in our world who simply do not have someone to hold them, protect them, and just love them. NO child should ever feel unloved and unwanted.

Chicktime Wixom (Michigan) Shauntel Williams



Welcome to the Chicktime Wixom chapter. We here at Chicktime are looking for caring individuals that have a heart for helping the hurt and abused. It is far too often that children are neglected, have their trust betrayed, their hearts broken and their innocents stolen. Thankfully through this organization everyday women like you and me can make a difference in a child's life. What's great about kids is that all they really want is some time, love and kindness. I pray that the love of God would touch your heart to make a difference today.

Psalms 31:18 "The Lord is near to the brokenhearted and saves the crushed in spirit."

So who is the Leader of Chicktime Wixom and why did she choose Chicktime?

My name is Shauntel Williams and I am 25 years old. I am a stay at home wife of only 8 months. I am married to my best friend and the love of my life Curtis who pastors a small church in Detroit, Mi. My husband and I desire to serve God through obedience to Him, and Christ-like service to others. This is why I feel so strongly about working with caring people like you and Chicktime because it encourages me to be a blessing in the lives of children and families, cultivating supportive relationships that will last a lifetime.

Chicktime Dayton (Ohio) Chawnette Clark



It only takes a little effort and a genuine willingness to be the difference, even for a day. One may ask, "what difference can I make?", I will submit, just one's presence alone can be monumental. Oftentimes, with just a smile, a child can interpret their worth. The message is clear that they are not overlooked as many of our neglected and abused children feel.

There is a genuine and sincere need for every heart and willing hand available here in the Dayton and surrounding areas to lend an ear, hand, talent, experience or just their tangible presence even for a

day.

"Yes", it's true, "It really does takes a village to raise a child, and it often only takes encouragement to impact their mothers, which I welcome that opportunity also.

Click on the Map to view Chapter News!



Chicktime has chapters across the US!

Our mission is simple... encouraging women to develop their passions and use their gifts to make the world a better place for the next generation.

Of course you have a gift! Do you cook, sew, garden, yoga, sing, play sports... we can help you turn your gifts into programs that will bring joy and comfort to the broken and the hopeless in your local community.

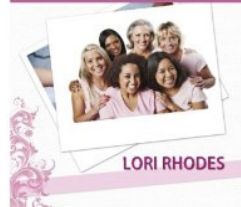
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Interested in Leadership?



Encouraging women to develop their passions and use their gifts to make the world a better place for the next generation!



We recommend that all women interested in Chicktime leadership read our short but comprehensive book to find out if Chicktime Leadership is for you!

Our book is also a great way to share with friends and family what Chicktime is all about.

Now in print for \$7.99. Please buy your copy today!

All proceeds, 100%, are donated directly to Chicktime to further our work in helping women usher the local community into the presence of almost forgotten

children.

To get a copy today, please visit our online book store. The book is also available in Kindle.

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What is Chicktime All About?





Leader Only Update!



Chicktime Leaders,

In case you haven't noticed the new menu tab under leader resources, please check it out. The Leader Only VIP Information is up to date and very relevant!! You must be logged into the site to see this all important info... if you can't remember your login info, email lori@mlrhodes.com. You will also note the 'graphic design' menu tab. This is where the

Chicktime logo is located for your convenience. Feel free to download the logo for anything you like... invitations, letter head, t-shirts, etc. Can't remember how to access your online sign-ups? Check out the CRM-Volunteer Management tab! As always, I'm here for you anytime, just reach out! Lori

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