



We believe to succeed as a community, we must tackle the challenges of inter-generational poverty together. Your support is leveraged to do what matters; win the fight for the education, health and financial stability for all in Kitsap County. #LiveUnitedKitsap



Thank you to our 2020 Platinum Sponsor



2-1-1
GET CONNECTED. GET ANSWERS

For Community Information and Referrals please call 2-1-1 for help specific to your needs.
¿Necesita ayuda pero no sabe a donde ir?
Marqué el número 2-1-1

Better Together
Learn how your actions today can transform tomorrow at www.unitedwaykitsap.org (360) 377-8505

- To find services such as:
- Employment Support
 - Medical Care Questions
 - Mental Health Services
 - Senior Assistance
 - Shelter Needs
 - Utility Bill Help
 - Volunteer Opportunities
 - In-kind Donations
 - Domestic Violence Help
 - Food Resources
- Get Help. Give Help.**

2-1-1 of the Peninsulas' has a new home!

In 1998, a team of Leadership Kitsap students looked at the up-and-coming Internet and identified how it could help residents in Kitsap County locate needed services.... [click to read more...](#)

[Help us reach our 2-1-1 Day goal of \\$21,100!](#)



Beer and Wine Event

Friday, April 17, 2020, 6:00pm-10:00pm
Marvin Williams Recreation Center

Backyard BBQ Bash!
(Backyard BBQ attire optional)

Silent Auction—Local Breweries—Local Wineries—Fun!!

\$40/pp \$50 at the door includes commemorative glass and 5 tokens to get you started.
Tasty treats to pair with beverages courtesy of the culinary team at Harrison Medical Center/CHI.
Proceeds invested back into our community to help fund community impact projects.

Tickets are now on sale!

Sponsorships are still available - contact Tamra for details.



What is the 2020 Census?

CENSUS 101: WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

The 2020 Census is closer than you think!
Here's a quick refresher of what it is and why it's essential that everyone is counted.

Everyone counts.

The census counts every person living in the United States once, only once, and in the right place.



It's about fair representation.

Every 10 years, the results of the census are used to reapportion the House of Representatives, determining how many seats each state gets.



It's in the Constitution.

The U.S. Constitution mandates that everyone in the country be counted every 10 years. The first census was in 1790.

It's about \$675 billion.



The distribution of more than \$675 billion in federal funds, grants, and support to states, counties, and communities are based on census data.

That money is spent on schools, hospitals, roads, public works, and other vital programs.



It's about redistricting.

After each decade's census, state officials redraw the boundaries of the congressional and state legislative districts in their states to account for population shifts.

Taking part is your civic duty.

Completing the census is mandatory: it's a way to participate in our democracy and say "I COUNT!"



Save the Dates!



- [5th Annual Lifting Spirits - April 17, 2020](#) at the Marvin Williams Center
- 28th Annual Letter Carriers Food Drive - May 9, 2020 at your local mailbox
- June 26, 2020 - 27th Annual Day of Caring - registration opens 1st week of May
- July 17, 2020 - 7th Annual Golf Classic at Kitsap Golf & Country Club
- **Be a Sustaining Partner** by [setting up](#) your monthly gift today!

Be sure to visit www.VolunteerKitsap.org for year-round opportunities. Many are family-friendly. This is also a great way for teens to start building their resume` while earning service hours for graduation, scholarship, internship, and apprenticeship applications.



Coffee Chat with Carl, our Executive Director

We love making connections! If you'd like to meet for coffee to chat about how you can be a hand-raiser & game-changer, just send us an [email](#). In the meantime, we hope to see you at one or more of our upcoming events. For more details on these events, or to learn more about how we're making a

difference, we invite you to visit us at www.unitedwaykitsap.org.

