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The Voice of Social Justice

2011 Campaign Season Well Underway

If you haven't begun your campaign yet, what are you waiting for? It's simple to do and a great way to support the cause you care about! If your workplace doesn't have a campaign with us yet, be the one to start. Visit our website [here](#) to learn about the advantages of workplace giving and begin donating to your favorite charity!

Contact Megan Conway at megan@communityshares.org to start your campaign.

Thank YOU!

A huge thanks to our guest bartenders and everyone who attended our Justice Rocks! event on October 27th. It was a lot of fun and a huge success, drawing in more than 200 people and raising over \$3200 for Community Shares. Your support means a lot to us!

What's New with our Member Groups?

Cleveland MOTTEP has a new executive director! Congratulations to **Linda Kimble** who replaced interim director Toni Tell as head of MOTTEP.

Congratulations to the new executive director for Greater Cleveland Habitat for, **John Habat**.

Another congratulations to [Cogswell Hall](#) on recently receiving LEED Silver Certification! They will be celebrating at their [Plaque Presentation Ceremony](#) on Thursday, Dec. 1st

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believe in Greater Cleveland.*

Upcoming Member Events

Join [The Free Medical Clinic of Greater Cleveland](#) at the 14th Annual MicroBrew Extravaganza on **Friday, Nov. 11th** from 6:30pm-11:30pm at Massimo da Milano. For ticket information, click [here](#).

[Detroit Shoreway Community Development Organization](#) will be hosting *Bright Night*, a celebration of the lighting of the Capitol Theatre 26' Blade Sign. The sign lighting celebration will take place on **Thursday, Nov. 17th** on the corner of Detroit Ave. and W.65th St. from 6:15 - 8:30pm.

[LiveCLEVELAND!](#) will be holding their Annual Meeting and "Excellence in Neighborhood

(RSVP by Monday, Nov. 28th).

[IRTF Cleveland](#) is headed to Ft. Benning Georgia for their annual School of the Americas protest from November 18-21! SOA graduates in Latin America have been linked to considerable amounts of violence over the past 50 yrs, including the murders of two Cleveland religious women. If you want to join the largest annual peaceful protest in the United States, you can do so [here](#). Or, learn more about SOA watch from [this website](#).

Congratulations to the [Housing Research and Advocacy Center](#) for receiving an Education Outreach Initiatives Grant for 2011-2012 from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.

Adoption Network's website has a new look! Check it out [here](#).

[Domestic Violence & Child Advocacy Center](#) and the Healthy Fathering Collaborative of Greater Cleveland are inviting all adult and young men in Greater Cleveland to join them in promoting healthy, non-violent relationships through their White Ribbon Campaign this fall. They are encouraging men to wear a white tie or white ribbon on **Wednesday, Nov. 30th** to take a strong, positive and public stance against violence against women, intimate partners and children. Click [here](#) to sign up to participate!

The LGBT Community Center of Greater Cleveland is holding a Food Drive to benefit the AIDS Task Force of Greater Cleveland. The drive ends on **Saturday, Nov. 12th** so donate fast!

The [Cleveland APL](#) is now selling their 2012 calendars for only \$10 apiece. Visit their website [here](#) to purchase one for yourself!

Your Gift. Your Choice.

Does your workplace have an employee giving program? **Encourage them to offer Community Shares as a choice!**

Join our 137 workplace campaigns helping to make Cleveland a great place to work and live!

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Marketing" awards luncheon on **Thursday, Nov. 17th**. Click here for more information.

Join [Near West Theatre](#) for their production of *Oliver!* from **Friday, Nov. 18th- Sunday, Dec 4th**.

Join [Cogswell Hall](#) for Cogswell Hall Night with the Lake Erie Monsters, a collaborative event with [NEOCH](#) (Northeast Ohio Coalition for the Homeless), EDEN (Emerald Development and Economic Network), & Transitional Housing to recognize National Homeless & Hunger Awareness Month on **Saturday, Nov. 19th** at 7:30pm. \$5 for each ticket purchased will be given back to the organization of your choice. Click [here](#) for more information.

The [League of Women Voters](#) is holding a **free** event at the Cleveland Public Library (Fulton Branch). Join them for a conversation on Ethics in Government **Saturday, Nov. 19th** at 10:15 am.

[InterAct Cleveland](#) will be hosting *The Art of Thanksgiving: An Interreligious Celebration* a showcase of artists from various religious backgrounds on **Monday, Nov. 21st**. Click [here](#) for more information.

Join [ACLU of Ohio](#) for their annual Holiday Festival and Bazaar Women Speak Out for Peace and Justice on **Saturday, Dec. 3rd** at Pilgrim Congregational Church.

[Providence House's](#) 16th Annual Deck the House Benefit Auction is being held on **Tuesday, December 6th**. Visit the [event page](#) to register.

[CityMusic Cleveland](#) has upcoming concerts starting **Wednesday, Dec. 7th - Sunday Dec. 11th**. Click [here](#) for more information.

Need a job?

Want to post a job?

Check out Community Shares' website for a list of non-profit employment opportunities!



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