

## MOW News and Notes for Volunteers

Weaver Wonderings:

November 12, 2020

**Meals on Wheels is so critical!** We are so fortunate to live in a community that cares for the seniors as we do. Last week we served more meals than any week in 2020 to seniors trying to age gracefully at home, to quarantined families, to adults recovering from hospitalization, and from adults needing assistance with food preparation! The need is great – 1,029 meals great last week! Typically we serve around 850 meals in a week but the range usually is about 775-950 each week. We had 4 families in quarantine and that made our week a very busy week! They have now recovered! So we did our job and helped them during that time! Thank you for being so critical to our work!

**EXTRA help during the next couple of weeks -** If you are able to drive an extra day, please let me know as we have six regular drivers in quarantine and we have students trying to go home for the holidays. Our holiday schedule is we delivery meals on Monday through Wednesday but then we are closed on Thursday (Thanksgiving) and Friday- Nov. 27<sup>th</sup>.

**Traveling in November?** Please send me an email if you need to be gone. Since I send out the request for volunteers on Thursday, it is best to send in your changes BEFORE Thursday. That prevents me from individually calling volunteers who may or may not be available. THANKS!

**Drivers Needed: (please call 886-7554 or email if you can help)**

Monday, Nov. 16 – Need 1 driver and a packer

Tuesday, Nov. 17 – Need 1 driver

Wednesday, Nov. 18 – Need 2 drivers

Thursday, Nov. 19- Need 1 Driver

Friday, Nov. 20 – Need 1 Driver

Monday, Nov. 23 – Need 2 drivers

Tuesday, Nov. 24 – Need 1 driver

Wednesday, Nov. 25 – Need 1 driver

Thursday, Nov. 26 – THANKSGIVING DAY – Office closed

Friday, Nov. 27 – OFFICE CLOSED

**Quote of the Week:** *“Autumn is the mellow season, and what we lose in flowers we more than gain in fruits.” Samuel Butler*

Check out the Meals on Wheels Facebook page.