



# Volunteer Newsletter

## NOVEMBER 2021



We miss you, volunteers! Take a look at what has been happening around our Ronald McDonald Houses & Ronald McDonald Family Room this Fall.

## Meet our New Team Members!

### **Kelsey Walker**

*Volunteer Services &  
Program Manager,  
Our House near Egleston*

Kelsey is from Opelika, Alabama and completed her Bachelor's degree in Human Development and Family Studies at Auburn University. She joins our team after spending 5 years as a Child Life Specialist at Piedmont Columbus Regional Hospital. Kelsey loves cooking, spending time at the beach or lake, fostering dogs, Auburn football, and all things Christmas. She is excited to start serving families at ARMHC and is honored to be a part of this wonderful organization!



### **LaTrea Adams**

*House Manager,  
Our House near Scottish Rite*

LaTrea is originally from Cleveland, Ohio and has a Bachelor's degree in Psychology from Cleveland State University. She has experience working in a variety of roles, including education, administration, and social services. LaTrea enjoys spending time with friends and family, reading, and travelling. Since joining the ARMHC team in mid-October, she says that she has met so many wonderful people since joining ARMHC, and looks forward to making many more connections. LaTrea is thrilled to be a part of the ARMHC family!



# Highlights of the Month

Decorated pumpkins from Express Employment Professionals!



Trunk-or-Treat for our families hosted by Dickerson Middle School!



Halloween treats from Teen Council, Junior League, Eric Redmon Foundation, YMSL, and more!



# Highlights of the Month



Thank you to our  
volunteers who  
helped make our 12th  
Annual Hearts and  
Hands Gala a success!

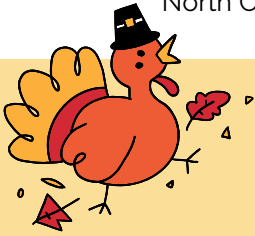


Together, we  
raised more than  
\$550,000 to keep  
families close!



# Fun Fact Alert

There are four towns in the United States named "Turkey." They can be found in Arizona, Texas, Louisiana, and North Carolina.



# Key Donations

- ♡ Catered Meals
- ♡ Lasagnas
- ♡ Wish List Items
- ♡ Fresh Flowers
- ♡ Activity Kits
- ♡ Halloween Treats
- ♡ Pumpkins

**We are so thankful for you, volunteers! We cannot thank you enough for all the continued support of our families throughout the pandemic. From our Houses to yours, we wish you and your families a Happy Thanksgiving!**

## Meal Heroes Needed

**Available dates at our Peachtree Dunwoody House:**

11/12, 11/18, 11/24, 11/25\*, 11/26, 11/28,  
11/29, 11/30  
11/25 is Thanksgiving Day!

**Available Dates at our Gatewood House:**

11/9, 11/11, 11/12, 11/13, 11/14, 11/15, 11/19,  
11/21, 11/22, 11/23, 11/24, 11/29,

**Available Dates at our Family Room:**

11/7, 11/8, 11/14, 11/21, 11/26

## Volunteer Anniversaries

### 4 Years

Star Newman

### 3 Years

Joann Vitelli

### 2 Years

Lori Beck

Courtney Weinhoff

Tunmise Olowojoba

Tammy Rivenbark

Jessica Naredo

Ruby Miles

### Questions? Contact us!

Our Ronald McDonald Houses, contact Ansley Wetherington at [ansley.wetherington@armhc.org](mailto:ansley.wetherington@armhc.org)

Our Ronald McDonald Family Room, contact Jamesse Webb at [jamesse.webb@armhc.org](mailto:jamesse.webb@armhc.org)

# Upcoming Events

## NOVEMBER 2021

### BMW Raffle Event

Enter for a chance to win your choice of a 2022 BMW M235i Gran Coupe or BMW 430i Coupe or BMW X3, courtesy of your Atlanta Area BMW Centers.

The last day to buy a ticket is Monday, November 8th.

You can buy tickets [here](#)



### Ronald's Holiday Shop

The most wonderful time of the year is just around the corner! Looking for a meaningful way to give back this holiday season? Consider making a family's holiday wish come true by building an Atlanta RMHC snowman. It's as simple as printing out our snowman poster and adding the printable accessories as you collect #HolidayWishList items for our Houses and families.

Click [here](#) to learn more.



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