

2018 United Way Challenge! Give a Little. Change a Lot.

We will be kicking off our United Way Challenge Campaign beginning, Monday, Sept. 24. We are hoping it will be better than ever so we need your support! Have you heard of the United Way, but you're not sure what they *really* do? Please take a moment to see what the [United Way of Greater Niagara](#) is all about and how they are making a difference in our communities.

The United Way of Greater Niagara invests in programs that focus on education, health and income that deliver measureable results to improve our community. From children to senior citizens to victims of domestic violence, your investment in the United Way of Greater Niagara helps fund 25 program providers that offer 42 different programs throughout Niagara County; Niagara University's [Books, Balls, and Blocks](#) children's program is one of them. Without the United Way, these wonderful programs and providers, such as the American Red Cross, the Salvation Army of Lockport and Niagara Falls, and the YMCA of Lockport and Buffalo/Niagara, would not be possible.

How can I make a donation?

By donating today, you can help change the lives of over 70,000 people a year in our own community.

This year, we are making donating easier than ever before! Simply log into myNU and complete the [enrollment form](#) anytime between **Monday, Sept. 24, through Friday, Oct. 5**, to elect for an automatic payroll deduction or a one-time cash or check payment.

For a detailed list of specific programs that receive support from your gift, please go to www.uwgn.org. If you choose to have your donation go to one of the designated funded programs, please indicate on your form.

A small donation of \$1 per week can make a big difference! No amount is too small to help those who need assistance. Your \$1 per week donation entitles you to...

Prizes, prizes and more prizes!

Make sure to check the box on the enrollment form, which allows you to be eligible in the United Way drawing to win great daily prizes from October through November. Prizes include Buffalo Bills, Sabres and Bisons tickets, as well as generous gift cards to local area businesses and restaurants, just to name a few.

In addition, members of the Niagara University community who make a donation within the first three days of the campaign will be eligible for a drawing to win one of four \$25 gift cards to local businesses.

New this year, please join us in celebrating the campaign!

To wrap up the 2018 United Way Campaign, we will be hosting a United Way walk on campus:

Date: Thursday, October 4, 2018

Time: 11:45 a.m.-12:15 p.m.

Where: Meet in Gallagher Center, Lower Level

Pizza will be available in the Multi-Purpose Room in the lower level of the Gallagher Center before and after the walk.

We would appreciate a \$2 donation; all proceeds will go to the United Way of Greater Niagara. In case of rain, the walk will be cancelled but the pizza will not!

Please RSVP by Oct. 1 to sstott@niagara.edu.

Questions?

If you have any questions, please contact Shannon Stott in the Office of Human Resources by email, sstott@niagara.edu, or by phone at 716.286.8692.