

Meals-on-Wheels, inc.

OF GREENWICH



# 2021-2022 Annual Report

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#### **OUR MISSION**

The mission of Meals-on-Wheels, Inc. of Greenwich is to provide a food service that delivers tasty, nutritious meals at a low cost to any Greenwich resident in need.

Our clients include the elderly, people with disabilities, handicapped, and infirm who are unable to shop or cook for themselves and require home-delivered meals on a short-term or long-term basis.

Our clients also include preschool children at the four Family Centers Greenwich pre-K programs and children participating in a local academic support program. We contract with Filling in the Blanks of Norwalk to purchase and deliver weekend meals for these children each week.

Our volunteers not only bring nourishment to our clients but also provide critical personal contact to a population that is often isolated.

In Greenwich, MOW began in 1960 by the Woman's Club of Greenwich. They started with two meals a day on Tuesdays and Thursdays that included a hot dinner and a cold protein. Projects to help pay for the MOW service at the time included sales of books, toys, costume jewelry, and, of course, fruit cake. In 1962, MOW made over 1,600 deliveries to customers.

Today, MOW delivers over 1,900 meals per month to Greenwich residents.



# LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Dear Friends.

The work of Meals-on-Wheels, Inc. of Greenwich is made possible by our volunteer drivers whose wheels cover the town of Greenwich daily. Meals-on-Wheels, Inc. of Greenwich continues to provide nutritionally balanced meals every day for individuals who cannot cook for themselves. Our 75 dynamic volunteer drivers deliver lunch and dinner five days a week. Weekend meals are delivered on Friday. We work with a local caterer who prepares the meals under the supervision of a certified nutritionist.

Four years ago, we recognized an unmet need for preschool children and children in a local program that also provides academic support. We have contracted with Filling in the Blanks of Norwalk to deliver meals to four Greenwich pre-K programs to help meet those needs, as well as older children participating in the academic program. Meals on Wheels purchases the meals from Filling in the Blanks, and our volunteers deliver the food. We strive to make meals available to all ages with the addition of friendly volunteers who make sure meals are delivered safely and on time.

It is an honor to head up our volunteer Board of Directors and lead this organization that makes a huge difference to those in the town of Greenwich.

Sincerely,

Lori Jackson

President, Board of Directors



#### LETTER FROM THE DIRECTOR OF OPERATIONS

Meals-on-Wheels, Inc. of Greenwich can keep the wheels turning thanks to the dedication of our volunteers, who arrive at our office five days a week ready to deliver meals throughout Greenwich. Our donors and volunteer drivers allowed us to have over 24,000 meals during the 2021-2022 year.

At a time when our population continues to age, inflation adversely affects the purchasing power of many of our limited-income residents, and many families are struggling to maintain adequate support for their loved ones.....Meals-on-Wheels, Inc. of Greenwich, is part of the solution that enables many of our residents to remain at home. Whether it be for short-term (post-hospitalization or rehabilitation) or long-term service, our dedicated staff and volunteers check in with a friendly visit and let family members know if there are concerns.

Thank you for your participation with our organization during 2021-2022, and we look forward to having you as part of our team moving forward. Your time and generosity make a big difference in our wonderful community of Greenwich.

Best Wishes.

Lynne Stewart

Director of Operations

# THE SIGNIFICANCE OF THE HISTORY OF MEALS-ON-WHEELS

The first Meals-on-Wheels started in England during World War II by the British Women's Voluntary for Civil Defense Service Welwyn Garden City in 1943. Delivery of meals started as a reaction to the 1943 Influenza epidemic, providing meals for the elderly and the sick. A 'meals on wheels' service was organized for the aged and infirm people in the town who were experiencing a difficult time because the able and stronger people who had cared for them were serving in the war. By 1956 one million meals a year were being delivered in 320 areas and by 1962 four million meals were being served in 790 areas.



This photograph depicts members of a London WVS centre, in 1947, loading pails containing individually portioned Meals on Wheels onto a delivery van. Source: Royal Voluntary Service⊠

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### **OUR VOLUNTEERS**

Our volunteer drivers whose wheels cover the town of Greenwich daily are the heart and soul of the organization. They are passionate, reliable, and team players. Their patience, energy, and willingness to help make them invaluable to our team.

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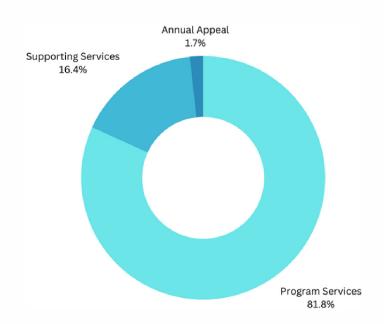


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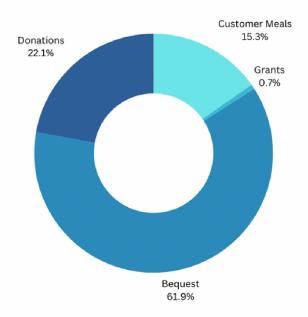
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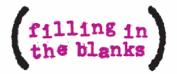




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