



The 'Seeds of Hope' Telethon needs YOUR Help

Saturday, February 1,

1-10 p.m. at The Gateway, Oberlin and on Local Access Channel 7

SEEDS OF HOPE

Seeds of Hope is THE annual fund-raiser for many of Oberlin and Decatur County's most important charities and nonprofit organizations. Most of these groups have no other public fund raisers. Seeds of Hope is their "United Campaign."

That's what makes Seeds of Hope so important to the whole community. Hundreds of hours of volunteer effort are being invested because these organizations are the lifeblood of our town. They depend on the money raised in the Telethon to get them through the year.

Those organizations are the Decatur County Stand Against Violence, Doorway Ministries, Decatur County Area Chamber of Commerce, Oberlin Arts and Humanities Commission, Oberlin Lions Club, Decatur County Museum, Teens for Christ, Decatur County Fair Foundation, American Family Radio, Forget-Me-Nots, Oberlin Swim Club, Czech Museum in Jennings, Decatur Area Theater Association, Decatur County Relay for Life, Jennings City Library, Sunflower Cinema, Decatur County Ministerial Association and the Oberlin Boy Scouts.

This year's telethon will include the annual Talent Show, featuring performers from around the county, plus a fund-raising auction and written bids from the audience, of items donated by area merchants, residents and out of state groups.

The "Walk-a-Thon" will be going on and interested persons can contact Dennis Brown at 475-2625. Baby sitters will be provided from 1-6 p.m. for individuals who participate in the telethon.

If you can help or donate items for the auction, call Peg Smith at 475-2296. And most importantly, Seeds of Hope needs your donation, no matter how large or small. You can call in during the Telethon, 475-3753 and 475-2901, or Anita Hirsch at 475-2358 or 475-2296, or use the handy coupon below and mail in your donation. Every dollar counts for Decatur County, so send yours in today!

And don't forget to watch "Seeds of Hope" on the Oberlin Community Access Channel 7, from 1 to 10 p.m. Saturday. And come on up to The Gateway to watch, sample the sloppy joes, hot dogs, and homemade pies and make your donation in person.



Yes, I want to help. Here is my donation:

Name:

Address:

City:**Zip:**

Donation:

Mail to: Box 305, Oberlin, Kan. 67749



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