



## Good News from **Goodwill** Industries of Northeastern PA

May 2024

Find out the latest news and happenings from Goodwill Industries of Northeastern Pennsylvania.



### Goodwill celebrates reopening of renovated Hazleton store

Goodwill Industries of Northeastern Pennsylvania (NEPA) celebrated the reopening of its renovated Hazleton store with a ribbon cutting ceremony. The expansion more than doubled the store's square footage to 10,800 and features significant investments including new flooring and fixtures, fresh paint, an upgraded and expanded donation area, and additional parking. Click [here](#) for more information.



### Goodwill Week: May 5-11

For more than 70 years, Goodwill organizations across the United States and Canada have commemorated Goodwill Week during the first week of May to raise awareness for our mission of providing supportive opportunities for individuals with disabilities or other barriers to enhance their lives. This Goodwill Week, May 5-11, we will celebrate with a number of activities for our community members. Shoppers can make a \$1 donation to support Goodwill's services by purchasing a Smiling G at any of our retail locations.



### FNCB Bank awards grant funding to Goodwill

FNCB Bank recently presented a \$2500 check to Goodwill of NEPA to help fund flooring improvements to its existing Community Participation Supports (CPS) program space in Dickson City. Click [here](#) for more information on the donation.

### Goodwill Job Club at The Recovery Bank

Goodwill of NEPA is thrilled to present its Job Club, a free resource for job seekers in our community, at The Recovery Bank, 120 Wyoming Ave., Scranton. Goodwill's certified Employment Specialists will

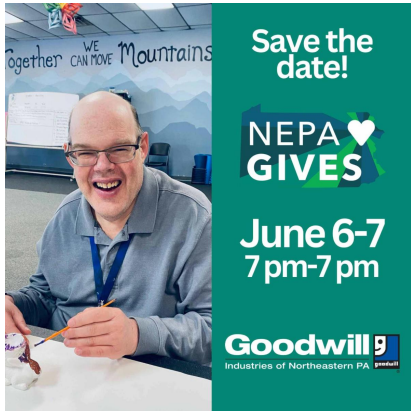


cover a variety of topics including career assessments and explorations, resume and cover letter writing, interview techniques, and more. To register call 570-880-7901 or sign-up at The Recovery Bank. Click [here](#) for more information.



### Community Participation Supports activities

Individuals who participate in Goodwill's Community Participation Supports (CPS) program at our Dickson City location enjoy a variety of activities designed to support them in areas including communication, socialization, community activities, and personal care. Our CPS friends recently completed a painting with potatoes project. Click [here](#) for photos of the fun!



### NEPA Gives

Mark your calendars for this year's NEPA Gives! For 24 hours—from 7 pm to 7 pm—on Thursday, June 6, 2024 to Friday, June 7, 2024, donors may make secure donations to their favorite local nonprofit organizations including Goodwill through the NEPA Gives online platform. Donations to Goodwill will be enhanced with bonus funds provided by NEPA Gives sponsors—making donor dollars stretch further! Keep your eyes open for additional information that we'll be sharing as we get closer to the event.

## Coming to [The Theater at North](#)...

- Ballet Theatre of Scranton will present "A Midsummer Night's Dream" Ballet on Friday, May 3 at 7:30 p.m.
- Ballet Theatre of Scranton will present "Come Dance with Us" Mini Dancers on Saturday, May 11 at 4 p.m.
- Ballet Theater of Scranton will present "Evolutions" modern dance production on Saturday, May 11 at 8 p.m.
- Dave Ragnacci School of Dance will present "DRSD Wonderful World of Dance" Scranton Studio performance at 1 p.m. and the Carbondale Studio performance at 6:30 p.m. on Sunday, May 19.
- Ballet Theater of Scranton will present "Scenes De Ballet" Children's Company ballet production on Wednesday, May 22 at 7 p.m.
- Scranton Civic Ballet Company will present "On Stage Please" dance production on Sunday, May 25 at 2 p.m.
- Ballet Theatre of Scranton will present "Just Dancin" tap, jazz, and hip-hop production on Wednesday, May 29 at 7 p.m.

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**Vision:** Strengthening lives, families, and communities one person at a time.

[Learn more](#) about Goodwill Industries of Northeastern Pennsylvania.



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