



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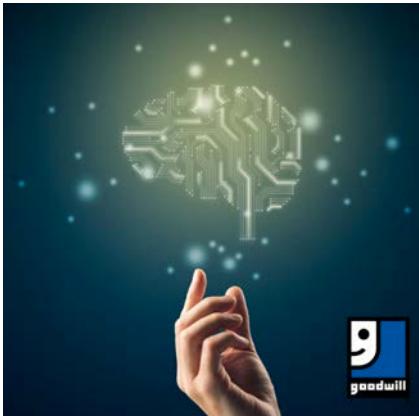
Find out the latest news and happenings from Goodwill Industries of Northeastern Pennsylvania.



New year less clutter: Give your decor a second life

Are you putting away your holiday decorations? Now is the perfect time to check your items and note what you didn't use this year or what you might have replaced. Box up the items you no longer need and donate them to your local Goodwill Industries of Northeastern Pennsylvania store! Your donation helps support our mission of providing opportunities for individuals with disabilities or other barriers enhance their lives and also clears your house of clutter 

Click [here](#) to find your nearest store or donation center to donate.



Lunch & Learn: Resumes & Cover Letters

New Year, New Job Search Strategy ! Join Goodwill Industries of NEPA for a free FREE, virtual Lunch & Learn session and discover the right way to use Artificial Intelligence (AI) to create job application materials that get noticed!

We're going beyond simple prompts to deliver actionable insights on these smart tools and better understand the limits.

Join us on Thursday, January 8, 2026 at noon and we'll show you the right way to draft job application materials. [Sign up](#) today!



Goodwill named top non-profit nationally

Goodwill Industries was recently recognized by two national organizations to be among the best and most impactful charitable organizations! Once again, [Forbes](#) included Goodwill as one of its Top 10 Charities of 2025. Goodwill also earned the #2 spot in the [NonProfit Times](#) 2025 Top 100 rankings.

Every day, Goodwill transforms lives through job training, programming for individuals with disabilities or other barriers, and emerging skills like AI upskilling, empowering individuals to thrive. Our retail and donation model promotes circularity and waste reduction, proving that sustainability and mission programs go hand in hand. This impact is made possible through the generosity of our shoppers and donors and the dedication of our employees. Thank you!



Success Story: David

David is making strides as part of Goodwill Industries of NEPA's First Step Act Initiative! He is currently training to complete his CDL and making great progress. David looks forward to working and obtaining a higher paying trucking position for long haul deliveries. Earning his CDL license isn't just about earning a license -- it is about finding a career and providing for his family.

David has always been a very active and motivated participant in the program, whether it be completing curriculum, meeting to fill out paperwork, or checking in with his service navigator. He expresses his appreciation for the program and the opportunities this grant has given him to put him on the path for a lifelong career. Way to go, David!

Discounts available at Goodwill

Did you know that Goodwill Industries of NEPA offers a variety of weekly discounts? In addition to our weekly Color of the Week and Sunday Savings sales, senior citizens, veterans, active-duty military, students, teachers, and first responders can also receive a discount on certain days of the week. [Check out](#) all the discounts available!

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January: National Get Organized Month

Did you know January is National Get Organized Month? Clear out the clutter and give new life to your old items! Decluttering tip: Turn all your hangers backwards. When you wear something, return it to the closet like normal. In a few months, you'll see what you no longer wear and you can donate those items to Goodwill!

Coming to The Theater at North...



Goodwill Industries of NEPA's Theater at North has a jam-packed schedule with something for all tastes! Upcoming shows include:

- [Cash and King](#), a Johnny Cash and Elvis Presley tribute, Saturday, January 17, 7 pm.
- [Escape](#), a Journey tribute band, Friday, March 6, 7 pm.
- [Tupelo Honey](#), a Van Morrison celebration, Sunday, March 8, 3 pm.
- [Andy Cooney's Irish Celebration](#), the sights and sounds of Ireland come alive, Sunday, March 15, 2 pm.
- [Turn to Stone](#), a tribute to ELO, Friday, March 20, 7 pm.

Spread the News! Feel free to forward this email to anyone you think might be interested or have them [sign up](#) to receive a copy each month.

Mission: Goodwill Industries of Northeastern Pennsylvania provides supportive opportunities for individuals with disabilities or other barriers to enhance their lives.

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

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