

JANUARY 2019 NEWSLETTER



Welcome
Chloe Knight Tonney



Trident United Way Names Chloe Knight Tonney New CEO

Trident United Way announced on Monday that it has hired Chloe Knight Tonney as its next president & CEO. TUV's Board of Directors said a search committee made up of agency partners, donors and volunteers conducted a nationwide search after current CEO Chris Kerrigan announced his retirement, slated for April 2019. [Read More](#)

Trident United Way Adds On-site Facilitation to its Volunteer Engagement Menu

On the morning of December 4th, 75 College of Charleston student-athletes huddled together on the basketball court of TD Arena. Instead of running drills, student-athletes from all 18 of the Cougars' Division I teams were standing on either side of long tables, dropping soap, toothbrushes and other items into gallon-sized bags to make hygiene kits. [Read More](#)



[Cougars' Service Day Photo Album](#)

Staff Spotlight:

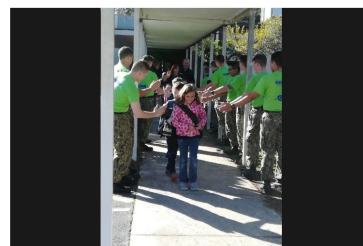


Meet [Anita Bullock](#), Executive Assistant

In the News:

School district recaps Day of Caring

By Monica Kreber mkreber@journalscene.com Nov 27, 2018



Volunteers from the Naval Weapons Station High-Five Knightville Elementary students on Nov. 13 during Trident United Way's Day of Caring.

[School district recaps Day of Caring](#)

Summerville Journal Scene, Nov. 27, 2018

[Trident United Way Celebrates 'Day of Caring' Friday](#)

WCSC Live 5 News, Nov. 16, 2018

[Paving A Healthier Way: Report provides guidelines for a healthier region,](#)

Charleston Regional Business Journal, Nov. 15, 2018

[Healthy Tri-County releases first health improvement plan for Charleston region,](#)

The Post and Courier, Oct. 31, 2018

Coming to an Inbox Near You!



Healthy Tri-County core partners - MUSC Health, Roper St. Francis Healthcare and Trident United Way - will once again be conducting the Community Health Needs Assessment from Jan. 14 - Feb. 15. Available electronically and in hard copy, the CHNA helps identify top priorities for the Tri-County region and informs the efforts of local healthcare systems and Healthy Tri-County. An electronic version of the assessment will be sent to your inbox on Jan. 14 and we ask each of you to add your voice to the thousands of others in the community to provide us with an accurate depiction of health care in Berkeley, Charleston and Dorchester counties!



Trident United Way Volunteers Complete 278 Projects on Day of Caring



Despite a chilly start to the day, lime green Day of Caring t-shirts could be seen across the Tri-County as more than 5,200 volunteers completed a total of 278 projects for Trident United Way's 18th annual Day of Caring, brought to you by Ingevity. [Read More](#)

[Photo Album](#)

[Thank You Video](#)



SC Thrive and Trident United Way have teamed up again to provide free tax filing assistance! We're looking for volunteers to act as tax counselors to assist clients with the online application tool to complete and submit tax returns. No experience necessary [Sign up Now!](#)

Individuals with an adjusted gross income of \$65,000 (\$95,000 if married and filing jointly) are eligible for assistance. Visit scthrive.org/filetaxes to see how you can file your taxes for free!

Upcoming Events:

1/10: [SC Thrive Tax Counselor Training](#)
Trident United Way - 9 am

1/14: [SC Thrive Tax Counselor Training](#)
Trident United Way - 9 am

1/18: [SafetyNet Assistance Network Meeting](#)
Palmetto Goodwill - 8:30 am

1/21: [Martin Luther King Day](#)
Office Closed

1/24: [Young Philanthropists Society Back-to-School Happy Hour](#)
Tradesman Brewing Co. - 5:30 pm

3/13: [Adult Mental Health First Aid \(SC Thrive Training\)](#)
Trident United Way - 9 am

3/21: [SC Thrive Benefits Training](#)
Trident United Way - 8 am

3/21: [A Toast to Chris Kerrigan](#)
Lowndes Grove Plantation - 6 pm

3/22: [SafetyNet Assistance Network Meeting](#)
Palmetto Goodwill - 8:30 am

Is Your Company Interested in Sponsorship?

If you or your company would like to honor Chris Kerrigan in a special way, please consider sponsoring Trident United Way's celebration of his service: *A Toast to Chris Kerrigan*. Contact kgandy@tuw.org.



Palmetto Society Oyster Roast



Trident United Way's Palmetto Society is a group of philanthropically-minded individuals who invest in TUW and their community at the leadership level. Members gathered for a seasonal oyster roast at Leon's Oyster Shed on Nov. 29 to celebrate TUW's accomplishments over the last year and hear more about the Tri-County Reading by Third Project. Pictured Clockwise from top left: (Amanda and Larry Kowal, Palmetto Society Board Chair Randy Dominikis, TUW Director of Community Philanthropy Kristen Gandy, TUW CEO Chris Kerrigan, Leilani Ray, Dr. Deidre Moss-Pinkney, Georgia Mims, Jim Campbell, Jane Hood.)

Are you interested in learning more about Palmetto Society and its group of engaged donors and volunteers? Email Kristen Gandy at kgandy@tuw.org.



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