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Coffee Bank & Trust gives \$5,000 back to community

Kids of the Community and My Father's Closet to receive \$2,500 each as Coffee Bank & Trust makes donations to celebrate Coffee County Bank's 50th business anniversary

McMINNVILLE, Tenn. – A pair of donations totaling \$5,000 were presented to Kids of the Community and My Father's Closet this month as Coffee County Bank continues to celebrate 50 years in business through its 50,000 ways to say thanks campaign.

True to the campaign's name, Coffee County Bank is investing \$1,000 for each of its 50 years in business throughout 2025. It's bank leadership's way of thanking locals for supporting Coffee County Bank – as well as its sister brands Coffee Bank & Trust and New Haven Mortgage – over the last half-century.

This month, the fund found the kid-centered non-profits Kids of the Community and My Father's Closet.

"These two organizations match our bank's mission to build a better future for Warren County," said Chase McGee, city president and chief business development officer at Coffee Bank & Trust. "By supporting Kids of the Community and My Father's Closet, we're sending a message that Warren County has an invested partner in Coffee Bank & Trust. We aren't just here to take deposits and make loans. We're here to participate in building a strong community."



Kids of the Community connects Warren County kids with responsible, vetted adults through structured activities to create meaningful relationships, resulting in long-lasting positive impact and direction for participants.

My Father's Closet provides necessities to foster and kinship families in Warren County, completely free of charge.

For McGee, a native of Warren County and part of the Coffee Bank & Trust team since 2021, community banking is built on strong relationships and support.

"Putting money back into the lives of real people is what makes community banking special," he said. "Unlike big, regional or national financial institutions, Coffee Bank & Trust is made up of people who live and raise families right here where we work. Warren County's success is our success. And as we celebrate 50 years in business in 2025, this investment is really about laying a strong foundation for the next 50 years, because Coffee Bank & Trust is in this for the long haul."

Coffee Bank & Trust launched in McMinnville in 2021. Last summer, the bank moved its McMinnville location to a brand-new, custom-built office at 569 N. Chancery Street.

Carter Sain, president and CEO at Coffee County Bank, said the 50,000 ways to say thanks campaign showcases everything right about the locally-owned-and-operated bank.

"Giving back is part of our mission, but the idea of investing in the people who got us here came directly from our team," Sain said. "Chase and the team in McMinnville have done an outstanding job since our launch there in 2021. We look forward to many more years of partnership in Warren County."

Coffee County Bank will announce two additional rounds of 50,000 ways to say thanks investments in November and December.

Find out more about Coffee County Bank's 50th business anniversary online at www.coffee.bank/about/fifty.

Find out more about Kids of the Community online at kidsofthecommunity.com.

Find out more about My Father's Closet online at facebook.com/myfathersclosettn.



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About Coffee Bank & Trust

Coffee County Bank is a premier provider of community retail and business banking, celebrating 50 years in business in 2025. Headquartered in Manchester, Tenn., since 1975, Coffee County Bank operates four full-service branch offices in: Manchester-Hillsboro Blvd; Manchester-Murfreesboro Highway; Tullahoma, Tenn.; and most recently, Coffee Bank & Trust, a division of Coffee County Bank, in McMinnville, Tenn. Coffee County Bank and Coffee Bank & Trust operate as equal sister brands under the leadership of Coffee County Bank's local executive team and board of directors. In 2024, New Haven Mortgage joined the Coffee County Bank family, adding local home loan experts and solutions as a wholly-owned division of Coffee County Bank. Find out more about New Haven Mortgage online at www.newhavenmtg.com. Equal Housing Lender, NMLS# 1477317. Find out more about Coffee County Bank online at www.coffee.bank. **Member FDIC, Equal Housing Lender.**