

United Way of the Dutchess-Orange Region

# DAY of SHARING

United Way of the Dutchess-Orange Region's Day of Sharing boutique and Louis Greenspan Children's Corner are full of goods for area nonprofits, schools and faith-based organizations to "shop" for necessities for their clients - for free.

The over \$200,000 renovation of the Day of Sharing space as well as the exterior of United Way's main office, the Evelyn Samuels Memorial Building (Hasbrouck House), listed on the National Register of Historic Places, was completed in September 2019 thanks to support of Senator Sue Serino with a \$100,000 grant to United Way from the Dormitory Authority of the State of New York (DASNY) as well as the RL Baxter Building Corp and other donors.

United Way began its nationally recognized Day of Sharing program when the Dutchess and Orange County United Way's merged in 2011. Each year, the number of people served and the amount of goods distributed has grown exponentially. Last year, more than \$200,000 in necessities were distributed to 7446 families. This year we hope to help 10,000 families with \$300,000 in necessities. We're expanding our Day of Sharing to two sessions and will open our doors from 10am to noon and 2pm to 4pm. We want to ensure that our neighbors will have bedding, household and kitchen items, men's and women's clothes as well as items for infants and children at no cost. This Day was created to help support our fight for the health, education and financial stability of every person in our community.

We extend our invitation to Day of Sharing to all nonprofit agencies, faith-based organizations and schools serving residents of Dutchess and Orange counties without charge. No prior reservations are necessary, but we do request each group receiving in-kind donations complete and return the Gift-In-Kind Policies and Procedures document (available online at [www.uwdor.org/dayofsharing](http://www.uwdor.org/dayofsharing)).

Please share this information with your network of nonprofits, faith-based organizations and schools serving the residents of Dutchess & Orange counties.

# The Louis Greenspan Children's Corner

The Louis Greenspan Children's Corner is an exciting and very needed addition to our Day of Sharing. This room is devoted to items for infants to young children and contains basic necessities, which sometimes are beyond the reach for parents in our region. These items are ones that no child should go without, but in times of financial crisis they can become luxuries.

The room is stocked with:

- hygiene items
- new and gently used infant, toddler, and children's clothes
- children's shoes and socks
- toys and other items to help your clients; parents who are struggling to provide for their family

## THE LOUIS GREENSPAN CHILDREN'S CORNER

*Support provided by the Louis Greenspan Charitable Trust.*

Daniel F. Curtin  
Trustee

Gary D. Koch  
Trustee

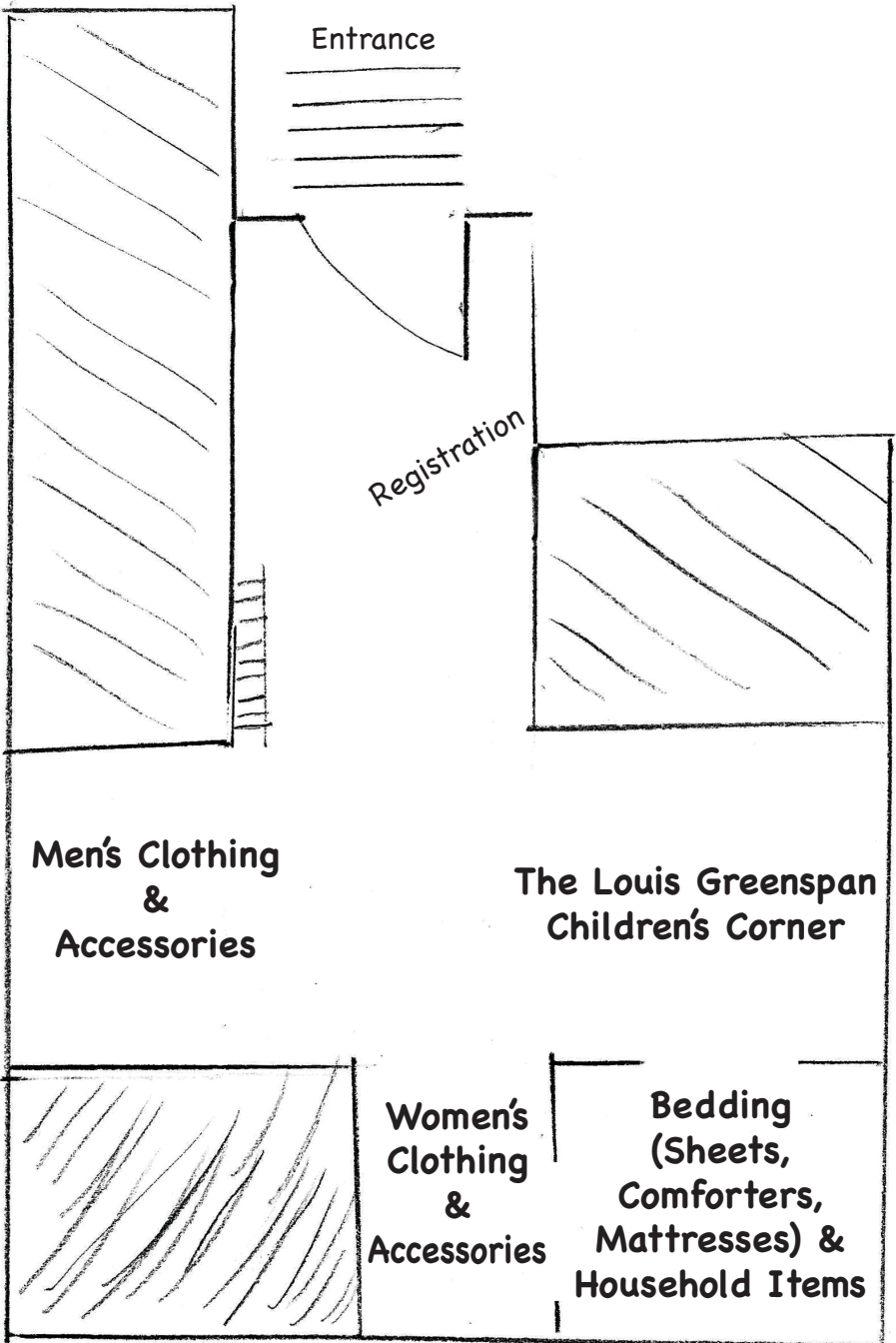
IN RECOGNITION OF  
THEIR SUPPORT FOR THE LOUIS GREENSPAN CHILDREN'S CORNER AS  
FOUNDING DONORS:

Ann and Abe Effron Donor Advised Fund  
of the Community Foundations of the Hudson Valley

- The Dyson Foundation
- MVP Health Care
- Steven and Susan Howell
- John P. O'Shea
- UPS Foundation, Inc.

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United Way Parking Lot



Entrance

Registration

**Men's Clothing  
&  
Accessories**

**The Louis Greenspan  
Children's Corner**

**Women's  
Clothing  
&  
Accessories**

**Bedding  
(Sheets,  
Comforters,  
Mattresses) &  
Household Items**

WITH DEEPEST GRATITUDE TO

**Senator Sue Serino** for ensuring families in Dutchess and Orange counties continue to have access to basic necessities and to the **R.L. Baxter Building Corporation** for their contribution to the renovation.

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**Who is helped by Day of Sharing?** *A family of four was sleeping on the ground of their small apartment, with garbage bags covering the windows. Their case manager from one of our community partners came to Day of Sharing with a shopping list. Now the family has curtains on their windows, beds to sleep on, blankets to stay warm and new clothing. The two children are smiling with books to read and toys to play with. Thank you for your support!*

*Last year more than \$200,000 of new goods were distributed to 7,446 families in Dutchess & Orange counties through Day of Sharing. This year, our goal is to distribute \$300,000 of goods to 10,000 families who need it most.*

To find out more and how to support United Way's Day of Sharing and Louis Greenspan Children's Corner programs, contact Rebecca Lull at [rlull@uwdor.org](mailto:rlull@uwdor.org) or (845) 471-1900 ext 3113.

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