

Keeping families close

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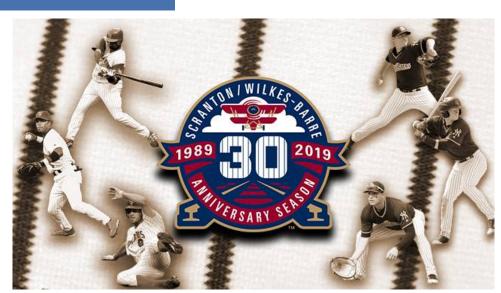


On April 30th, the Farmers of our region will come together to provide funding and wishlist items by the truckloads to support the mission of the "House that Love Built.

#RMHSFarmersCare

Farmers Care Support House

Our mission has remained close to the hearts of farmers in our area for decades and they're excited to rally the community to support our cause with them. There will be donation boxes around the region and out front of the Ronald McDonald House of Scranton that anyone can donate supplies in. With your support, they're hoping to stock the RMH pantries for the year.



RailRiders Celebrates 30 Years with a Ronald McDonald House

The Ronald McDonald House of Scranton is proud to announce that this year, we will be partnering with the local, all-American field of dreams, Rail Riders to celebrate their 30th anniversary by keeping families of seriously-ill children close. To celebrate their 30 years of entertainment and family, the 50/50 will support our mission and the community should expect a series of fun and family-centered events to celebrate.

Volunteer Corner with Kyle Sasso



What is your best memory of a child/family you helped while volunteering with RMH?

As a fairly new volunteer, there is no certain memory that specifically comes to mind, rather it is the smiles of each family that truly makes my time volunteering at the Ronald McDonald house worth it!

What is your favorite food?

My favorite food would have to be chicken alfredo!

What is your favorite quote?

"We make a living by what we get, but we make a life by what we give." – Winston Churchill

What is your favorite TV program?

My favorite TV program is definitely "9-1-1"

What made you choose to get involved with RMH?

I have always had a desire to help others and to make a difference in the world of those around me. I chose to volunteer at the Ronald McDonald House because I truly believe in their mission and am in awe with the amount of joy they bring to struggling families in a time most needed.

What do you do on a normal day at the RMH?

On any normal day I go around making sure the guest rooms are clean, snacks are fully stocked, and most importantly, families feel welcomed and are informed about the Ronald McDonald House Mission.

Has a loved one ever used the RMH?

I have had close friends who have used the Ronald McDonald House before, but never someone in my family.

Anything else to add?

My experience so far at the Ronald McDonald House has been a very eye-opening and fun experience. I would recommend for anyone who has the time to come volunteer and see the true selfless deeds the Ronald McDonald House organization takes part in.

Pictures Around the Mission









MEET THE STAFF: JAKA WESCOTT

Title: Development Director

What do you do at RMH?:

Whatever the boss says! I'm lucky to collaborate and wear a lot of hats: I work closely with our volunteers, support children and their families, and help represent our mission out in the community. I'm involved with fundraising on many different levels including reaching out to new potential donors, writing our grants, and raising fund during our event season. I help plan and execute our new projects under our director.

Why do you love your job? As a little girl, the Ronald

As a little girl, the Ronald McDonald House mission gave me and my family a home many many times so I could get the best care from top specialists across our country. I never forgot that and I'm so honored to get to be there for parents and kids in our mission and give the same gift that was given to me.



What are your hobbies? Reading, video-games, cooking, needle-point, horseback riding, and I recently started MMA.

What is your favorite food? Sushi or Pizza, I can't choose.

What is your favorite television show? The Wire