Walled Lake Central’s Class of 2020 Donates Nearly $9,000 to Hospitality House Food Pantry

WALLED LAKE, Mich., August 28, 2020 – The Walled Lake Central Class of 2020 has donated nearly $9,000 of their prom money to Hospitality House Food Pantry.

What was scheduled to be a night of celebration for the WLC Class of 2020 at the Royal Oak Music Theatre, has evolved into a generous act of kindness that will impact many families in the community.

The Class of 2020 embodies the true spirit of Viking Pride. In a time where there is so much uncertainty in the world their leadership, shows that everything will be okay. They are a remarkable group of students that show kindness, compassion, and the need to help others as a priority,” WLC Class of 2020 Co-Sponsor, Jennifer Caulford.

The funds donated will help Hospitality House continue to provide essential services to residents of the Walled Lake School District and Oakland County in general.

“Hospitality House has been working tirelessly to bring qualitative solutions to those in our community who are struggling with crisis. These solutions include not just providing free food to those in need but now helping to assist those who are in need of temporary emergency shelter, emergency car repair and utility assistance. We are extremely humbled by the gift from Walled Lake Centrals 2020 seniors and are grateful that they would consider our organization as a way to display their own generosity to the community,” said, Hospitality House executive director, Donovan Neal.

Olivia Kochevar, WLC 2020 class president stated “Our class debated for a while what to do with our leftover council money, and we considered a few different gifts to the school. We realized how hard it was going to be for WLC to fundraise like we normally do for the annual canned food drive, so we wanted to give the money we had from our council to Hospitality House because families in the community are in more need, due to the pandemic.”

Throughout the COVID-19 pandemic Hospitality House has provided assistance to nearly 650 families each month. To learn more or to donate visit [www.hhfp.org](http://www.hhfp.org).

**Photo Cutline:** The WLC Class of 2020 student council presented a check to Hospitality House executive director Donovan Neal on Monday, Aug., 24 2020.

WLC students, Jenna Ling, Jordan Grossman, Hospitality House executive director, Donovan Neal, WLC students, Ashley Kasgorgis, Savannah Sinawi, Renee Sedmak, Tyler Marks

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