

[Donate Now](#)

August 2018

## R4CH

Good News! Pinnacle Hills Promenade is now pet friendly. You can bring your dog out with you when you join us for the 15th annual Run for a Child's Hunger on Labor Day. The whole family can enjoy the day and help us fight hunger in Northwest Arkansas. We will see you there.

For more information, go to our webpage or send us an email.

- [R4CH@carecc.org](mailto:R4CH@carecc.org)
- [R4CH Web Site](#)
- [R4CH Volunteer Sign Up](#)
- [R4CH Race Registration](#)



## Multiple ways to give

We value all of our sponsors and donors that have made it possible to help our neighbors. There are multiple ways you can be a part of this growing community of support.

You can help us every time you shop online at Amazon with AmazonSmile. AmazonSmile Foundation will donate 0.5% of the purchase price from your eligible AmazonSmile purchases. Just use the Help CARE with Amazon Smile link to get started. Log in to your Amazon account, make sure you have selected CARE Community Center in Rogers Arkansas as the charity you want to support, and make your purchase as normal. It is that simple.

You can donate directly to us by visiting our website via the donate button. You

have the opportunity to make a one time donation or make a recurring monthly donation. We appreciate your donations great or small. All donations are tax deductible and help us strengthen the Northwest Arkansas community we serve.

- [Help CARE with Amazon Smile](#)
- [About Amazon Smile](#)
- [Donate to CARE](#)

## Root Cellar Pantry Policy Update

CARE is pleased to announce that beginning August 1, 2018 neighbors seeking food assistance from the Root Cellar Pantry can shop two times per calendar month.

- In order to make this a smooth process we ask that you have your ID and any missing certification documents ready when you sign in.
- All neighbors must recertify each calendar year and notify staff of changes to their household or income within 30 days of the change.
- If you receive SNAP or FREE and REDUCED SCHOOL LUNCH please notify our staff to simplify your certification.



## Volunteer Spotlight

We value all of our volunteers at CARE. This month we focus on Karen Dubois who has been volunteering with us for 3 years. We sat down with Karen and asked her about her thoughts on volunteering. Karen first became aware of CARE when a friend referred her to us as a good place for her and her sister to volunteer. After visiting with Kimberly Porter, our Executive Director, Karen decided that CARE was just the kind of place she was looking for.

Karen has always been active in the community even before she retired. Whether it was helping with food drives or volunteering her time with local non-profit agencies, Karen felt that it was important to give back to the community. Karen said, "I get a lot more volunteering than I ever give. It is humbling to see how neighbors, whether in a temporary or long term situation, have to struggle to get by and make ends meet."

Karen went on to tell us that through volunteering she has gained another family with the staff and volunteers at CARE. She is motivated to work hard with her CARE family and continue to help strengthen the community. Volunteering gives Karen a sense of purpose and helps her get out, be active, and keeps her social.

If you would like to join us as volunteer, please click the volunteer link to sign up.

[Volunteer](#)

## Root Cellar Recipes

### Chicken Pasta Casserole

*Recipe provided by Karen Dubois*

Ingredients:

- 1 pound cooked pasta (your preference)
- 1 pound cooked chicken cubed in bite size pieces
- 1 8 oz bottle ranch dressing
- 1 pound shredded mozzarella cheese

Instructions:

Place pasta and chicken in 9 x 13 pan. Pour container of ranch dressing over chicken and pasta. Top with mozzarella cheese. Bake in 350 degree oven until cheese is melted.



## Your Money, It Matters!

Do you still need to do your taxes? Maybe you are more than a year behind in filing taxes? CARE Community Tax Center is taking appointments to do FREE tax preparation throughout the year. Check out the helpful links about check your withholding at work or changes in small business accounting rules.

- Is your withholding what it should be? Have you checked? [IRS urges check withholding](#)
- Did you know small business accounting is affected by the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act? [Small business accounting method changes](#)
- Call our office at 479-246-0104 Monday - Thursdays 9:00 am - 4:00 pm to schedule a tax appointment.

## Just Around the Corner

Events and opportunities to engage with CARE

- We will be offering Computer Skills for Adults workshop which introduces basic computer skills and concepts in a relaxed atmosphere. Please contact us to let us know if you are interested. Contact: Nathan [nwhisenant@carecc.org](mailto:nwhisenant@carecc.org)



- Root Cellar Pantry is in need of volunteers to help stock shelves and work in the warehouse. Please contact us if you or your group would like to volunteer. 479-246-0104 [Volunteer](#)

- CARE Supply is in need of volunteers to assist with processing items to be distributed to partners and neighbors. Please contact us if you or your group would like to volunteer. 479-246-0104 [supplyexchange@carecc.org](mailto:supplyexchange@carecc.org) [Volunteer](#)

- It's that time of year again. Run for a Child's Hunger the Northwest Arkansas Labor Day run is right around the corner. We need you to volunteer with us to help make this year's event successful. Use the R4CH Volunteer link to sign up to volunteer or call us at 479-246-0104. [R4CH Volunteer](#)

## Mission

Empowering our neighbors with resources and education leading to personal and family sustainability.

2510 N 17th St Suite 203 | Rogers, AR 72756 US

[carecc.org](http://carecc.org)

Share this email:



[Manage](#) your preferences | [Opt out](#) using TrueRemove™

Got this as a forward? [Sign up](#) to receive our future emails.

View this email [online](#).

2510 N 17th St Suite 203  
Rogers, AR | 72756 US

This email was sent to .  
To continue receiving our emails, add us to your address book.