

# SCFL Community Services Committee Report for Monday - 21 August 2023

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## Labor Fest '23 - Collection Drive

Rob will report on our table/collection at Labor Fest. And this year, as a special event opportunity, we will have a small (donated) collection of Union/local apparel available for purchase - with proceeds going to United Way of Dane County. Please stop by to check out these items!

## Dolly Parton Imagination Library is Back

Just a reminder that the project is back! It is being sponsored/run by the Madison Reading Project and provides FREE books on a monthly basis to children in Dane County from birth to age 5. This is a wonderful program that provides age specific books. You may sign your "little person" up at [www.madisonreadingproject.com/](http://www.madisonreadingproject.com/).

## Insurance on the Market Place and HealthConnect

On the HealthCare.gov Marketplace, anyone qualifying for Special Enrollment can sign up at any time. And HealthConnect is a program where people making up to 150% of the federal poverty level (FPL) who live in Dane County could have their premium cost paid up front (not a reimbursement).

## United Way 211 - Help Starts Here

United Way 211 is a free, confidential information and referral resource available 24 hours a day, every day. The entire state is covered and you reach a "live" resource specialist by simply calling 211 on your telephone or texting your zip code to 898-211. If you prefer, the information is also available online at <https://211wisconsin.org/>. 211 is also looking for new volunteers, working from your own home, so please let me know if you're interested.

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## Labor Fest '23 - Collection Drive

As we have in the past, we will be doing a collection drive at Labor Fest for the MMSD Transition Education Program. GIFT CARDS of all types are most needed! [And a \$25 card value is much appreciated.] Or, if you prefer to shop, there are a number of items that would be helpful. The full list is on the flyer on the SCFL.org website. Donations may be brought to Labor Fest on Labor Day or drop off arrangements may be made with Ann in advance. Thank you for your participation!

