Impact Report— COMM 112

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<th>Hours served: 727.5</th>
<th>Community organizations impacted: 12</th>
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<td>Students participating: 57</td>
<td>Impact value to the community: $15,263</td>
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Students learned:

- Time management
- How communication theories apply to reality
- Teamwork skills
- The variety of ways service can be performed
- How to work effectively with people of varying abilities
- How to tell a story that portrays a specific intentional message

Community impact:

- Educated audiences on breast cancer prevention at multiple events.
- Established plans of oversight for other organizational volunteers.
- Socialized animals while keeping their spaces cleaned.
- Assisted in various aspects of a greenhouse initiative.
- Provided support for various fundraising events.

“I am too thankful for the students serving us, so that we could get the clothing out the donors donated quickly!”

—Amanda Ejimofor, Christian Help

“At the Festival of Trees, some of them were instrumental in helping to set up and come up with ideas to make the event even better.”

—Pam Shriver, Friends of WVU Hospitals

“They impacted every animal they met. They showed the animals kindness and love when they needed it the most!”

—Rachel Wasserman, Animal Friends

*This report was compiled by the Center for Service and Learning using verified service hours logged in iServe, the value of volunteer time from independentsector.org and student and community statements taken from written evaluations and verbal presentations.*