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**\*\*SPOTLIGHT  
VOLUNTEER\*\***

YWCA of Houston would like to recognize **Veida Snodgrass** as our *Spotlight Volunteer* for her superb level of dedicated service. Veida started volunteering with us about a year ago. She found a great fit bringing smiles to our clients since first being introduced to the organization through receiving services. You can find Veida in the Food Pantry helping out Ms. Rose or at the Gateway Senior Center.



Veida Snodgrass

**FALL IS UPON US!**

School is back in session, and most students (and parents) are back into the normal swing! Summer vacation and days of just taking it easy were truly nice, but there's nothing like joining in the efforts to assist those who could use a hand this season! With our new WYNDOWS Project (providing emergency housing assistance for rescued victims of sex trafficking) on the horizon and programs like Youth Empowerment and Meals on Wheels continuously expanding, we are sure to have a place where one can shine!

**THANKS TO OUR OWL VOLUNTEERS!**

YWCA hosted our Annual Outstanding Women's Luncheon in late May, and we can't be more pleased with the turnout! With more than 400 in attendance, this year's luncheon was a great success! 11 outstanding women received their roses with family and friends there to support. Thank you to all who volunteered at the event!!!

We want to specially recognize the employees of **BB&T, Cigna, Anchor Counseling, and East End Chamber of Commerce** as well as those individuals who came out to donate their time. Without you, we would've never been able to pull off such an awesome event of this magnitude!

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*"We make a LIVING by what we GET... but we make a LIFE by what we GIVE." – Winston Churchill*

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**WE COULDN'T DO IT WITHOUT DONATIONS!**

For your support... THANK YOU!



## A FEW PICTURES FROM THE ANNUAL TPC GOLF TOURNAMENT FUNDRAISER...



### UPCOMING EVENTS

Want to volunteer for our upcoming events? Here's what's coming up...

#### **October is Purchase with a Purpose Month!**

Please join us in shopping at the following on the dates listed:

- **10/12:** J. Hampton, 2433 University Blvd, Houston, TX 77005
- **10/19:** Kendra Scott, City Center, 816 Town and Country Blvd STE 131, Houston, TX 77024
- **10/22-26:** Tootsies, 2601 Westheimer Rd, Houston, TX 77098
- **10/31:** Melodrama, 5306 Almeda Rd, Houston, TX 77004
- **\*11/2:** Gite Gallery, 2024 Alabama St, Houston, TX 77004

#### **November 10th: GIRLS ON THE RISE YOUTH CONFERENCE**

#### **November 22nd: HOME Project (Thanksgiving Deliveries)**

#### **November 27th: PERSIMMON TUESDAY: A Day of Giving (Volunteer Appreciation Ice Cream Social)**

To learn more about these events please visit:

<https://www.ywcahouston.org/connect-with-us/news-events/>

### HAVE AN IDEA?

If you have anything you'd like to see included in our news letter or ideas for volunteer projects we'd like to hear from you! To sign up for opportunities please contact Volunteer Coordinator, Brittany Briscoe at [bbriscoe@ywcahouston.org](mailto:bbriscoe@ywcahouston.org) or 713-640-6823.



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