

NATIONAL VOLUNTEER WEEK - APRIL 19-25, 2020

The ultimate mission for Oklahoma Home and Community Education Inc. is to help members be well-informed and able to handle changes in their homes and communities. OHCE members and master volunteers from the Family and Consumer Sciences unit of OSU Extension have shown the entire state just how well-equipped they are to handle change. In a time when many residents are wondering what to do with their time and how to make a positive impact, OHCE and FCS have found the answer. They have been sewing face masks—more than 28,000 so far.

In years to come, when the country looks back on this challenging period, OSU Extension will be a shining example of volunteerism. The light from each volunteer has been seen by health care professionals, food banks, military families, municipal and county employees, young people, friends and neighbors. It is impossible to express enough thanks for all they have done and continue to do in supporting their communities.



Total face masks made by OHCE members is 28,306 and counting!



“Thank you to the ‘OHCE Members’ through the OSU Extension Center for making the Cleveland County Clerks Office these amazing masks. We appreciate your efforts to keep us safe and healthy!!!”

– Miranda Giza Alamillo



“True to form, in the midst of these turbulent times, Americans are unifying with unprecedented compassion, courage, and strength, bringing help and hope to those who need it most. “

– Presidential Proclamation
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