

ADVANCING THE COMMON GOOD

Focusing on the Building Blocks of a Good Life Education: Helping Children and Youth Achieve Their Potential



FACT: *A recent Gallup poll found that children who have support from parents, guardians or another caring adult are more likely to be hopeful, engaged and positive about their future wellbeing educationally and socially.*

Dustin's mother died in an automobile accident, and he had no positive female influences in his life.

Then Dustin met Karlienne Thom, his Big Sister mentor from Big Brothers Big Sisters. They get together every weekend and spend time doing fun things.

Because of Karlienne's influence on him, Dustin is enthusiastic about his school work, has greater self-confidence and is happier.

How United Way of North Rock County Helps

United Way of North Rock County partners with Big Brothers Big Sisters to expand opportunities for children and youth to bond with peers, mentors and positive role models.

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