



Webster-Cantrell Hall

Serving Children, Youth, and Families in Need.

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## February Newsletter

### 2017 Charity of the Year!



On January 25, 2017, **Land of Lincoln Credit Union** took to Facebook to announce Webster-Cantrell Hall as their Annual Charity of the Year in Decatur!

Keep an eye out for the fun things their employee committee will be rolling out by going to [their Facebook Page](#) or keeping up with [our page](#).



\*\* This text and image is taken from WAND TV. This text is the beginning of their article on Al and Melanie Schelling. Click the button to the left to read the rest of the article on their website.

### Foster Care - A Story of Hope \*

Changing the lives of children, while changing their own.

"Our number one goal is to provide a safe nurturing home for the kids. When it's time for them to go back to their mom and dad or their mom or dad, we welcome that as long as it's safe for the kid," said Al Schelling.

Al and Melanie Schelling have held the roles as foster mom and dad for more than two years.

"Every person has an obligation in this world to help other people and make a difference. With us, by helping children, we feel like that's the best way we can make the biggest difference," added Melanie.

\* Above text borrowed from WAND TV

[Read The Rest of Their Story](#)

# Have a great Valentine's Day!



## PRIDE Training

Beginning March 2017, Webster-Cantrell Hall will be offering a training program for new Foster Parents. If you are interested in becoming a Foster Parent, please feel free to contact one of the following:

### Denise Walters

Foster Care Licensing Worker  
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[dwalters@webstercantrell.org](mailto:dwalters@webstercantrell.org)

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## Office Closings

For the month of February, the Webster-Cantrell Hall administration office will be closed for the following dates:

- Monday, February 20 (President's Day)

If you ever need to know what day our offices will be closed before the release of the monthly newsletter, they will be listed on the calendar on our [Events](#) page on our website.

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