

# Good News

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Telling **positive**  
local stories

Boosting  
**community** pride

Encouraging  
**local** spending



# INSPIRING MORE GOOD

MEDIA KIT

A PUBLICATION OF  
EXCHANGE MEDIA GROUP  
2026





# Building Stronger Communities

Through positive stories

Consuming angry, sad, and negative news can make readers feel overwhelmed and helpless. We want to remember there are still uplifting people to meet and positive stories to tell.

**There's Good News out there!** We want to shine a light on people, businesses, and events that uplift the community. We are looking for businesses like you that care about our local people.

**Good News is...**

- Telling positive local stories
- Boosting community pride
- Encouraging local spending



# Your community flourishes with Good News.

Our passion and purpose is to inspire more good.



# The Value of Good News

Good News Magazine not only lets you reach your audience directly, it's also a way to build brand recognition and positive associations over time. Placing your ad alongside engaging, positive stories means it's much more likely to be seen and well received.

Our beautiful design and community focus result in a premium publication that readers keep in their homes for long periods of time — leading to more views of your ad.



## IN-HOME DELIVERY

Your ad goes to proven buyers. We only mail to families with money and/or interest.



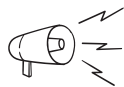
## LOCAL AUDIENCES

Your message reaches fans of the magazine. Local readers suggest more than 90% of the stories we tell.



## LONG SHELF LIFE

Readers look at your ad over and over again. 60% of readers keep every issue for more than 60 days.



## ADVERTISE CONSISTENTLY

People need to see an ad many times before buying. Your ad stays in front of readers every month.



## POWER OF PRINT

Social media is drowning in negativity. Readers notice your ad as they crave the good ol' days.



## POSITIVE ASSOCIATION

Your ad lives with positive and 'viral' content. Readers fall in love with their town and your business.



# Engaged With Our Community

We mail Good News to subscribers' homes and offer complimentary subscriptions to everyone in the community.

Third-party data show we have 2.12 readers per copy mailed.

Our readers care about the community and have disposable income. When your ad is seen, readers are in a positive state of mind. Our high quality content contributes to our magazines having a long shelf life compared to most media.



## Mailing List Composition



### SUBSCRIBERS

Everyone in the community can subscribe to Good News. This ensures continual growth of Good News readership, leading to better exposure of your ad.



### LOCAL BUSINESSES

We mail Good News to local businesses. This audience is valuable because of the number of readers exposed to ads in each location.



### IDEAL HOMEOWNERS

We reach married homeowners with FICO scores of 700 or above. This gives your ad exposure to people with purchasing power.





# How our readers engage:

Independent readership study results from CVC audit, January 2023

98%

OF READERS

say they would purchase a product or visit a local business featured in the magazine



90%

OF READERS

say they read most of the magazine

60%

OF SUBSCRIBERS

keep the magazine for more than two months

63%

OF READERS

have eaten at a restaurant seen in the magazine

65%

OF READERS

keep the magazine on their nightstand or coffee table

69%

OF READERS

spend over 30 minutes reading the magazine

77%

OF INDIVIDUAL COPIES

are read by more than one person



## What our readers say:

Our readers told us why you should advertise in Good News.



“I am exposed to more advertisers in Good News than in any other publication that I have seen in this area.”

“Great magazine for shopping and eating LOCAL! Thank you for publishing useful information on our little community.”

“This magazine allows owners to share what is closest to their hearts while showcasing their products. Plus the customer service Good News offers is outstanding. The magazine is very well put together, well polished, neat, and very inviting. I look forward to each one!”

“The content of the magazine is wholesome and seems to support a good cause. It is much preferable to other advertising sources because it seems to build up the community, rather than solely profit from it.”

“Good News is a great magazine, and it is delivered to many people, probably more than the local newspaper. I look all the way through and read most of it. It is the best place to advertise.”







## Our Guarantee

Your monthly ad is free  
if you believe we aren't building  
a stronger community  
through our stories.



# Magazine Overview

Positive stories in three chapters

Each magazine is full of positive, uplifting stories of people, businesses, and events in the community. Through submissions by our readers, we are able to discover and share stories of all the good happening in your area.



## *Good Living*

This section of the magazine covers local positive news you may have missed.

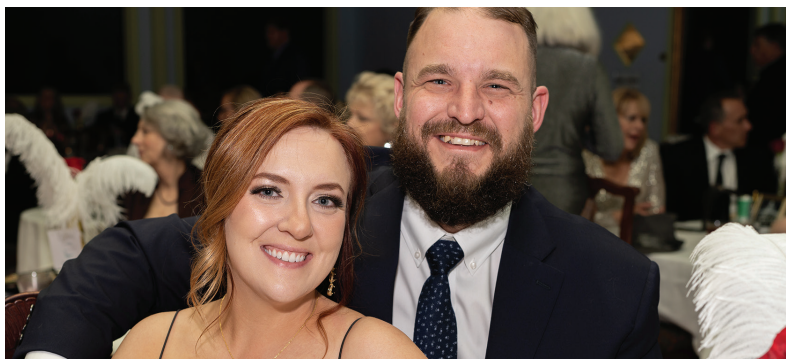
- ✓ **Health Care Stories**
- ✓ **School Stories**
- ✓ **Business Stories**
- ✓ **Local Government Stories**



## *Good Stories*

This section of the magazine covers local people or businesses you need to know about.

- ✓ **People**
- ✓ **Businesses**
- ✓ **Nonprofits**



## *Good Times*

This section of the magazine covers local things to do.

- ✓ **Charity Listings**
- ✓ **Event Photos**
- ✓ **Ideas for Local Fun**



## Healing Our Community

**ISSUE 1 2026**

Healthcare Spotlight Issue

### Deadlines

Sponsored Content.....11/23/25  
Advertising .....12/23/25  
Mailed to Homes.....1/8/26



## The Volunteer State

**ISSUE 7 2026**

Honoring Our Veterans

### Deadlines

Sponsored Content.....5/25/26  
Advertising .....6/25/26  
Mailed to Homes.....7/9/26



## From the Heart

**ISSUE 2 2026**

Love (couples, family, friends, churches) Focused

### Deadlines

Sponsored Content.....12/29/25  
Advertising .....1/29/26  
Mailed to Homes.....2/12/26



## The Home Team

**ISSUE 8 2026**

The Fall Sports Issue

### Deadlines

Sponsored Content.....6/30/26  
Advertising .....7/30/26  
Mailed to Homes.....8/13/26



## Charity Spotlight

**ISSUE 3 2026**

Shining a Light on Those Who Give Back

### Deadlines

Sponsored Content.....1/26/26  
Advertising .....2/26/26  
Mailed to Homes.....3/12/26



## The Next Generation

**ISSUE 9 2026**

Showcasing Young Workers

### Deadlines

Sponsored Content.....7/27/26  
Advertising .....8/27/26  
Mailed to Homes.....9/10/26



## Classroom Legacies

**ISSUE 4 2026**

Singling Out Local Educators

### Deadlines

Sponsored Content.....2/26/26  
Advertising .....3/26/26  
Mailed to Homes.....4/9/26



## Hometown History

**ISSUE 10 2026**

Looking Back On Our Shared History

### Deadlines

Sponsored Content.....8/24/26  
Advertising .....9/24/26  
Mailed to Homes.....10/8/26



## Shop Local

**ISSUE 5 2026**

Spotlighting Local Businesses

### Deadlines

Sponsored Content.....3/23/26  
Advertising .....4/23/26  
Mailed to Homes.....5/7/26



## Furry Friends

**ISSUE 11 2026**

Showing Our Pets Love

### Deadlines

Sponsored Content.....9/29/26  
Advertising .....10/29/26  
Mailed to Homes.....11/12/26



## Our Families

**ISSUE 6 2026**

Focusing On Local Families

### Deadlines

Sponsored Content.....4/28/26  
Advertising .....5/28/26  
Mailed to Homes.....6/11/26



## Our Heroes

**ISSUE 12 2026**

Celebrating Our First Responders

### Deadlines

Sponsored Content.....10/25/26  
Advertising .....11/25/26  
Mailed to Homes.....12/10/26





# Positive and local stories at your door every month.

Get a local magazine that covers only positive stories about everyday people in the community.

Subscribe to Good News Magazine online:

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# Be part of something good

Become a Good News Advertiser

## Advertising Discounts

**50% OFF**

For ads picked up in other markets  
(first ad is full price)

**15% OFF**

For running an ad for  
6 consecutive months

**30% OFF**

For being a consistent  
12-month advertiser

**50% OFF**

Multi-pages in the same edition  
(first page is full price)

## Premium Positions

### BACK COVER



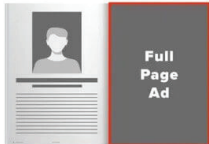
One Run	\$3,078
Annual <b>30% Discount</b>	\$2,095

### INSIDE COVERS



One Run	\$2,589
Annual <b>30% Discount</b>	\$1,761

### FULL PAGE



One Run	\$2,399
Annual <b>30% Discount</b>	\$1,472

## Special Sections

### TWO PAGE / SPONSORED CONTENT



One Run	\$2,771
Annual <b>30% Discount</b>	\$1,575

### NON PROFITS SPONSORSHIP



One Run	N/A
Annual <b>30% Discount</b>	\$1,078

### TABLE OF CONTENTS



One Run	N/A
Annual <b>30% Discount</b>	\$1,078

## Fractional Sizes

### HALF PAGE



One Run	\$1,191
Annual <b>30% Discount</b>	\$810

### THREE-EIGHTHS PAGE



One Run	\$921
Annual <b>30% Discount</b>	\$627

### QUARTER PAGE



One Run	\$614
Annual <b>30% Discount</b>	\$407



## PRINT SPECIFICATIONS

### Acceptable File Formats

We accept the following file formats:  
EPS, PDF, and PSD.

### Color and Resolution

Make sure you send files using the CYMK color space  
and at a resolution of 300 DPI.

### Common Problems to Avoid

Please check your ad for these errors:

- Incorrect dimensions
- Text outside the safety area
- Non-bleed ads that bleed (and vice versa)
- Low-resolution images
- Images not converted to CMYK
- Spot color/PMS used in the color space
- Position marks/color bars in the live area

### We Want to Print Your Ads Correctly

Late ads with problems or last-minute changes  
increase the chance of print error. Please make  
every effort to deliver your materials on time and  
to our specifications.

### Print Ad Production Contact

Todd Pitts, Ad Production Manager  
email • [Todd@GoodNewsMags.com](mailto:Todd@GoodNewsMags.com)

## Premium Positions

### BACK COVER



Bleed Size	9.25" x 11.125"
Trim Size	9" x 10.875"
Live Area	7.5" x 9.75"

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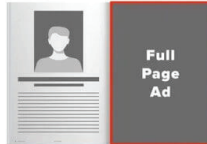
### INSIDE COVERS



Bleed Size	9.25" x 11.125"
Trim Size	9" x 10.875"
Live Area	7.5" x 9.75"

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### FULL PAGE



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Trim Size	9" x 10.875"
Live Area	7.5" x 9.75"

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## Special Sections

### TWO-PAGE / SPONSORED CONTENT



Bleed Size	18.25" x 11.125"
Trim Size	18" x 10.875"
Live Area	17" x 9.8808"

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### NON PROFITS SPONSORSHIP



Vertical	3.875" x 9.875"
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### TABLE OF CONTENTS



Vertical	3.875" x 9.875"
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## Fractional Sizes

### HALF PAGE



Horizontal	8" x 4.81"
Vertical	3.875" x 9.875"

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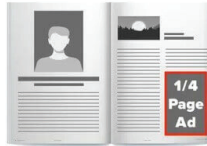
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### QUARTER PAGE



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# Your family and friends can be in this magazine.

Get your family and friends in our local  
magazine that covers only positive stories.



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family and  
friends online*

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