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Charles E. Boyk Law Offices Honors Al McEwen as Good News, Good People Winner

Al McEwen was recently chosen as the latest winner in the “Good News, Good People” Contest. Good News, Good People is a year-long program, sponsored by Charles E. Boyk Law Offices, that honors ordinary citizens who make an impact in their community.

Nominated by his grandson Matthew, Al was chosen because he has given well over 30 gallons of blood in his lifetime. In addition, Al frequently drives to Ann Arbor, Michigan, to pick up eye tissue for local Northwest Ohio eye surgeons.

According to Al, being an active part of the civic community just comes “naturally. “ He began his life of service, when he was stationed overseas in World War II. When he started his career at the Sun Oil Refinery he was in charge of the Blood Drives, was elected President of the Sun Recreation Center and served as secretary of his bowling league. He kept up his blood donations over the years, as a way give back to the community and country that has given so much to him. Over 90-years “young,” Al feels that doing things for others is a way to keep active. He was surprised to win the award because he felt like he was just “Being Al” and not doing anything special.”

“Giving Blood is easy. It takes less than a half-hour to give a pint,” he said. “Plus there's juice and cookies at the end!”

“Al is a true hero in my book,” said Charles E. Boyk. “His commitment to the community is something to be celebrated and we are honored to give him the Good News, Good People award.”

Al was given a \$100 gift card for his efforts, which he will use for gas money when he makes his trips to Ann Arbor.

About “Good News, Good People”

The “Good News, Good People” contest is a year-long program sponsored by Charles E. Boyk Law Offices. Here's how it works:

- If you know someone who goes above and beyond to better their community, nominate them to win.

- Nominate anyone who has a great story to tell—the volunteer at the local food shelter who puts in more time than anyone else, the teacher who stays late to help students with homework, the child who donated his or her allowance money to charity or anyone else who makes Northwest Ohio a better place to live.
- On the first and third Monday of every month, the Charles E. Boyk Law Offices will announce one person as the newest winner and we will share their story with the community.
- Each winner will receive a prize pack valued at over \$100 that is tailored to the person's story and interests. The winner will also receive a certificate commemorating their win.
- Nominators will be entered into a drawing for a "feel-good" prize of their own.
- Visit <http://www.goodnewsgoodpeople.com/> to download a nomination form and to read the stories of past winners.

About Attorney Charles E. Boyk

Charles E. Boyk has been a licensed attorney in the state of Ohio since 1983 and is the founder of the Charles E. Boyk Law Offices, LLC. Charles has handled thousands of personal injury cases ranging from small whiplash injuries to wrongful death claims. He is also the co-author of several books including *The Ohio Accident Book*, in which Charles provides information and tools that can help deal with insurance companies and the often inevitable and complicated litigation.

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