



Christian Women's Job Corps of Madison County

We had many reasons to celebrate in the year 2013 and we are excited about the next year!

Thanks be to God for His indescribable gift! 2 Corinthians 9:15

- Overall, CWJC served a total of **148** women this past year in the Huntsville/Madison County area through our resource referral services, job-readiness classes, mentoring program, and clothes closet.
- **56** students received services this year in the classroom phase of our spring and fall program.
- **27** students from 2011 continued to receive our services as they took part in the mentoring program.
- **7** Computers were given to our graduates. A donated computer provides the means for a graduate to continue to practice newly acquired computer skills, complete coursework for college or vocational training, and search for a job. We currently have a waiting list of **16** graduates who are eligible for a computer.
- All of our students received instruction in Microsoft Office at no cost. **21** hours of computer instruction in Word, PowerPoint, and Excel would cost approximately **\$800.00** each in a similar continuing education program. Depending on the site, our students were given anywhere from **27** to **50** hours of computer training.
- 3 graduates were given a car, allowing them to have reliable transportation to school and work.
- **56** Bibles were given to students.
- **86** of our students, graduates and others in the community were given countless articles of clothing from our career clothing closet. We expect this number to increase as the word is spread in the community that **our clothes closet is for anyone in our community with a need.**
- **17** students participated in the volunteer internship component, gaining important job skills and obtaining good references for pursuing future employment.
- **6** students enrolled in college or vocational training this year.
- **58%** of our students who graduated in **spring of 2013** are employed. Of that number, **73%** were hired for a new position or their work hours increased. **67%** of our students who graduated in **fall of 2013** are employed. Of that number, **33%** were hired for a new position or their work hours increased.
- We had **9** who attended our Quickbooks class, providing them with a foundation in accounting software.
- **100%** of our GED students who graduated in **fall of 2013** have improved either their math or English levels and one has already passed the GED!
- All of our students were shown that God desires a personal relationship with them and that He has a plan for their lives!