FEBRUARY 2026

What's Going on At WorldHelp®

Looking Ahead

Open Enrollment
When: Mid-February

Keep an eye out for more information coming about Open Enrollment 2026! The annual presentation and important deadlines will all be relayed in mid-February.

Important DATES

→ **Feb. 3 - In-person Morning Meeting**

Say Hello to Our New Team Members

Shawn Melis
Executive Director of Finance

Olivia Eshelman
Volunteer Coordinator Intern

Ava Mossman
Volunteer Coordinator Intern

Jacob Phillips
Facility Operations Intern

World Help Trivia

Which of our partner countries celebrates Valentine's Day by hosting mass weddings, often sponsored by government and non-profit agencies? In this tradition, couples come together and exchange vows simultaneously!

a. Uganda

b. Philippines

c. Honduras

d. Moldova

See if you got the correct answer at the end of the newsletter!

Employee HIGHLIGHTS

Get to Know Riley Yeatts!

Riley is our new Creative Coordinator in the Executive Department! When he's not creating content for Noel and World Help, he enjoys songwriting, music production, and performing. He also loves traveling — whether it's road trips across the country or hiking in his own backyard. His travels have given him plenty of opportunities to practice his photography skills!

But Riley can never stay away from home for too long — whenever he gets back, he always finds his dog, Olive, waiting for him! In fact, he thinks it would be cool to be able to talk to Olive — and all other animals. "I'd rather be Dr. Dolittle and speak to dogs, birds, fish, and more just so I can be the translator for them all!" Riley said.

Happy Birthday!

Maddie Trumble
Feb. 7

Allyn Lyttle
Feb. 22

Laura Cole
Feb. 23

Hannah Morgan
Feb. 28

April Veres
Feb. 29

Anniversaries

Jacki Dumminger
1 year

Thomas Segroves
2 years

Chasey Pittsley
2 years

Stephen Oesterheld
4 years

Amber Woodcock
11 years

Josh Brewer
16 years

Vernon Brewer
34 years

TECH TIPS & TRICKS

As the new year begins, the number of text scams is rising. Called "SMSishing" or "Smishing," these scams usually make a claim regarding a failed or delayed shipment. They often request information or money to release or expedite it.

If a shipment is delayed, confirm it via the tracking number. Never click links sent via text, even if you are expecting text updates. Most valid notifications will include the tracking number, not a link, and should never require you to give any personal information!

People in (B) the Philippines celebrate Valentine's Day with mass weddings!