

# Stamps united in new efforts

## Team partners with United Way

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The Calgary Stampeders rolled up their sleeves recently and worked with United Way at the Children's Cottage Crisis Nursery to design and paint a Stampeders-themed room.

Led by United Way player representative Nik Lewis, the Stamps launched an exciting new partnership with United Way on June 25.

Following the announcement, Lewis and some of his teammates volunteered their time and talent as part of a Day of Caring.

"I'm very proud to be a part of this partnership," says Lewis.

"The Stampeders and United Way are committed to the community we live in, and so am I. This Day of Caring at the Children's Cottage is just the beginning. Like the slogan says 'We are more than just football, we are United.'"

During the Day of Caring, Lewis and his teammates painted and furnished a Stampeders-themed bedroom at the Children's Cottage. The room was painted red and white, and then decorated with Stamps memorabilia.

Following the remodelling, the Stampeders spent time with the children at the Cottage's playground before attending a barbecue lunch.

Through the partnership, the Stampeders will be working with the United Way to raise awareness about the work both organizations do in the community and what other Calgarians can do to get involved.

The Stamps are committing their players and their influence in the community to help United Way build a great city for everyone.

"We are thrilled at the new partnership between United Way and the Calgary Stampeders. We feel by working together we can really make an impact in kids' lives," says United Way of Calgary and Area president Ruth Ramsden-Wood.

For more information on this or any of the Stamps community initiatives, log on to [Stampeders.com](http://Stampeders.com). For more information on the United Way, visit [calgaryunitedway.org](http://calgaryunitedway.org).

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