United Way Elgin Middlesex engages the community through various events and activities. Having your workplace take part in one or more of our signature activities is fun, adds energy and can make planning your campaign a little bit easier.

To learn more about dates and how to get involved, contact your United Way Staff Partner or visit https://unitedwayem.ca/events/list/

3M Harvest Lunch and United Way Elgin Middlesex Campaign Launch (mid-September)

London & St. Thomas locations

For decades, the 3M Harvest Lunch and United Way Elgin Middlesex Campaign Launch has been a staple in the community and kick-starts our new campaign season. Colleagues and friends will have a chance to reunite and reconnect over lunch, while enjoying the sounds of local, live music and giving back to the community at the same time.

United for Strategic Impact (mid-October)

This event brings together high-value donors and potential supporters to learn more about the key issues facing our community. We will hear stories from those working on the front lines and the people they work with, and answer some of the common questions people in our community ask and demonstrate that individuals can make an immediate difference, through their United Way donation.

TD StairClimb for United Way Elgin Middlesex (Early November)

For almost 3 decades, every November, thousands of people from hundreds of workplaces, organizations and schools have come together to take on the challenge of climbing over 450 stairs to show their local love. Teams have a great time while raising money in the largest single fundraiser for social services in our region, to help local people get through tough times and improve their lives.
United Way Special Events

Share the Love (February)
Share the Love, the 50/50 lottery for United Way is a fun opportunity to win a cash prize and help support local social programs and services in our community. Proceeds stay 100% local - always. When you win, we all win.

Labour Appreciation Awards Night
Labour Appreciation Award Night celebrates local Labour leaders and recognizes the grassroots activists in our community. This is an opportunity to celebrate the Labour partnership and our community.

ChangeMaker Awards (late May)
The event’s aim is two-fold, to recognize the incredible volunteerism and innovation of workplace champions and campaign teams within various workplaces across Elgin and Middlesex by selecting 10 winners in 10 different categories to win ChangeMaker Awards and to announce our next year’s United Way Campaign Chair.

Day of Caring (early June)
The annual United Way Day of Caring® event brings together dedicated teams of workplace volunteers to complete meaningful, hands-on projects at United Way funded agencies and programs.