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WWE (WORLD WRESTLING ENTERTAINMENT) "BAKING" A DIFFERENCE WITH OPPORTUNITY VILLAGE

LAS VEGAS - WWE stopped by Opportunity Village *Thursday, June 30* where they baked sugar cookies with some of the OV Ambassadors. WWE Global Ambassador Titus O' Neil and WWE Superstar Asuka, along with WWE correspondent Sarah Schreiber, were outfitted in official chef coats to cut, prep and bake Dessie's Table cookies in the bakery of Opportunity Village. Dessie's Table is a division and the newest business line for Opportunity Village.

Titus O'Neil detailed the WWE Community Champion program and the upcoming WWE "Money in the Bank" event taking place this **Saturday, July 2 at MGM Grand Garden Arena**. Opportunity Village's Ambassador + Mayor of Betty's Village, Lizzy interviewed the WWE Superstars during a Q & A session for a room full of OV participants. The day wrapped up with the WWE Championship Title being presented to fellow OV Ambassador Roger who is a lifelong wrestling fan.

WWE partnered with Credit One Bank, a longtime supporter of OV, making a \$10,000 donation to Opportunity Village.

About Opportunity Village

Mission: Opportunity Village is a not-for-profit organization that serves people throughout our community with intellectual disabilities, to enhance their lives and the lives of the families who love them.

Seven families who were determined to give their children with disabilities the best lives possible founded Opportunity Village in 1954. Now, more than six decades later, Opportunity Village is one of the most recognized and respected organizations of its type in the United States.

Nevada's largest employer of people with disabilities, Opportunity Village serves over 3,000 individuals annually, providing vocational training, employment, habilitation and social recreation programs and services that improve their lives.

People supported in Opportunity Village's Prevocational Training Programs and in jobs provided by the organization throughout the community, have collectively earned wages amounting to more than \$3.7 million in 2020. They are hardworking and diligent, proudly paying taxes and happily leading fulfilling lives.

Primarily a self-funded organization, Opportunity Village generates the majority of its operational funding through its employment contracts, multiple business lines, fundraising efforts such as the Magical Forest and Great Santa Run, and grants on the federal and state level, saving Nevada taxpayers more than \$37 million annually.

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