

"I think the knee-jerk reaction is that because you're optimistic, you're naive. Or that, because you're essentially cheerful, you're ignoring the pain of the real things that are going on. And that's just not the case. I weigh everything. But I can't help it that I wake up in the morning and think:

What good thing is going to come around?"

~Tom Hanks

### **INSPIRING IDEAS THIS WEEK FROM:**

### **One Hope United Waukegan**

Sharing some of the wonderful work that our One Hope United– Waukegan staff is doing!

WATCH THIS!



#### **INSPIRING IDEAS THIS WEEK FROM:**

### **Tazewell Woodford Head Start**

Miss Christina and Miss Alycia's friends are missing Head Start, but staying safe at home.

#### WATCH THEIR VIDEO!



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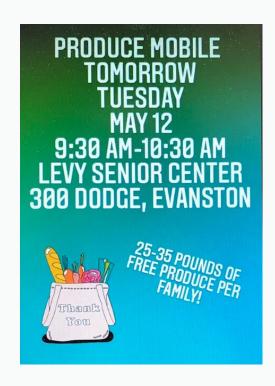
## **Metro Family Services**

Our friends at Metro Family Services have shared link for Saturday's Chicago Coalition's #SweetHomeChicago Relief & Recovery - an event which benefits nonprofits across the city offering #Covid19 humanitarian aid of food, homelessness, PPE and mental health.

CHECK IT OUT!

### INSPIRING IDEAS THIS WEEK FROM: Childcare Network of Evanston

Their ProduceMobile distributed free, fresh fruits and vegetables at the Levy Senior Center on May 12th, from 9:30-10:30 a.m. GREAT WORK!



#### **INSPIRING IDEAS THIS WEEK FROM:**

# **RPC Early Childhood Education**

These wonderful Family Child Care Providers are truly the best! They have been working to care for the essential workers children for the last 2 months! Today is Provider Appreciation Day and Michelle and I made a social distanced visit to let them know how much we appreciate them!









