

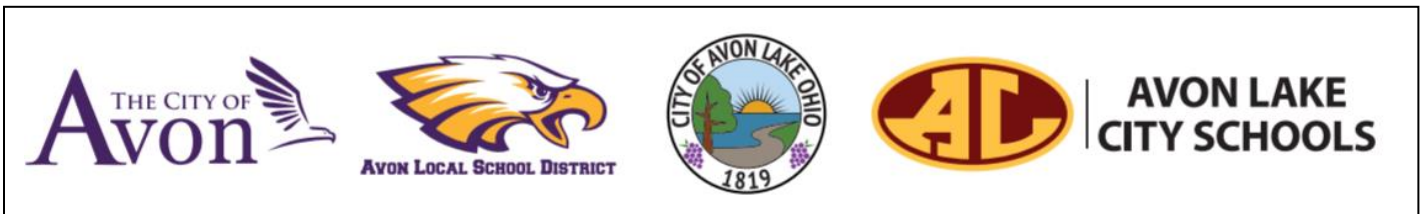
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These famous rivals come together to support healthcare workers in their communities.



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The Cities and School Districts of Avon and Avon Lake team up with local hospitals for the Covid-19 Heroes Fund, an effort to support local healthcare workers.



On Wednesday, April 15, we will launch a campaign called the Covid-19 Heroes Fund, which has been created to support our frontline workers who work tirelessly to protect our residents. The Cleveland Clinic, University Hospitals, and MercyHealth are participating with these two communities to show their gratitude toward these hospitals and their caregivers by making donations to the Heroes Fund, which will run until May 8.

There are three ways to give to the Heroes Fund: **1.)** Buying a gift card from an Avon or Avon Lake restaurant and donating it to the Fund; **2.)** Donating Personal Protective Equipment (PPE); or **3.)** Making a monetary donation.

If you want to help, or need additional information, here are the contacts for each city:

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