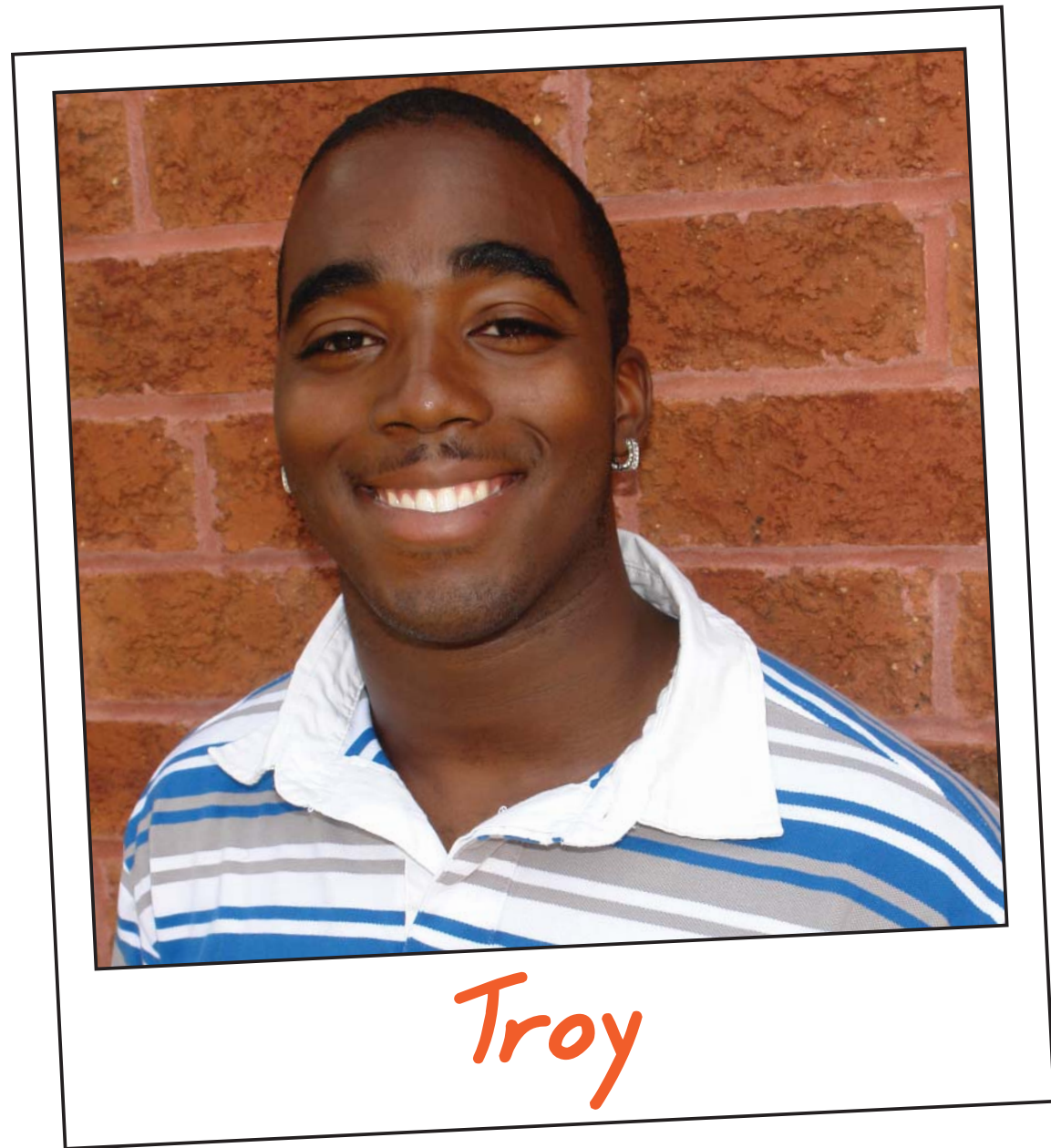
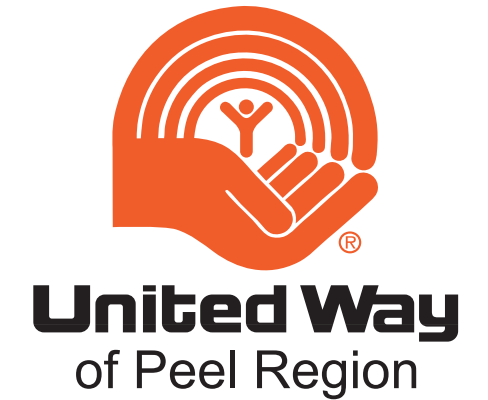


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At age 9 Troy Taylor felt a void in his life. His parents had separated when he was 4 and he had gone several years without a consistent male role model. As a result, he started to put less effort into his schooling and didn't have much faith or trust in commitments by male authority figures.

To fill the void and get Troy on the right track, his mom reached out to Big Brothers Big Sisters of Peel (BBBSP), a United Way funded agency. Initially Troy participated in group outings and activities. At age 10 he was matched with his first big brother through the One to One Friendship program. After being a little brother for nine years Troy graduated from the program.

Now 19 and studying mechanical engineering at the University of Guelph, Troy credits BBBS with making him the man he is today. Despite his busy schedule, he still makes time to serve as a youth mentor with BBBS as well as volunteer in his community.

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