



WELCOME!

Adventist Health and the Roseville Healthy City Coalition are proud to sponsor Roseville's 2012-2013 Holiday Community Needs booklet to assist in your charitable giving for the 2012 Holiday Season. Inside you will find the holiday needs of numerous nonprofit agencies that serve people in the Roseville area. We hope you find the booklet a helpful resource, not only during the holidays, but also throughout the year.

Roseville Healthy City Coalition's Vision:

The future of Roseville will rest on an uncompromising commitment to enhancing the quality of life and health of our community. Health is the state of well being. It is created by the balance of body, mind, and spirit, not merely the diagnosis and treatment of disease.

Good health embodies an exchange of rights and responsibilities between individuals and their community. Consequently, an informed, motivated, and actively participating community is vital to achieving our goal of a healthy Roseville. Ultimately, each person is responsible for their own health habits, as well as for promoting the health of others.

We, the people of Roseville, inspired by our vision of health, pledge ourselves to implement a wide range of economic, social, and environmental actions. These actions will be directed at strengthening individuals, families, and neighborhoods.

Adventist Health's Mission Statement:

To share God's love by providing physical, mental and spiritual healing.

Adventist Health's Vision:

Adventist Health will be a recognized leader in mission focus, quality care and fiscal strength.

Adventist Health's Values:

At Adventist Health we value:

- Compassion The compassionate, healing ministry of Jesus
- Respect Human dignity and individuality
- Integrity Absolute integrity in all relation- ships and dealings
- Quality Excellence in clinical and service quality
- Stewardship Responsible resource management in serving our communities
- Wholeness The health care heritage of the Seventh-day Adventist Church
- Family Each other as members of a caring family

HOW TO USE THIS BOOKLET

Please look through the booklet to determine which needs can best be met by your organization or employee group. When you have selected an agency, call the person listed for that agency and **tell them you saw their needs published in this booklet**. They will then work directly with you to coordinate your gift.

The needs have been put into eight categories. They are:

- ❖ Adopt-a-Family
- Christmas Baskets/Food Drives
- Christmas Party
- Gifts
- Special Holiday Volunteer Needs
- Toy Drive
- Very Special Holiday Needs
- Other Year-around Needs

QUESTIONS?

If you have any questions about this booklet, or know of an agency in the Roseville area that is not included in this booklet and might like to be included next year, please call **Jan Jones at 916.774.5207** or **Bonnie Webb-Casebolt at 916.781.4760** at your earliest convenience. We appreciate any information you can provide.

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ABUNDANT LIFE FELLOWSHIP (Adopt-A-Block Program)

The Adopt-A-Block Program is comprised of a group of people who meet twice a week and go door-to-door meeting many different needs in a specific community. These people are then invited to the Christmas production put on by Abundant Life Fellowship.

Agency Contact: Becky Milton

Contact Phone Number: (916) 783-1989, ext. 104

ADOPT-A-FAMILY

Number of Families: 100

Christmas Baskets: Non-perishable food items, stockings, Christmas candy

Gifts: Christmas decorations

Toys: Infant – 12 years old; boys and girls

CHRISTMAS BASKETS

Number of individuals: 100

Christmas Baskets: Non-perishable food items, stockings, Christmas candy

and decorations, possibly children's toys.

ABUNDANT LIFE FELLOWSHIP (Adopt-A-Block Program) -- Continued

GIFTS

Number of Individuals: 400 (250 children, 150 adults)

Types of Gifts: Brand new coats and sweaters for male and female adults.

New coats and sweaters for children.

Comments: We would like to provide every family from our program a

gift when they arrive at our Christmas production.

TOY DRIVE

Number of Children: 500 (infant to 13 years of age)

Types of Toys: Dolls, toy cars/trucks, biblical toys and gifts, games, Barbie

dolls, sports equipment (balls, etc.)

Comments: We are trying to provide a toy for each child we bus in to

our Christmas production.

BIG BROTHERS BIG SISTERS

Big Brothers Big Sisters is a non-profit agency serving Sacramento, South Placer, Yolo, Yuba/Sutter, and San Joaquin counties. Big Brothers Big Sisters matches children (ages 8-14) with mature adults for one-to-one friendship, support, and guidance. Children enrolled are primarily from single parent families and are in need of additional positive adults in their lives. This service is free. The organization is continually looking for adults to become Big Brothers or Big Sisters. Additional ways to make a difference are to provide volunteer hours, corporate gifts, donations and planned giving. There are currently 241 children matched, with about 89 children waiting to be matched.

Agency Contact: Rhonda Staley-Brooks

Contact Phone Number: (916) 646-9300

HOLIDAY GIVING

Food Baskets: Christmas dinner - turkey, stuffing, cranberry sauce,

potatoes and juice.

Gifts/Toys: Clothes- sweats, pants, sweatshirts, jackets etc. Toys,

board games, videos, etc.

Comments: We have a few families that will not be able to provide a

child with any Christmas. They can also use blankets and

bedding.

GIFTS

Number of Children: 50

Age Range: Ages 8-15.

Types of Gifts: Any type of toy (no guns please) or board game. Clothes -

sweaters, jackets, socks, gloves, hats, pants. Prefer new

and unwrapped.

Comments: We will be having an annual Holiday Party. It would be an

added contribution if we were able to provide gifts to the

children that attend.

YEAR-AROUND NEEDS

Special Needs: We are in need of consistent big brothers. We have over

100 boys waiting to be matched to a big brother.

Community Recovery Resources (Northern California Drug and Alcohol Treatment Services)

Community Recovery Resources (CoRR) is a non-profit organization. Our mission is to provide a full spectrum of programs focused toward reducing the social, health, and financial impact on our families and children from all types of drug abuse. CoRR has been saving and improving lives through substance abuse treatment and mental health services since 1974. Growing over the years to meet the needs of the community, CoRR now provides a full range of programs throughout Northern California communities in Placer and Nevada Counties. All of our programs have a primary focus on the family system. Please help Community Recovery Resources make a difference this holiday season.

Agency Contact: Traci Peters
Contact Phone Number: (530) 885-1917

ADOPT-A-FAMILY

Number of Families: 25

Food Baskets: Thanksgiving and/or Christmas Dinner

Gifts/Toys: Clothing and toys appropriate for the child's age (please

contact us for a listing)

Comments: Community Recovery Resources supports many families in

need. We are looking for individuals and businesses that are willing to adopt one or a few of our families this holiday season. All families are in the low-income range and are not able to provide a large holiday meal or presents for their children. Many of the gifts we are requesting are basic

clothing needs.

ADOPT-A-ROOM

Number of Rooms: 19

Community Recovery Resources' South Placer residential

treatment center needs your help to renovate the facility's bedrooms. Each room needs a complete renovation of furnishings including: a bed, sheets, bedspread, dresser,

closet, paint and carpet.

Community Recovery Resources --Continued

The room may be dedicated to honor an individual and/or business. Donations for individual pieces are also available. Our residential treatment services are for individuals seeking recovery from the devastation of drug addiction. It helps them begin to live a healthy lifestyle and provides family and community support. Many individuals we serve would otherwise be unable to access treatment services on their own.

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE INTERVENTION CENTER (DVIC)

The Mission Statement of DVIC is to provide proactive strategies that intervene on the cycles of abuse and violence. We are First Responders who offer culturally sensitive services to victims of abuse and trauma; and to reduce the impact of domestic violence on children.

Our services are free and long term and include:

24-hr crisis line

24-hr emergency shelter in a safe home

Education and support groups

Counseling (includes social services advocacy and referral links)

Legal advocacy and support

Counseling for kids

Response to law enforcement, ER requests

Senior services

Youth violence and trauma prevention (several programs)

Well Woman Warrior – support services, linkages for female war veterans

Agency Contact: Shannon Micoch, Outreach Coordinator

Contact Phone Number: **(916) 728-5613**

HOLIDAY GIVING

Food Baskets: We give our client a food basket with holiday meal (non-

perishable items).

YEAR-AROUND NEEDS

Special Needs: Food, laundry soap, blankets

Clothes for women, men, children and babies—all sizes

Hygiene products: bath wash, shampoo, hair brushes,

toothpaste

Teddy Bears: Each child that comes to our center is given a teddy bear from our Grandmother Gentle Bear Women's

Child Care Den.

Financial donations may be made at www.DVICcares.org which allows us to offer all our services free of charge to

everyone in need.

KIDS FIRST

Roseville Family Resource Center (RFRC)

The mission of *Kids*First is to end child abuse and neglect through outreach, prevention and intervention. *Kids*First changes lives and protects children by providing parents with the tools they need to cope with stressors that can lead to harming a child. *Kids*First is dedicated to seeing that all children live in a safe, healthy and nurturing home. Our no cost services include comprehensive family support services, health insurance enrollment, counseling services, parent and child development education, kinship services, financial stability assistance, and information and referral.

Agency Contact: Diana Martin
Contact Phone Number: (916) 774-6802
Fax (916) 774-2685

HOLIDAY GIVING & YEAR-AROUND NEEDS

Gifts & Supplies: Board games (family type): Clue, Monopoly, Battleship,

Connect Four, Chutes and Ladders, Candyland, Jenga,

Apples to Apples, Hi Ho Cherry-O

Arts and crafts supplies

Puzzles (educational and just for fun and child appropriate)

Bath and body products—all ages

Diapers—all sizes (especially sizes 4, 5 and 6)

Baby wipes, baby shampoo, baby lotion

Clothes—Infant and school age jackets, sweaters, pants, socks and shoes, fall clothing for both boys and girls in size 12 me through size 1

sizes 12 mo through size 4.

Homework Club Supplies, fruit snacks, 100% juice boxes, crackers, educational books, paper, pencils, notebooks

Gift cards from Target or WalMart

Parent Leadership Academy Supplies: coffee, water bottles, coffee cups, napkins, creamer, stirrers, crackers/snacks

NORTH ROSEVILLE R.E.C. CENTER, INC.

North Roseville R.E.C. Center is not just an organization it is a family. It is a place of hope for every child that walks through its doors. It provides light into every youth's life giving them a chance to dream big. Our mission is to sustain a healthy, stable environment that makes available to the children of the neighborhood a community center that provides educational, recreational and social services at no cost, in a positive atmosphere that will allow disadvantaged at-risk children to reach their full potential. In doing so, we create a positive impact on their lives now, and for the future.

Agency Contact: Caroline Nelson, Executive Director

Contact Phone Number: (916) 789-7884

Email: caroline@rosevillerec.org
Website: www.rosevillerec.org

TOY DRIVE

Number of Children: 150 - 250

Number of Adults: 60 – 100

Age Range: 0-17 years

Toys and Gifts Needed: Movie DVDs: Disney, comedy, kid approved movies

Balls: soccer, football, basketball and big bouncy balls Dolls: Barbie, Dora, and baby dolls and any accessories Action figures, animal figurines, play kitchen sets and dishes Play tool sets and accessories, locks for bikes, helmets Scooters, toy trucks, cars, planes, remote control cars Bikes, skateboards, books, crayons, coloring books, crafts Board games, computer games, video games, MP3, ipods USB drives, purses, jewelry, makeup, perfumes, art

supplies, jump ropes

Jerseys from sport teams: Kings, Forty-niners, Raiders

Gift cards (all varieties) Clothing (all ages)

Comments: This is our biggest need! We served over 50 families which

included over 200 children in 2011. The R.E.C. Center has worked diligently to provide for the community youth. We feel that Christmas time is a time of year we can show compassion and put a smile on a child's face. These are items many ask for but the parents can not afford. Without community help many children and families would go

without Christmas presents under the tree.

NORTH ROSEVILLE R.E.C. CENTER, INC.-- Continued

ADOPT-A-FAMILY

Number of Families: 150 served in 2011.

Food Basket: Enough food for a Christmas or Thanksgiving dinner

Gifts: Two to three gifts for each child and one for each adult. Gift

cards are always appreciated.

Comments: Gift cards, stockings and stuffers, Christmas trees and

ornaments are always nice. With permission from family

you can deliver.

CHRISTMAS BASKETS/FOOD DRIVES

Number of Singles: 30

Number of Families: 150

Needs: Turkey, hams, canned foods, meats, fruit, snacks, etc. We

use this food to provide baskets for families who did not get

adopted. We try to give enough food for three days.

Comments: We also provide dinner for 40-60 children every night

during the year in our after school program. We depend on the holiday food drive to sustain us throughout the year.

CHRISTMAS PARTY

Location: 313 High Street, Roseville (December date TBD)

Refreshments: Dinner (could be finger foods), cookies and punch.

Gifts: Age appropriate gifts for all children ages 3-17

Decorations: A Christmas tree and other decorations at the R.E.C.

Center

Comments: This party will be planned by the teen leadership group in

conjunction with the Roseville and Woodcreek Key Clubs.

NORTH ROSEVILLE R.E.C. CENTER, INC.-- Continued

SPECIAL HOLIDAY VOLUNTEER NEEDS

Comments: We are looking for people who would:

help pass out baskets
 pick up donations

3. help with outreach and Newsletter4. be warehouse sorters/packers

5. wrap gifts and decorate

OTHER YEAR-AROUND NEEDS

Categories: Fundraisers, holiday parties, art, community garden

Summer day camp, field trips

Volunteers Needed: To help implement REC programs such as:

Cooking classes
 Prepare daily meals

3. Art classes

4. Gardening and maintenance

5. Outdoor activities

6. Tutoring Homework Club

8. Fundraising

9. Administration or secretarial

10. Web page and computer administration

Special Needs: Outdoor equipment for youth (tetherballs, balls, etc.

Games Computers

Bottled water, juice, Capri sun, fruit cups

Plastic utensils and paper products (paper plates paper cups, napkins, paper towels, toilet paper)

Gifts for R.E.C.: School supplies, soccer nets, new lawn mower, gardening

tools, outdoor play equipment. If you would like to donate or get a bigger list of our needs please email us at:

caroline@rosevillerec.org

Comments: The North Roseville R.E.C. Center needs your help in

providing the tools to continue programs. We provide all services free to the community and we depend on

donations, grants and fundraisers.

PEACE FOR FAMILIES

PEACE for Families provides comprehensive services to Placer County victims of domestic violence and sexual assault. Our services include a 24 hour crisis line, an emergency shelter for battered women and their children, and victims' service centers in Auburn and Roseville. We provide individual, group and family therapy, case management, legal advocacy, court accompaniment, hospital accompaniment for sexual assault victims, and referrals to other resources. We lead violence prevention education efforts in Placer County with programs for schools, faith traditions and workplaces.

Our Mission: To end the legacy of abuse by providing survivors of domestic and sexual violence with services and resources, and to foster communities where abuse is not tolerated.

Agency Contact: Louise Czopek, Community Affairs Coordinator

Contact Phone Number: 530-823-6224

VERY SPECIAL HOLIDAY NEEDS

Describe special needs: 1. Robes for women, teen girls and boys (all sizes)

2. Pajamas and slippers for boys and girls (all ages)

3. Underwear and socks for boys and girls (all ages)

4. Sweat suits for women, men, boys and girls

5. Gifts/toys for boys and girls—especially teens

6. Household supplies and linens

7. Kitchen goods—plates, silverware, pots and pans

Comments: Women and children staying in our safe house fled from an

abusive environment and left behind most of their

possessions. Gifts that help them to re-establish themselves

are very special.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS

Number of Children: 40 Number of Adults: 30

Gift cards: Any store card, such as Target, Ross, Home Depot, KMart,

Grocery Store cards

Bus passes for Roseville, Auburn and Placer Transit

Gasoline cards

Haircut certificates, Manicure/Pedicure Certificates

PEACE FOR FAMILIES -- Continued

CHRISTMAS BASKETS/FOOD DRIVES

Number of Families: 26

Food Needs: Disposable roasting pan

Foil, storage bags Turkey and gravy

Ham

Side dishes (potatoes, green bean casserole, rolls, etc)

Dessert

YEAR-AROUND NEEDS

Food Needs: Pasta, rice, beans, sauces in jars, cereal, peanut butter and

Jelly, other non-perishable dry goods

Toiletries: Tissues, shampoo, conditioners, soap/body washes, new

hair dryers, curling irons/flat irons, brushes and combs

Cleaning Supplies: Bleach, floor cleaners, Windex, dish soap, Lysol,

disposable rubber gloves, carpet cleaner

Volunteer Needs: Crisis Line

Child care Legal advocacy

Support groups

Sexual Assault Response Team

Special events

Personal Needs: Calendars, day planners, alarm clocks

Baby Needs: Diapers—all sizes, baby wipes, large diaper bags, baby

powder/lotion, crib bedding, playpens, strollers

Other Needs: Bath/hand towels, washcloths, pillows, sheets

Comments: Women are most vulnerable to domestic violence when

they are pregnant or when leaving their abuser. Five babies came home from the hospital to the Safe House

this year.

PLACER COUNTY SPCA

The Placer SPCA is a private, not-for-profit organization dedicated to improving the lives of animals and people through our programs and services, such as our spay/neuter assistance, humane education and behavior programs. These services are vital to our community and help us ensure that the thousands of animals that come to us each year will not only find care and comfort while here at our facility, but also in their new homes. The Placer SPCA's mission is to enhance the lives of companion animals and support the human-animal bond. Our vision is that one day every adoptable companion animal in Placer County will have a loving home.

Agency Contact: Susan Willson

Contact Phone Number: (916) 782-7722, ext. 102

Website: www.placerspca.org

CHRISTMAS BASKETS/FOOD DRIVES

Number of Pets: 50 dogs / 100 cats

Comments: Dry and canned kitten and cat food (Science Diet brand

preferred).

CHRISTMAS PARTY / HOLIDAY OPEN HOUSE

Location: 150 Corporation Yard, Roseville

Date: December 6, 5:30 - 8:00 p.m.

Gifts: Canned kitten and dog food, dry kitten, cat or dog food

(Science Diet brand preferred) sturdy dog and cat toys, blankets (new or gently used), monetary donations, clay cat litter, dog treats, heating pads, kitten baby bottles, dish

soap, (KMR) Kitten Milk Replacement Powder.

Comments: Be our guest - Join us for a fun community open house with

live music, refreshments and good cheer!

PLACER COUNTY SPCA -- Continued

TOY DRIVE

Number of Pets: 50 dogs / 100 cats

Types of Toys: Rubber dog toys and nylon cat toys

VERY SPECIAL HOLIDAY NEEDS

Needs: Cage sponsors - \$1,000, \$500 or \$250 for dogs or cats/

critters (comes with recognition plaque for one year on

kennel/cage)

Guardian Angels - \$5 - \$5,000 to help with special medical

needs

SOS Emergency Fund donations of any amount to help

keep people and pets together

ROSEVILLE HOME START, INC.

The goal of Roseville Home Start is to successfully transition homeless families into affordable, sustainable, permanent housing and self-sufficiency. This is to be achieved through the development of a system of housing and support services that is comprehensive, flexible, accessible, and accountable.

Agency Contact: Michelle Curtis
Contact Phone Number: (916) 782-6667
Contact Fax Number: (916) 782-5849

WELCOME BASKETS

Laundry Baskets: Filled with small laundry detergent, paper towel, T.P., dish

soap, toilet brush, Lysol, comet, sponges and any other

cleaning supplies.

If your group could put together six baskets every three months that would be helpful. We could arrange pick up at

your location, if necessary.

VERY SPECIAL HOLIDAY NEEDS

Special Needs: Umbrellas, rain jackets and/or children's rubber rain boots.

or gift cards for WalMart, Target or Kohl's to purchase

appropriate sizes.

ADOPT-A-FAMILY

Number of Families: 25

Food Baskets: Non--perishable food items such as canned fruits,

vegetables, tuna, chicken, peanut butter, jelly, etc.

Toys: Age appropriate toys for ages 3-15. New, educational board

games, card games, books, pencils.

Comments: Gift certificates (for clothing, books, food, diapers, etc.)

from: Wal-Mart, Target, Borders, grocery stores, etc.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

This agency provides a dining room, food lockers, and emergency services to those in need.

Agency Contact: Jennifer Taylor Contact Phone Number: (916) 781-3303

ADOPT-A-FAMILY

Number of Families: 20

Food Baskets: Full Christmas dinner with dessert.

Gifts/Toys: Clothing and toys appropriate for the child's age.

Comments: Please call for ages and sizes.

CHRISTMAS BASKETS/FOOD DRIVES

Number of Families: 50

Food Baskets: Canned goods for Christmas dinner baskets and candy for

stocking stuffers.

Comments: These are for Christmas baskets to provide food for

Christmas dinners plus a couple of extra days.

TOY DRIVE

Number of Children: 100

Age Range: Newborn to 17 years.

Types of Toys: Any new toys for boys and girls of all ages, large or small.

Comments: Please mark the items "boy" or "girl" plus what age it is

appropriate for. Teenagers tend to be forgotten.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY -- Continued

VERY SPECIAL HOLIDAY NEEDS

toothbrushes,

Needs: Hygiene kits, razors, combs, shampoo, soaps, socks,

blankets and sleeping bags

Needs: We provide a hot Christmas dinner with all the trimmings for

anyone who comes, young and old. We are in particular need of turkeys, hams, potatoes, rolls, canned fruit and vegetables, stuffing mixes, and pies this Holiday Season.

SENIORS FIRST

We are a nonprofit, community-based agency serving Placer County seniors, their families and their caregivers. Our Mission is: **Keeping Placer County seniors independent.** To that end we provide the following services on a year-around basis:

- SENIOR NUTRITION PROGRAM
 - Meals on Wheels
 - 9 Senior Cafes
- TRANSPORTATION PROGRAMS
 - Door to Door Rides (errands)
 - Health Express (medical transportation)
- INFORMATION & ASSISTANCE
- FRIENDLY VISITOR PROGRAM
- HOME MODIFICATIONS & SAFETY REPAIRS
- HOUSING OPTIONS
- VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Agency Contact: Candace Roeder

Contact Phone Number: (530) 889-9500 ext 203

SPECIAL HOLIDAY NEEDS

Special Needs: Fresh Mandarins, lap blankets, slip-free slippers and socks,

magnifying glasses, children-made Christmas cards, knit hats, night lights, gloves, lights with timer or auto shut off,

robes, gift cards, supermarket cards

Comments: We provide a small gift to each of the seniors we serve.

For some, it is the only gift/greeting they receive

YEAR-AROUND NEEDS

Fundraiser: Organize & orchestrate a fundraiser for Seniors First

Volunteers: Volunteer for one of our programs, volunteer in our office

Ongoing Needs: Gas cards, grocery cards, funds

Wish List for Office: Gas cards, grocery cards, cash donations

SIERRA MENTAL WELLNESS GROUP

This agency provides service to very low income families. Please contact the agency if you would like to find out more about their services.

Agency Contact: Amy Alves
Contact Phone Number: (916) 783-5207

Contact Email: amya@sierramentalwellness.org

ADOPT-A-FAMILY

Number of Families: 10

Food Baskets: Christmas dinner, including dessert and a beverage (no

alcohol please).

Gifts: Perfumes, blankets, soaps, socks, sweatshirts/sweatpants

(sizes small to 3XL), shaving cream, razors, gloves, knit

caps.

Toys: Toddler toys, educational toys, Barbie dolls, dolls, trucks,

Lego's, nail polish, make-up, gift certificates.

Comments: As the majority of our clients are low income, any

assistance given to them in providing a Christmas for their

families would be very much appreciated.

CHRISTMAS BASKETS/FOOD DRIVES

Number of Families: 25

Food Baskets: Christmas dinner, including dessert and a beverage (no

alcohol please). Some of our families do not have the means to prepare a meal, so a pre-cooked meal from

Raley's, Safeway, etc., would be nice.

Comments: All of our families would be very appreciative of anything

they receive.

SIERRA MENTAL WELLNESS GROUP -- Continued

TOY DRIVE

Number of Children: 50

Age Range: Six months to 17 years of age.

Types of Toys: Learning, coordination and educational toys, diaries,

Lego's, nail polish and manicure sets, hand-held games, board games, make-up sets, hair ties, basketballs,

footballs, etc.

Comments: A lot of our children are either homeless or from single-

parent homes. Anything provided for them will be very

much appreciated.

OTHER YEAR-AROUND NEEDS

Comments: Gas or grocery cards needed. We also need non-

perishable food items, backpacks, school supplies and baby-care items for perinatal program and daycare. These items would be helpful in meeting the needs that

our clients struggle with throughout the year.

TEENAGE PREGNANCY AND PARENTING PROGRAM

The Teenage Pregnancy and Parenting Program provides ongoing comprehensive case management to pregnant and parenting teens to improve parenting skills and promote positive health outcomes.

Agency Contact: Joanne Evans Contact Phone Number: (530) 889-7151

ADOPT-A-FAMILY

Number of Families: 5+

Food Baskets: Traditional holiday meal foods, canned goods, baby food

formula, or meal gift certificates from a local grocery store.

Gifts: Personal care items, such as bath products, lotions, day

planners, jewelry and gift certificates for local stores.

Toys: Age-appropriate infant, toddler and preschool toys (prefer

no battery-operated or violent toys).

Comments: Clothing for winter (birth to 5 years and 14 to 20 years),

strollers, high chairs, and diapers in all sizes.

GIFTS

Number of Individuals: 50 teens, ages 14-20 years (males and females)

Type of Gifts: Personal care items, books, clothing, new or gently used

high chairs or strollers, diapers in all sizes, baby formula,

baby food, blankets and other household items.

TOY DRIVE

Number of Children: 50 (birth to 5 years of age)

Type of Toys: New educational toys, books, and games

Comments: No guns, knives, or other "violent" toys.

Toys that don't have batteries usually get used longer.

UCP OF SACRAMENTO AND NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

Life without limits for people with disabilities

UCP of Sacramento and Northern California is the leading provider of comprehensive services to children and adults with all developmental disabilities and their families. UCP works with 3,300 people a month in an eight county area, empowering children and adults who – without support – would be isolated from community.

UCP provides a layer of programs and services to children, adults and their families including a day program in Auburn, respite care to families with a family member having a developmental disability, horsemanship program and an independent living program for adults. It is committed to a quality service delivered in the safest manner possible.

Agency Contact: Tanya Hartle, Chief Operating Officer

Contact Phone Number: (916) 565-7700

Web site: www.UCPSacto.org

VERY SPECIAL HOLIDAY/YEAR-AROUND NEEDS

Special Needs: Give parents and other caregivers looking after a child with

disabilities the chance to run errands, take a break or relax

with other family members--\$25

Provide support for an adult with disabilities to connect to

community--\$50.00

Pay for a week of sessions at the UCP Autism Center for

Excellence--\$150.00

WHAT WOULD JESUS DO?, INC.

WWJD is a unique ministry to the homeless. We have three mobile vans staffed with volunteers who provide food to the homeless in Placer County. The Roseville van serves a hot breakfast meal six days a week, while the other two vans provide breakfast and food supplies several days a week to the homeless in the foothills. Additionally, volunteers with social work skills help homeless people connect with social services and programs that assist them in overcoming homelessness.

Agency Contact: Kathy Kossick Contact Phone Number: (916) 223-6990

CHRISTMAS BASKETS/FOOD DRIVES

Number of Individuals: 80

Christmas Baskets: Tarps, sleeping bags, backpacks, mosquito repellent, knit

gloves, socks, travel size shampoo, toothpaste, toothbrushes, deodorant, disposable razors, cough drops, sweat shirts (dark colors, large, X-large), plastic ponchos, prewrapped small food items, cookies, fruit (oranges, etc.).

Comments: We would like to give a Christmas basket to each homeless

person we serve on Christmas.