

12 Days of POWER GIVING
Running December 1st through 18th
For Adopt-a-Family /Food Drive

November 29, 2017

Dear Power Glen Families,

The holiday season is quickly approaching. This year, we are fortunate once again to have the opportunity for all students to voluntarily participate in supporting people in our community who are less fortunate and in need, by donating canned goods and various family items (clothing, toys).

The Adopt-a-Family program supports local families in need; whose children attend DSBN schools. We hope that the ***spirit of giving*** will touch each of us, and enable others to experience a joyful and plentiful holiday.

This year we are doing something a little different. Each classroom will be assigned one or two families that they will try to support. Please try to bring in items that match the needs of the specific families assigned to your child(ren)'s class. We will collect items from December 1st until December 18th.

Community Care ~St. Catharines & Thorold, is a non-profit organization that provides comprehensive emergency services to those in need. Services include, but are not limited to, food acquisition for the local food bank. Our goal is to provide each family we are sponsoring with a basket full of food, as well as, be able to help stock the food bank's shelves during this crucial time of need! We will be collecting non-perishable food items during the entire 12 days of giving.

Please feel free to contact Mrs. Ker if you have any questions or concerns.

Thank you for your support and encouragement!

Power Glen Staff

Helpful Suggestions for Power Glen Families

~Happiness does not result from what we get but, rather from what we give.~

1. Please remember that participation in this project is strictly voluntary.
2. Any contributions that are sent to school should be **new, unwrapped** items please.
3. Wrapping paper and tape would be greatly appreciated!
4. Gift cards are welcome! If you would like to send gift cards, we would suggest Walmart, The Superstore, Pen Centre, or any local grocery store.
5. Monetary donations are also welcome! Should you prefer to send in a monetary donation staff have volunteered to do the shopping.
6. If you wish to donate clothing, please include a gift receipt (if possible) in case they do not fit and need to be exchanged.
7. The basics are welcome and always needed (i.e., socks, underwear, pyjamas, toothpaste, shampoo, soap, etc.).
8. Please remember some of the special treat items when you are donating food to our families.
9. This year we are planning to assign each class one or two families, and hope that the class will work toward donating specifically to the needs of their particular family/families.
10. Please send your contributions by **Monday, December 18th**. This will allow time to sort and pack the baskets for pick up.

**Thank-you for all of your past help in making a difference in a family's life during the holiday season!
It would be very difficult to organize a project of this magnitude without your generosity and strong support.**

These are the items that are requested for the families that we are supporting this year.

Kindergarten – Lefebvre and Bruno

Family 1	Children	Grade	Size	Interests
	Girl	4		Manga, hatsune miku, japanese culture, books
	girl	4		Crafts, clothes

Family 2	Children	Grade	Size	Interests
	boy	6	12	magic
	girl	4		Crafts. Monster high
	girl	11	Adult XXL	
	boy	9	Young Mens M	
	girl	8		
Additional Info: No winter outwear - already provided				

Kindergarten – Krieger and Ramunno

Family 4	Children	Grade	Size	Interests
	boy	SK	6	Lego
	boy	4	10	Star Wars
	boy	Age 3	2	
	girl	Age 1	2	

Family 6	Children	Grade	Size	Interests
	girl	2		Crafts, lego
	boy	SK		
	girl	JK	6/7	Crafts, playdough
	boy			

Grade 1 & Fundamental Skills – McNaughton and Brens

Family 7	Children	Grade	Size	Interests
	boy	4		Video games, sports, lego, science kits
	Girl	2	Girls 6-7	LOL dolls, princess stuff, ponies, crafts, colouring

Family 8	Children	Grade	Size	Interests
	boy	SK	Boys medium	Toys, cars, sports
	boy	5		Cars, cars, cars (especially muscle cars)

Grade 1 – Linklater

Family 9	Children	Grade	Size	Interests
	boy	2	7/8	Dinosaurs,
	girl	Age 1	18 mo	
	boy	1	Boys 8-10	Superheroes, lego, video games
Additional Info: baby girl (1)				

Grade 2 – Draayer

Family 11	Children	Grade	Size	Interests
	Girl	2		Unicorns, Art, LOL dolls
	boy	SK		
	boy	5		Pokemon, Comics, Nintendo DS, video games, basketball, Mario, sonic the hedgehog

Grade 2/3 – Haight

Family 13	Children	Grade	Size	Interests
	boy	SK		Sports, hockey
	boy	2		Sports, hockey,
	boy	8		
	boy	6		

Additional Info: Older boys have MD (older boy in wheelchair)

Grade 3 – Pasquale

Family 14	Children	Grade	Size	Interests
	girl	3	Girls 8-10	Books (chapter books, journals /writing), crafts, monster high, hair stuff
	boy	Age 1	12mo	
	girl	Age 2	3T	

Grade 3/4 – DaCosta

Family 15	Children	Grade	Size	Interests
	boy	JK	5	Trains, Lego
	girl	6		Music, singing, reading
	boy	10		tech
	boy	Age 1.5		

Additional Info: baby brother (2)

Grade 4 – Millin

Family 16	Children	Grade	Size	Interests
	girl	8	Small	Hair stuff, nail polish/kit, athletics
	girl	Age 4		

	girl	Age 1.5		
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Grade 5 – Brown

Family 17	Children	Grade	Size	Interests
	boy	4	14	Tech, games, Pokemon, soccer
	girl	2	Size 8 , M	-Arts, crafts -kittens -journaling

Grade 5/6 – Robinson

Family 19	Children	Grade	Size	Interests
	boy	6	Kids 12-14	Sports (especially soccer), active games, penny hockey
	boy	9	Adult M	

Grade 6 – Ker

Family 20	Children	Grade	Size	Interests
	boy	2	7-8	Pokemon, lego,
	Girl	1	7	crafts

Family 21	Children	Grade	Size	Interests
	girl	6	10	Sketchbooks, books on how to draw anime and/or animals; unicorns
	boy	7	Adult M	Hockey, basketball, history

Grade 7 – Pisek

Family 23	Children	Grade	Size	Interests
	Boy	5		Sports (soccer, basketball), cars, tech., computer games

	girl	1	8	Art supplies
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Grade 7/8 – Gill

Family 24	Children	Grade	Size	Interests
	boy	JK		
	boy	Age 3		
Additional Info: I think there is a younger brother (2?)				

Grade 8 – Whittal

Family 25	Children	Grade	Size	Interests
	girl	8	large	
	boy	jk	6/7	magnets
	girl	8	medium	

Grade 8 – Keeping

Family 27	Children	Grade	Size	Interests
	boy	8	Adult S	
	girl	4	12	Dresses, arts & crafts

Family 28	Children	Grade	Size	Interests
	boy	7	Adult M	Relaxation colouring books, I-tunes cards
	girl	2	8	Unicorns, arts and crafts, sparkle, lol dolls, colouring