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BETWEEN ISSUES

NCJW, Greater Kansas City Section M. E. Pearson School Holiday Angel Project

NCJW, Greater Kansas City Section, is in its fourth year of adopting the students of M. E. Pearson Elementary School in Kansas City, Kansas. This school, built for 550 students, has a current population of approximately 803 students. Most of these students live at or near the poverty level.

October 2003

NCJW Kids & Teachers = School (KATS) Project includes support of M. E. Pearson's annual holiday **ANGEL PROJECT**. This project, now in its 8th year, can only succeed with the help of people like you who will open up your hearts.

Each year, the students of M. E. Pearson are asked to name the one gift they would like to have for Christmas. *Many of these children will receive no gifts for the holidays without the ANGEL Project.* This year, the school has students in pre-K through 5th grade. Each class has an average of 25 students - with a total of 39 classes. This seems like a big task, but if we work with others taking one student or one class at a time we can be successful.

Please complete and return the form below to let us know of your participation.

Lisa Montague, Chair

Ellen Dalen, President

ANGEL PROJECT INFORMATION

1. The M. E. Pearson Angel Project supplies gifts to each student.
2. Students write their gift request on the back of a "paper angel."
3. The gift must not cost more than \$25.00.
4. Sponsors are asked to try and give the requested gift, but substitutes are accepted.
5. In lieu of a gift, sponsors may write a check and NCJW will purchase the gift.
6. The gifts are to be wrapped and returned to NCJW by **Thursday, December 4th.**
7. The gifts will be distributed to the children the day before the holiday break.

Detach and return to NCJW, 5750 W. 95th St., Suite 118, SM, KS 66207 by Nov. 6th.

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____ Zip _____

We/I am happy to support _____ (#) students through the ANGEL PROJECT.

(A student's wish list will be sent to you after receipt of this completed form.)

Gifts are to be delivered to the NCJW office by **Thursday, December 4, 2003**

_____ I want to participate, but do not want to shop. Enclosed is \$25 per student.

_____ (your signature) *Donations are tax deductible.*

**WOMEN HELPING
WOMEN**

October 22, 2003

Your \$20 check is your reservation. For questions call the office (913.648.0747).

**NEEDED: HELLO ISRAEL
PRESENTERS**

Please call Phyllis Green, 345.9939, or Barbara Cosner, 381.5365 if you are interested in becoming a presenter.

**PARTIES FOR THE
BLIND**

October 21, 2003

November 18, 2003

December 16, 2003

THANK YOU!

A big thank you to Barbara Cosner and Berenice Haberman for chairing our successful *Honey for Rosh Hashanah* project. Thank you also to all of our valued members who volunteered.

**DO YOU HAVE
TIME TO VOLUNTEER?**

- Thriftique - 10/29-11/2/03
- Benchmark Luncheon-1/21/04
- Roe v. Wade Day - 1/22/04
- Interfaith Luncheon - 3/3/04
- Night with the Chefs - 4/18/04
- Awards Evening - 6/13/04
- Roses for Passover and Mother's Day
- Parties for the Blind

THRIFTIQUE

What is not BECOMING to you should BE COMING to Thriftique! Please save your designer, nearly-new clothing (on hangers), furs, bric-a-brac, furniture, et al.

Intake 10/17-18-19

Members Sneak Peak - 10/29

Sale - 10/30 thru 11/2

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