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Kiwanis Club of Oak Brook	5	Kiwanis Golf Outing	18 hole golf outing that include raffle prizes *includes 50/50 raffle, Prizes are donated through local businesses in cooperation with Village of Oak Brook Golf Course	Help kids that deserve the same opportunity as the typical child	2 yrs.	40 per yr.	Rob Best	773 263-4613	kiwanisoakbrook@gmail.com
Kiwanis Club of Western Springs-Hinsdale	5	After School Program	Club puts together backpacks with school supplies, Club buys everything then check children together with their siblings to make sure they have supplies and cloths		2 yrs.	12 or more	Marie Hopkins	708 246-0489	mariehpt@yahoo.com
Kiwanis Club of Northlake	6	Books are Magic	Every December the Club provides free books to any child who visits the "Kiwanis Bookstore" at the annual Holiday party sponsored by the City of Northlake and Veteran park District. These books are purchased from First Book and are top quality.	Simple gesture of choosing their own books make a difference in the life of a child.	20 yrs.	450	Nancy Tobin	708 305-3008	golfgoddess45@comcast.net
Kiwanis Club of River Forest/Oak Park	6	Go Baby Go	This project involves retrofitting motorized toy cars so the children can operate them and gain mobility	Using technology to help children who have disabilities, promoting their development	2 yrs.	12 Children	Bill Piper		
Kiwanis Club of Lindenhurst/The Lakes	7	Kiwanis Community Garden	The Kiwanis community garden provides fresh produce for the Lake Villa Township Food Bank. Approximately 100 families (300 people) rely on the food bank for help each month. The Club has partnered with the Allendale Association, a non-profit organization that is a home to over 150 boys and girls age 7-21. Allendale students grow the starter plots at the school's greenhouse. They then help plant the garden and help with maintenance in the summer, Kiwanis members also help with watering & weeding throughout the year. The local library's Friends of the Library Club provides recipe cards for the food bank. The Club has a banner at the garden that says "Kiwanis Community Garden" so that the Club is identified with the garden & food bank.	Providing healthy food, nutritional information to the community along with working side by side with area youth. Enhances the lives of hundreds of local residents	5 yrs.	100 families	Dennis Dean	847 987-4480	dennismdeanlutcf@yahoo.com
Kiwanis Club of Bloomington-Roselle	8	Food Bank Delivery to Humanitarian Service Project	Caputos has packed food bags at checkout that shoppers can purchase as a donation. The Club picks the bags up and delivers them to HSP for distribution to needy families	Easy project with a huge benefit	2 1/2 yrs.	100s	Ron Sorenson	312 231-0500	
Kiwanis Club of Park Ridge Morning	8	Ongoing Support of the Harbour Garden, Christmas Party, Building Support	The Harbour is a social service agency located in unincorporated Cook County which serves homeless at risk young women. We sponsor various events during the year to provide on-going support		10+ yrs.	30+	Jay Terry	847 293-2635	terrypenak2@comcast.net
Kiwanis Club of Elmhurst	9	Playground for Everyone	Coordinated with and assisted the Park District of Elmhurst to build a playground with equipment suitable for kids of all ability levels and with all kinds of special needs.	Empowers and enables bridge-building, connection and understanding among children of all capabilities	3 yrs. & into the future	15,000 youths	Anne Quigley	630 723-8920	anne@pureharmonymassage.com
Kiwanis Club of Elmhurst	9	Easter Seals	The Easter bunny visits Easter Seal and provides baskets and a Easter Bunny visit		Children served at Easter Seals facility	60	Ron Teuber	630 834-8561	teuberr@comcast.net
Kiwanis Club of Lombard	9	Time for Tots	Provide photo IDs and DNA kits to children/parents to assist communities in identifying and tracking children. Part of a community-wide children's fun/education program	Photo ID and home DNA testing kit for each child	Elementary school children	200 grade school children	Greg Gron		
Elgin Golden K	10	Food Pantry	Provide transportation from the South Elgin Jewel to food pantry each Monday & Thursday. Provide help in food distribution on Monday, Tuesday & Thursday. Also provide transportation of food from other stores and the Northern IL Food Bank and monetary donations to support the pantry	Helping to feed the hungry children of Elgin	30 yrs.	27,000 in 2015	Bill Kennedy	847 630-9484	bwkenn@sbcglobal.net

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Kiwanis Club of Elgin	10	Kiwanis Park	In cooperation with the City of Elgin's Park & Rec Department & the Housing Authority a gazebo was constructed in a neighborhood park. Here needy children are served lunch throughout the summer. Aktion Club members help serve. The Club has since added a swing set, landscaping and a fence. It was renamed Kiwanis Park and there are over 2000 lunches served each summer and many families enjoying the park	Cooperation with local agencies and organizations add strength to a project that otherwise may seem too expensive to achieve alone or in a timely way.	3 yrs.	100+/yr.	Rick Poulton	847 977-4541	rpoulton@prodigy.net
Kiwanis Club of Elgin	10	Reading Buddies	Partner with the United Way of Elgin to read to preschoolers one morning per week	The children, teachers and readers really enjoy it, helps with their reading skills and keeps them occupied until school begins	4 yrs.	20-40/yr.	Rick Poulton	848 977-4541	rpoulton@prodigy.net
Alpine Kiwanis Club	12	Special Olympics Spring Games	Provides manpower for parking, security, food prep, timers, huggers, awards, for athletes from all over Northern IL		25 years	600+ people	Randy Larson	815 289-3959	
Alpine Rockford Kiwanis Club	12	Love Basket	Provide free baskets of food for needy families		15 yrs.	250 people served	Kathy Vigna		
Freeport Golden K	12	Gold Meals	Serve Meals in dining room of Northwestern Illinois Community Action Agency that serves families in poverty	Helping feed those in poverty	15	40/day (M-F)	Larry Edwards	815 297-5280	larry.47@outlook.com
The Parks, Loves Park Kiwanis Club	12	Gigi's Playhouse	Donations of monies and attend Friday night gatherings. Be a presence to sit with, dance, play games, etc. for working Down Syndrome children & adults	Makes one aware of how loving, caring & giving these individuals are	4 yrs.	100+	Andrew Urnezisa	815 505-9956	urnezisa@gmail.com
Kiwanis Club of Rockford	12	Budding Artists	An annual gala event which provides senior high school artists with an opportunity to display and sell their work. The pieces are auctioned and 1/2 of the sale price goes to the artist 1/2 to the Club which are used for scholarships and donate \$250 to each school's art department	Promotes artists & encourages young artists with the tangible result of actual sales	3 yrs.	Several hundred children & families	Don Terasaki	815 871-2005	chemman7834@gmail.com
Kiwanis Club of Byron	13	Family Reading Night @ Mary Morgan Grade School	To encourage literacy and parent/family involvement. Kiwanis partners with staff/leadership at school. All kindergartners and their families are invited on a week night from 5:30-7:30PM for free dinner, interactive activities and reading opportunities. Coincides with Kiwanis Read Around the World and Dr. Sues birthday. All students receive free tot bag w/ Kiwanis logo. Children attending receive free book, stickers and pencils. Asked local bank to help underwrite cost. Kiwanis & Key Club members volunteer. Used 5 different rooms and rotated groups of children & their families every 20 minutes. High school drama club "sponsored" one room/activity. Teachers/staff also volunteer. Club designed & printed t-shirts for the event. Club underwrote cost of bags, school paid for dinner,		1 year	300 grade school/kindergarten students and their families.	Michelle Albert	815 985-5102	Malbert6@comcast.net
Kiwanis Club of Sterling	13	Coats for Kids	Raising funds with community help in purchasing a new coat for a child in need	Very humbling	14 yrs.	500+ All kids in the community	Deb Kinnicutt	815 622-2839	barah@comcast.net
Kiwanis Club of DeKalb	14	Annual Corn fest corn roasting booth	Free standing corn roaster-roasts corn. 2 types served: buttered/Mexican. Added a root beer stand with float option		50 yrs.	Entire community over 3 day of festival 2000/yr.	Tarryn Thaden	815 751-4719	tthaden@gmail.com
Kiwanis Club of DeKalb	14	Flag Project	Club places a US flag in donor yards on 5 flag day holidays throughout the city. This is both a service & fundraising activate	The thank you we receive when putting out flags	15+ yrs.	200 households/year	Gary Vandermeer	815 756-8905	gvdmeer@comcasr.net
Kiwanis club of Kishwaukee-DeKalb	14	Food Packaging for Feed My Starving Children	Club assists other community groups in packaging 1000s of meal for children around the world.	Great feeling of helping children get nutritious food	4 yrs.	Thousands	Jerry Wahlstrom	815 757-7867	gwahl@aol.com
Kiwanis Club of Galena	15	4th of July Parade & Fireworks	Club hosts and stages parade , provides music until dusk when fireworks display	Unites community. Publicity for Club's other projects: scholarships, \$100/month donations, other community projects	21 yrs.	4000, All ages, local to tourists	Theresa Riniker	563 845-1809	tmriniker@gmail.com

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Kiwanis Club of Camanche	16	Bicycle Safety	Bicycle safety provides tools & practice for safe bicycle riding & helmet for each 3rd & 4th grade student	Provide family friendly activity. Encourage safety for Camanche bicycle riders	7+ yrs.	100+	Pam VanZuiden	563 340-0809	pfvz@yahoo.com
Kiwanis Club of Camanche	16	Halloween Mardi Gras	Lunch provided to everyone in each family, games, contests. 1 toy given to each child, then 6 bicycles are given away		22 yrs.	132/yr.	Pat Haley	563 259-8646	haley347@q.com
Kiwanis Club of Davenport Noon	16	Special Olympics	Hand out ribbons to the participants		30+ yrs.	Unlimited	Bob O'Brien	503 370-8645	Bowserob8@gmail.com
Kiwanis Club of Davenport Noon	16	Ride the River	Hand out bike lights and bike bells to children	Bike safety for kids	30+ yrs.	Unlimited	Bob O'Brien	503 370-8645	Bowserob8@gmail.com
Kiwanis Club of Fulton	16	Fulton Family Fun Night	Organize 2 hour of games and entertainment for the community			150-200 community members	Larry Russell		
Kiwanis Club of Fulton	16	Christmas Toy/Present Project	Raise funds, buy presents, wrap and give them to families at Christmas			150-200	Larry Russell		
Kiwanis Club of Kewanee	17	Good Fellows Baskets	Our Key Clubs (2) and Kiwanis Club hold fund raising tag days at Walmart seeking corporate sponsorships and advertise on radio/newspaper for donations of non-perishable food during Oct. & Nov. In Dec, faculty, Key Club and Kiwanis members receive cardboard boxes and the high school gym is used for 1 week to have volunteers fill boxes totaling over 1000 boxes. Boxes are then delivered to homes. Needy families are identified by Salvation Army	Promotes the good that Kiwanis and Key Clubs perform	20+ yrs.	over 7000 people	Rev Dr. Dale Dykstra	815 866-5110	daleadr_dykstr_373@comcast.net
Kiwanis Club of Moline	17	Gaga Ball Pit Build	Align with organization (YMCA, church, youth based community organization and ID a need for outdoor activities (gaga ball pit) Kit is treated wood panels, screws & labor	Kids loved playing Gaga ball	1 yr.	100s	Cathie Rochau	309 428-1222	catroc@sbcglobal.net
Kiwanis Club of Rock Island	17	Rock Island-Milan First Day Fund	Kiwanis provides school supplies to all schools in the Rock Island-Milan School District. Over 70% of these students are on free or reduced lunches. Parents do not have the extra funds needed to buy supplies. Kiwanis provides for everyone to start school on a level plane.	Students are the real winners and that makes the community a better place to be.	4 yrs.	4500+ students	Sheila Guse	309 230-5801	mothergoose612011@hotmail.com
Kiwanis Club of Burlington	18	Shamrock Shuffle	Although this is a fundraiser it is a family friendly 5K run/walk. It is not timed & we offer "bursts of color" on the course. Each year we've had over 1000 participants and raise \$21-25K/yr.	Offering this as untimed & family friendly has encouraged children to participate	3 yrs.	1000+ over 3 yrs.	Melissa Jones	319 759-4162	mjones@grhs.net
Kiwanis Club of Burlington	18	Pancake Breakfast	Cook and serve pancakes & sausages to over 3500 on Memorial Day weekend. It is a family meeting event		28 yrs.	3,500/yr.	Jeff Strause		
Kiwanis Club of Abingdon	19	High Honor Banquets & Scholarships	Club holds banquets that are free to children and minimal cost for parents, etc. to receive recognition for good grades & achievements in sports, achievement, music & arts. Scholarships for graduating, and seniors are given out.	Acknowledgement of children's hard work & gives parents a chance to also build their parents morale and pride in self		250-300 students & Parents/yr.	Vicky Jones	309 462-3637	vickyjones804@gmail.com
Kiwanis Club of Macomb	19	Kiwanis Reading Program	The Club donates \$1,000 to Macomb grade schools to purchase new books for the library. Then once a month members read to the classrooms and interact with the students	Encouraging/supporting reading in the children of the community		80-100 students	Cassy Grant	309 221-8947	caseygrant83@gmail.com
Southwest Kiwanis Club of Peoria	20	Partnership with Peoria school/Day Treatment School - adopted formally	Children w/behavior IEPs who cannot function in normal school setting. Guided by leadership team made up of school staff & Kiwanis members. Hands on mentoring, tutoring (Math, English & Reading). Classroom adoption by individual members. Area events (e.g. fishing derby, community garden)	New enthusiasm by members, Great PR-To, newspaper covered the formal ceremony-Kids benefit	New Project (6/9/16)	100 children	Kathie Raiborn	309 657-6503	kraiborn@rng3.com
Kiwanis Club of Farmer City	22	Multiple Projects	School Back Packs, Kidde Tractor Pull, School Health & Safety Fair, Weedman & South Park Playground Equipment, Farmer City Christmas Parade Float, Food Pantry & Clothes Closet				Dave Bowman	217 620-6001	coder1948@gmail.com
Kiwanis Club of LeRoy	22	Elderly Fruit Baskets	Put together small fruit baskets & deliver them on Saturday before Thanksgiving to people 80 and older.	Smiles & "Thank you"	10 yrs.	25/yr.	Mike Eppley	309 533-4502	suzme93@gmail.com
Kiwanis Club of LeRoy	22	Angel Tree	Place Christmas trees at local businesses with numbered tags. Each tag is for a specific family with info with family member ages, sizes, needs, wants, kid's interests. People take tags, buy and wrap items an return them to where they got the tag. Club collects items and distribute.	Knowing needy families in the community will have at least one good day during the Holidays	10 yrs.	200	Mike Eppley	309 533-4502	suzme93@gmail.com

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Kiwanis Club of Lexington	22	Give & Take	Clothing and toys are donated. All clothing is put out on tables at community center. Anyone can take or donate. Leftovers are donated to a pastor in Meadows. The remaining clothing is transported to an Indian reservation	Brings people together and has lasting benefits. Helps children who are school bound.	4 yrs.	130 community members	Dave Daniel	309 365-8375	davedaniel1066@gmail.com
Kiwanis Club of Bloomington	22	Camp Limberlost	1 week of camp at Lake Bloomington. Send 125 kids to a week long camp in June. They are recommended by their school (teachers as those children needing a social experience, teamwork, leadership, help making friends) ** Longest continuous service project in all of Kiwanis International *	Successful school years to follow - follow up with teachers	85 yrs.	125 School children ages 8-10/year	Andrea Raycraft	309.585.2216	lioffice@iikiwanis.org
Kiwanis Club of Champaign-Urbana	25	Kiwanis Tom Jaies Challenger League Baseball	10 baseball teams sponsored by local businesses play games on Saturdays on Tuesdays from May 1 to June 30. One Tuesday during the season is Celebrity night with "celebrity" buddies. Illini Night features		19 yrs.	100/yr.	Doug Fink	217 714-5204	procom1@comcast.net
Kiwanis Club of Clinton	27	Write Stuff For Kids	Stuffing bags with school supplies for children	Helps children/students feel more accepted if the children have the needed school supplies when school starts	15 yrs.	400 Children	Richard Kaufman	217 433-4085	rkaufman56@frontier.com
Decatur Early Birds	27	Book Project	Club purchases new & gently used books & distributes to young children at two events each year. At Race for the Cure & Heart Walk set up tables to hand out books and a Kiwanis bookmark	Gets Kiwanis name out to parents of young children & makes sure kids have books to read	2 yrs.	50+ children	Mark Wood	217 412-2016	mwood@mekepa.com
Decatur Golden K	27	Kiwanis Park Cleanup	Clean up Kiwanis Park, raking mulching, painting, planting	Park District Parkworks	10+ yrs.		Dan White	217 454-7422	dan942@comcast.net
Decatur Golden K	27	Dictionary Project	Works with AT&T to give dictionaries to 3rd grade students		20 yrs.	100 Youths	Dan White	218 454-7422	dan942@comcast.net
Decatur Golden K	27	6th Grade Basketball Programs (Boys & Girls)	Club furnishes gym, refs and equipment for city-wide camp and tournament which culminates with finals played at Millikin University	Sportsmanship, Knowledge and that "we" care. A safe place to play and meet other kids		400-600 kids plus family members	Charles Smith	217 454-2277	crsmith@millikin.edu
Decatur Golden K	27	Elementary School Project	BUG program, Dictionary project working with AT&T to distribute dictionaries to 3rd grade students	Elementary school students	20 yrs.	100 Children	Dan White/Cheryl Boss	217 454-7422	dan942@comcast.net
Kiwanis Club of Tuscola	27	Tuscola Easter Egg Hunt	A woman's group had done the Hunt for Tuscola but then disbanded & asked Kiwanis to take over 5000 eggs, gifts, Easter bunny, local beauty queens participate, etc. Key Clubbers help	We do the work but need to better "brand" the event	4 yrs.	250-300 children	Pat Damler	217 621-4028	pdamler@kiwanis.org
Kiwanis Club of Tuscola	27	Secure Document Shredding	Bring in a commercial secure document shredder truck to provide free document shredding to Tuscola residents	Great Club PR	2 yrs.	100/yr.	David Butler	217 253-5107	dbutler@tuscolakiwanis.org
Kiwanis Club of Tuscola	27	Food Drive	Kiwanis members walk neighborhoods & collect food, drive the food to the food pantry, sort food and load shelves		Many		Pat Damler	217 253-9216	pat.damler@netcare-il.com
Kiwanis Club of Northern Macoupin County	30	Breakfast with Santa	1st Saturday in December, picture of child with Santa free with the purchase of pancake breakfast. Photos are emailed or printed and given to parents.	Good Christmas Spirit project	15yrs	60/yr.	Gloria Pitchford	217 415-2918	gpitchford@isds.org
Raymond-Harvel	30	Raymond Park District Support	Support of the Raymond Park District by providing & maintaining for younger children, tennis courts, baseball, softball & soccer fields for older youths	Community awareness	?	200 Elementary Jr & Sr High youth	Larry Moslener	317 670-0614	
Kiwanis Club of Edwardsville	31	T.H.A.N.K.S (To Help A Needy Kid)	Provide Christmas gifts/gift cards, etc. to needy kids within community unit school District 7. Shop for cloths, etc. Needy children/families are identified by Dist. 7 school nurses		6 yrs.	100+ needy children/year	Roger L. Huber	618 973-5644	rhuber42@att.net
Kiwanis Club of Glen Carbon	31	Summer Library Activity Programs	The Glen Carbon Library operates weekly programs during the summer months. Kiwanis sponsors the two most expensive programs that are offered free to residents.	Serving children and happy faces	24 yrs.	50	Ben Maliszewski	618 910-8703	benbest@aol.com
Kiwanis Club of Glen Carbon	31	Santa & Mrs. Claus Visits	Club provides members to visit children and parents to get all into the Holiday Spirit. Children get to give Santa their wish list. While waiting the "elves" provide cookies for decorating and Holiday craft making& time visiting therapy dogs	Total family event	12 yrs.	150+	Mark Sedlacek	618 288-6275	m.sedlacek@sbcglobal.net
Kiwanis Club of Wood River	31	Children's Christmas	Children's names are submitted by the schools. Club sends letter to families and advised of time/date to be at Kohl's and shop for Cloths (\$100/child)	Children's joy	30+ yrs.	126 in 2015	Bill Jacobs	618 259-0346	jacobsbill@sbcglobal.net

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Mt. Vernon	33	Bicycles For Kids	Repairing bicycles obtained from the police to give to needy children. Helps to have a bike shop owner as a member (program is not currently supported)		8 yrs.	Poor children	Dan Evers	618 204-0418	danwevers@gmail.com
Kiwanis Club of Salem	33	Shoes For Kids at School	Asks school for a list of children who need shoes/socks. School bring them by bus to Walmart who plans ahead for shoe needs. Kiwanis members attend and help Walmart-Mart employees fit all those children on the list with shoes		10 yrs.	250 School Kids	Steve Smith	618 548-5182	smittysd55@gmail.com
Kiwanis Club of Bellview	34	Shoes For Kids	Work with Payless Shoes to provide shoes for children. Each child receives a "gift" card through the school program (needy children). Card is presented to Payless so child can receive a pair of shoes		15+	200	Gary Heath	618 223-8058	garyh4252@yahoo.com
Kiwanis Club of Fairview Hts	34	Backpack Program	Purchase backpacks in partnership with Hoyleton Ministries to provide backpacks for kids		1 yr.	200-400	Pattie Heath	618 223-8068	patcake50@yahoo.com
Kiwanis Club of O'Fallon	34	Books For Babies	In an effort to inspire literacy each infant born at local hospital is given a tactile, fuzzy book to take home with them. Kiwanis stickers are placed on the inside cover of each book. The parent reads the book (one word per page such as "soft" or "orange") and the baby has a desire to touch the book while communicating with the parent. This instills a desire for literacy	Brings parent and infant together in a way that inspires a desire for literacy early in life	1 yr.	700-100 infants/month	Barbara Wood		barbaralwood@yahoo.com
Harrisburg Kiwanis Club	36	Kids Fair	Games for kids along with information about Kiwanis. Prizes for all kids. Held at Southeastern Illinois College	Fun	6 yrs.	200 children in grades 0-6	Malinda Field	618 253-6676	mmfield99@gmail.com
Harrisburg Kiwanis Club	36	Sponsor Youth Summer Baseball/Softball Program	Hosts annual radio auction of donated items in January and use funds (approx. \$10K/yr.). Funds are used to purchase uniforms, t-shirts (with K logos). Enable all youth to participate regardless of family income, etc.	All youth are able to participate in organized sporting events	50+ yrs.	250-300 Youth/yr.	Melinda Field	619 253-6676	mmfield99@gmail.com
Kiwanis Club of Marion	36	Dictionary Project	Distribute dictionary/gazetteers to all 5 Marion Unit #2 schools. Members make a presentation to each classroom (approximately 15). In addition, 2 hearing impaired classes at the Jr. High also receive dictionaries.		3 yrs.	325 All 3rd graders in 5 Marion schools	Jane Stiritz	618 997-6028	jistiritz@frontier.com
Kiwanis Club of Metropolis	36								
Kiwanis Club of Murphysboro	36	Apple Festival General Store	Part fundraiser and part service. Held on the 2nd week of September. The Club sets up a general store in center of festival site. Apple products are purchased and stocked for resale. Members work shifts over 4 ten hour days to serve festival guests. Key Club, Circle K and Builders clubs assist.	K Family involvement	30+ yrs.	45,000 attend the festival annually.	Cynthia Mill	618 353-8054	cynthia@silkwormink.com
Kiwanis Club of Murphysboro	36	Bocce Buddy	Bocce Game Day-Club invites children & grownups to learn to play Bocce Ball. This is an effort to bridge socioeconomic gaps and teach sportsmanship and have fun. Each child is paired up with an adult "buddy". Event took place on courts built by the Kiwanis Club	If you invite children to a fun event they will show up and make lasting friendships	1yr	17 children/20 adults	Joni Baley	618 521-3307	joni@jbaileylaw.com