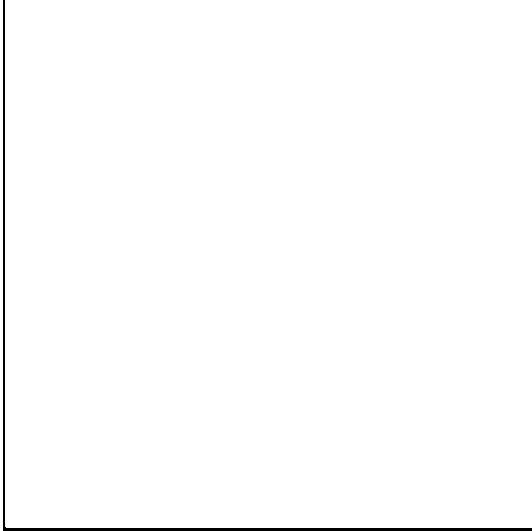


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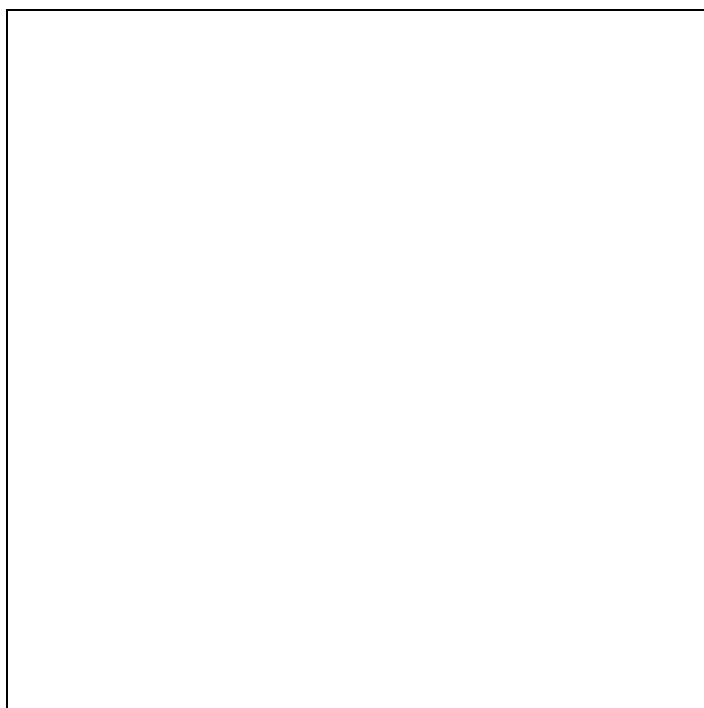
Sweet Dream In A Bag
Newsletter

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Providing New Bedding,

Caring and Love to Children

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We have a NEW WEBSITE!

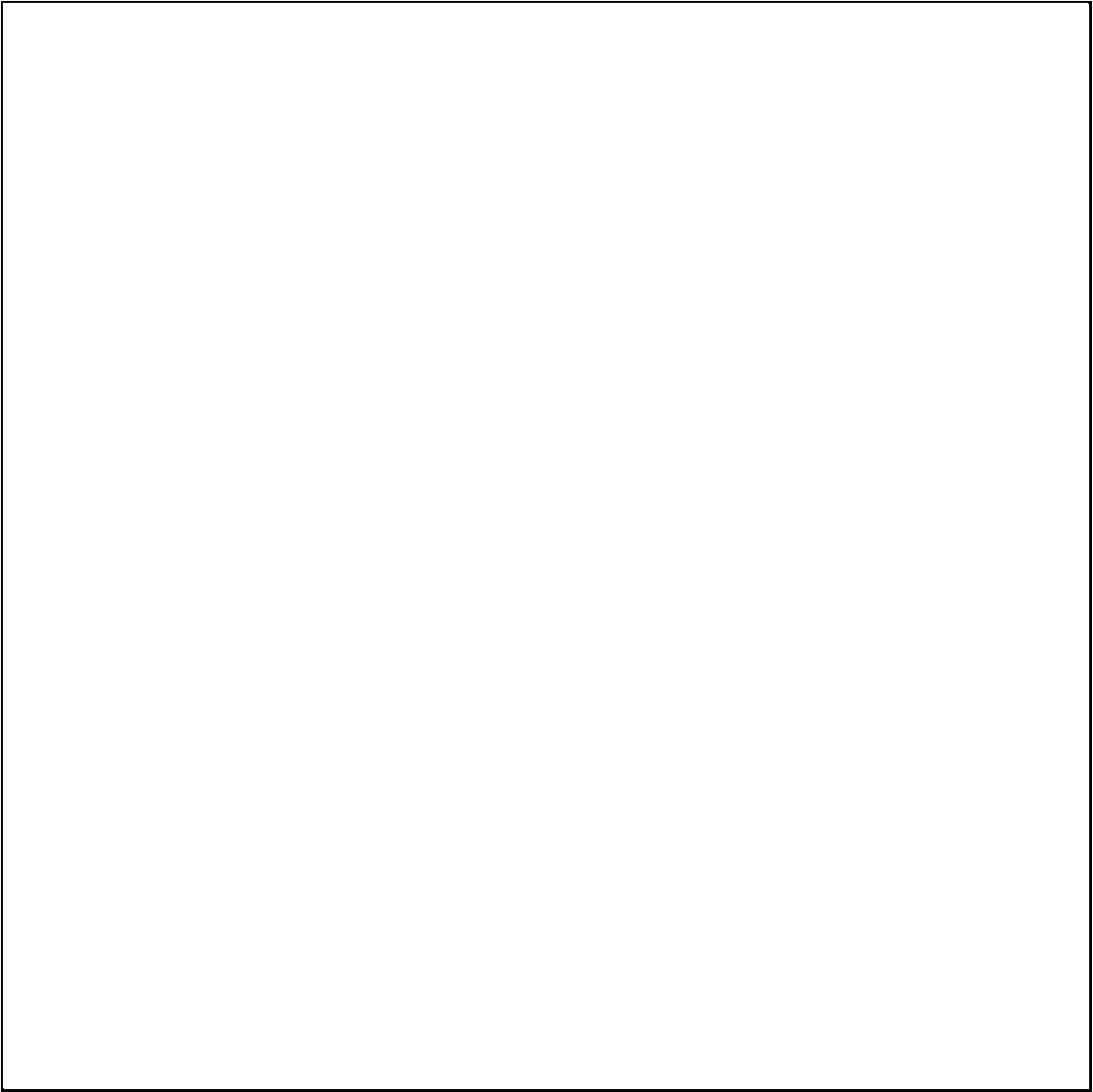
We are so thankful to have a new Website up and running! Our old website served us well, but it was time for a new one. One of our board members has spent endless hours getting the new one ready and now it is live! Take some time to visit the new site and look around, hit all the buttons and read about Sweet Dream! Still the same address: www.sweetdreaminabag.org

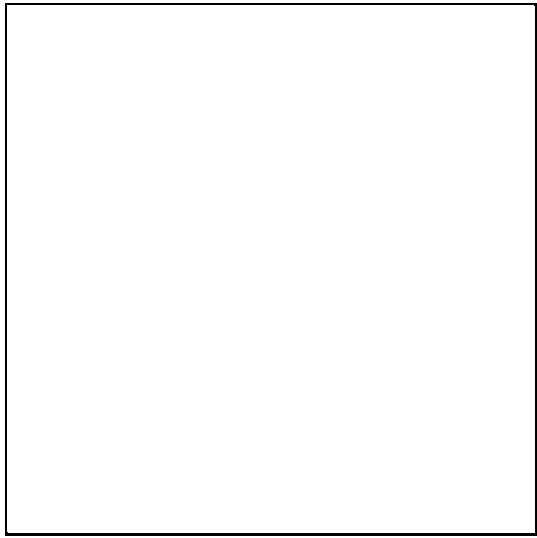
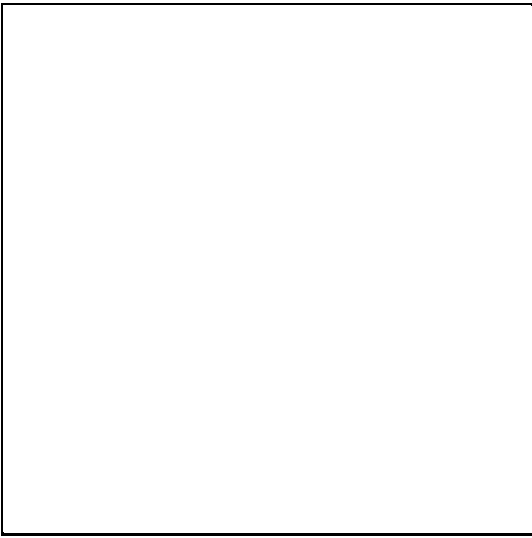
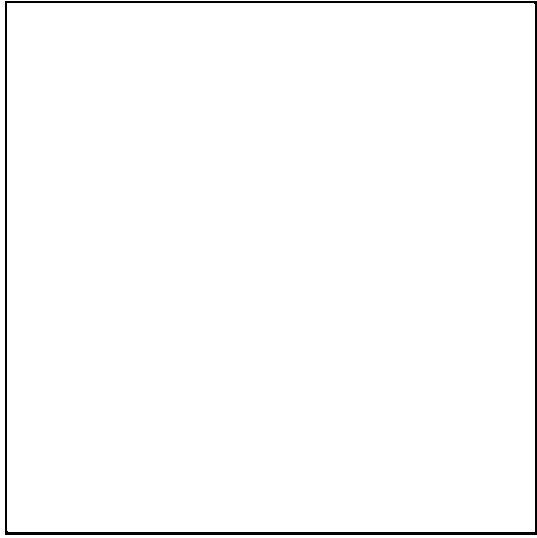
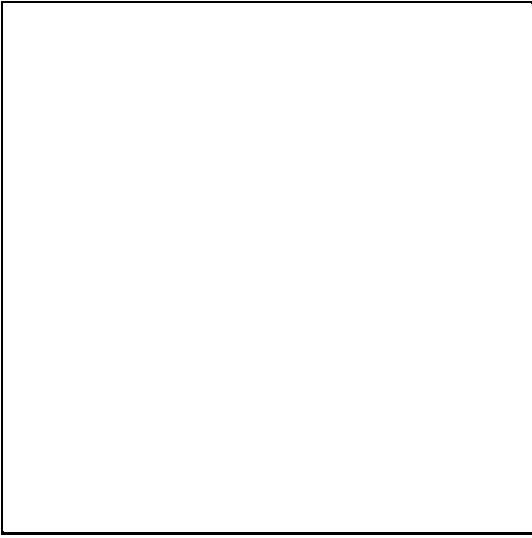
Please use the website to sign up for Pack & Pray Events and for volunteering for Gifting Events. Also you can email us with any questions you might have.

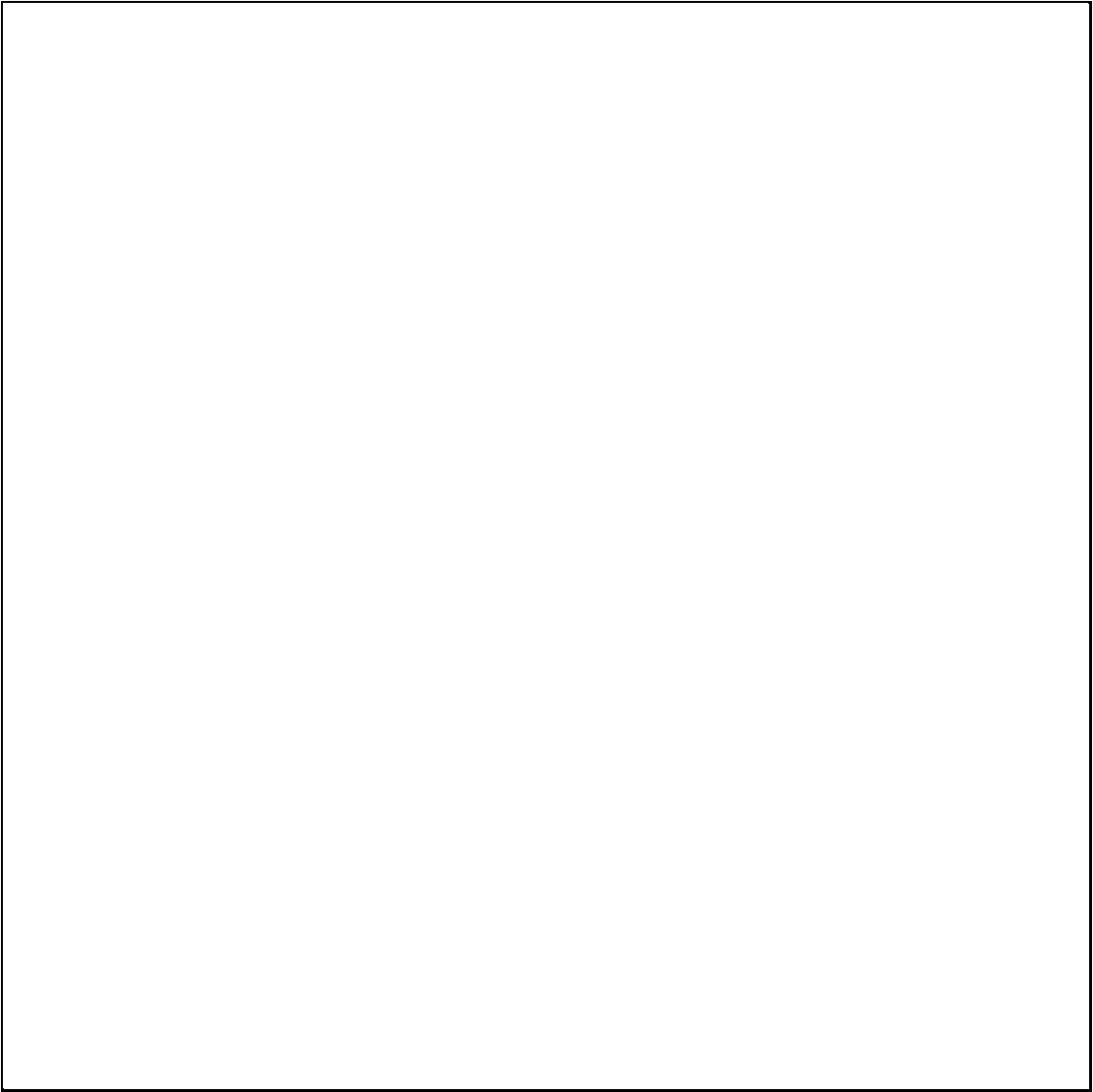
Many Different Pack, Pray & Provide Events

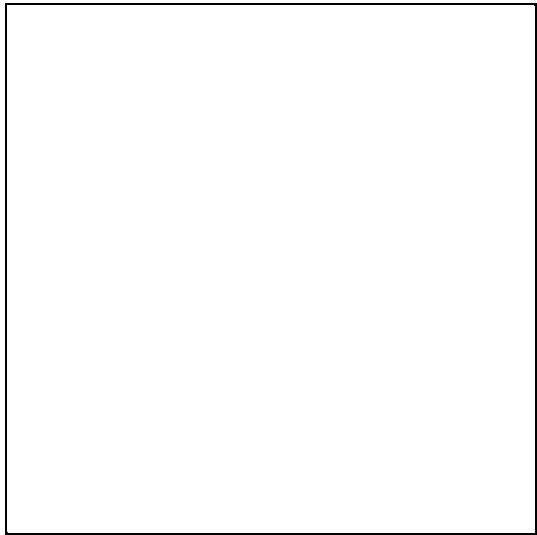
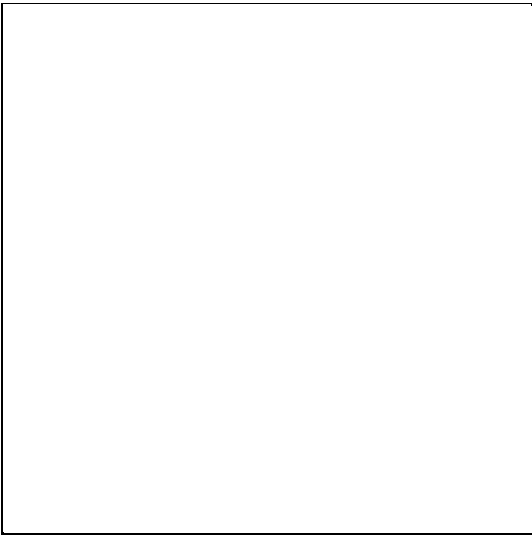
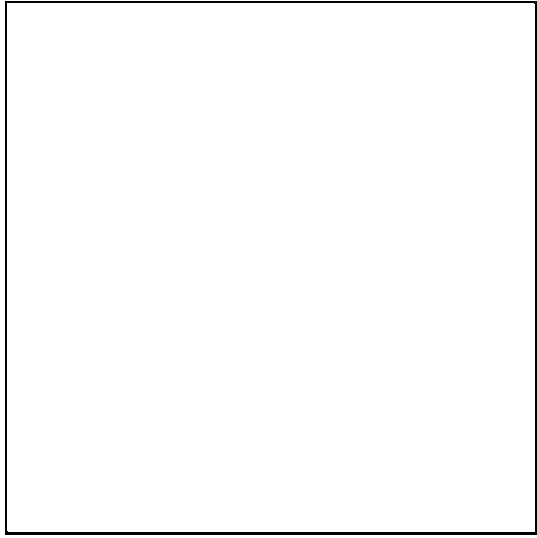
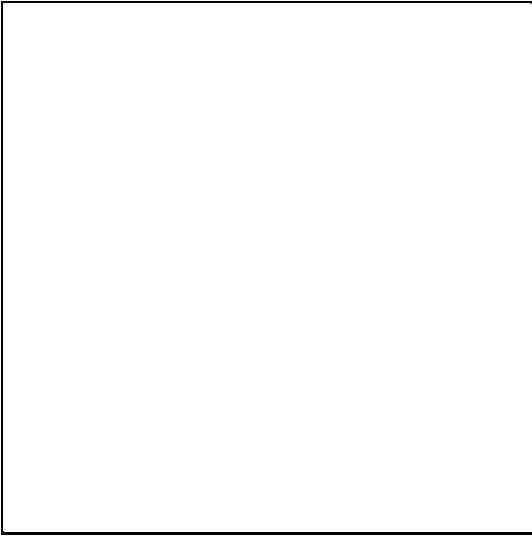
- **The Girls Soccer Team of John Brown University from Arkansas was here in Denver area. The team wanted to participate in a meaningful project. Thirty girls came for the afternoon and learned about Sweet Dream and packed 75 Sweet Dream Bags!**
- **A young man chose to partner with Sweet Dream in a Bag as a project to get his EAGLE scout award to make a difference for children. He had to raise funds for the bedding, find the volunteers and locate a place to hold the Packing Event. His responsibility is to train all the volunteers and transport all the bedding to and from the packing site. He has to recruit volunteers come to a Gifting Event where the children will receive their Sweet Dream Bags. A big Eagle Scout project, but fifty children will be sleeping cozy and warm this winter because of his leadership, hard work and caring!**
- **Littleton Hospital has chosen Sweet Dream to be one the of recipients of their community outreach. On September 13th at Mile High Academy in Highlands Ranch they will be packing 50 Sweet Dream Bags. There will be Littleton Hospital employees and community volunteers helping many non profits that day! Sweet Dream is thankful to have been chosen as one of their projects.**
- **Several churches have made arrangements to pay for half the bedding costs so they can have a Pack & Pray brought to their church. It will be a time for the entire congregation, including children, to work together and make a difference for children.**

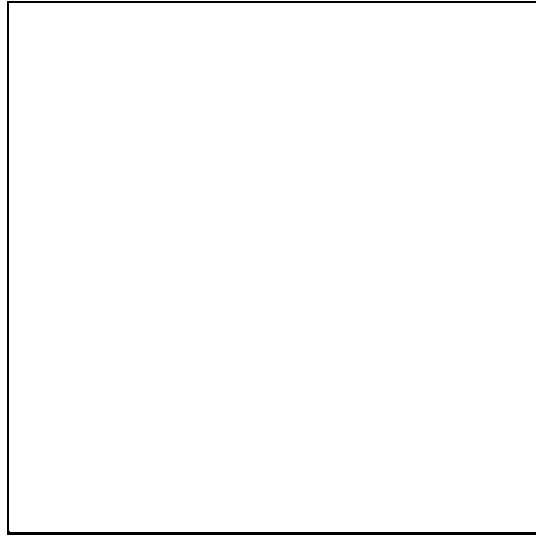
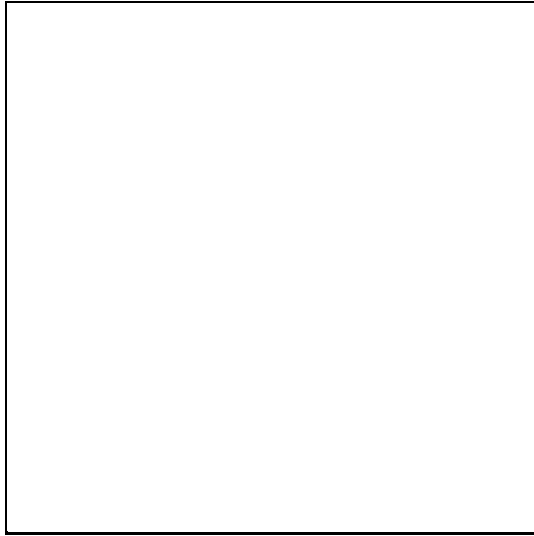
These special events are great projects for all types of groups and provide more precious children with their own "Sweet Dream" bag!!







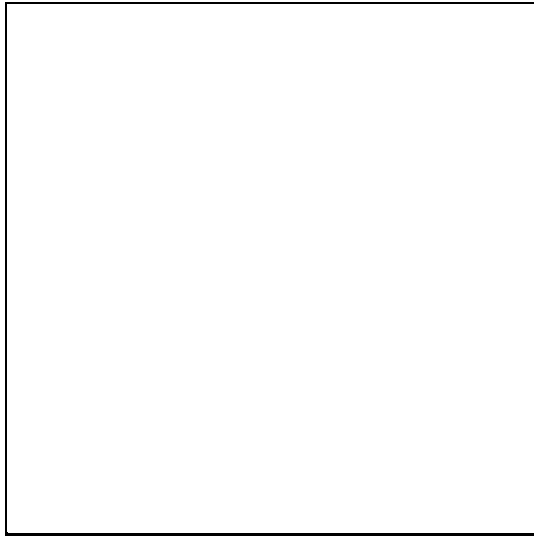




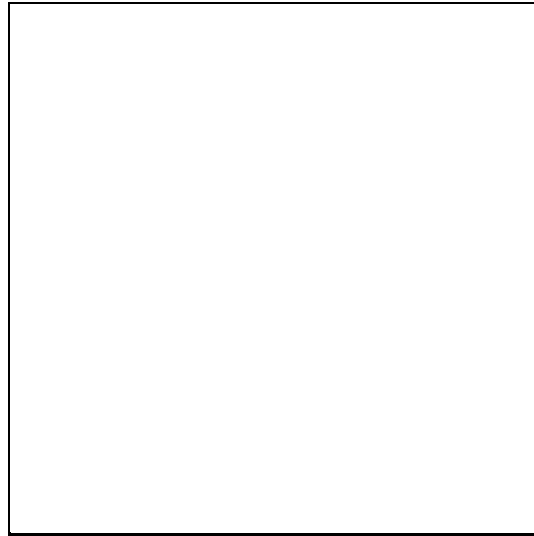
PACK, PRAY & PROVIDE EVENTS

The third Saturday of every month, but December, there is always a Pack & Pray Event. It is always held at Bethany E-Free Church, 6240 S. Broadway, Littleton. We start at 9 am and finish by 12:30. A light lunch is served at about 11:15. Everyone is invited. Bring friends and your entire family!! A GREAT way to spend a Saturday morning. We repackage all the new bedding into beautiful gift bags filled with new bedding. We will teach you how to fold and put together the Sweet Dream Bags. You will be an expert before you know it!

Please sign up on the new website.



You can purchase a Walmart or Target Gift Card in any amount and Sweet Dream can use them to purchase needed items for the Sweet Dream Bags.



This is an easy to donate to help Sweet Dream have all the needed items that go into the bags!

Covering the cost of the "You Are Awesome!" Books

Thanks to a generous donor we have about a third of the cost of the books covered, it would be wonderful to have them fully paid for. We ordered 4,000 books. It is a large investment at one time, but by ordering this large amount at one time we could get the very best price per book!

Scheduling Gifting Events for Fall

We are moving into our busy season for gifting events, currently scheduling Gifting Events for the Fall. Caseworkers and directors please email or call so we can get

your agencies a great spot on the calendar, [it's filling up fast!](#) Volunteers keep checking the Event calendar as we add these events as they are scheduled! Susie:303-507-2098

[SWEET DREAM EVENTS:](#)

[Sept. 9, Saturday, start 12:30pm](#)

"Gifting Event"

Boulder Gabriel House

**6739 S. Boulder Road, Boulder 80303
(Next to Sacred Heart of Mary Parish)**

[Sept. 16, Saturday Morning, start 9 am](#)

"Pack & Pray Event"

**Bethany Church, 6240 S. Broadway,
Littleton 80121**

Starts: 9 am – 12:30 pm

**A light lunch is served about 11:15 –plan
to stay! (Everyone Welcome!!!)**

[Sept 18, Monday 4-6pm](#)

"Gifting Event"

**Colorado Springs Head Start School
Stratmoor Hills Elementary School Gym
200 Loomis Ave, Colo. Springs 80906**

[Sept 20, Wednesday start 11:30 am](#)

"Gifting Event"

**Jefferson County Head Start School
5150 Allison St, Arvada 80002**

[Sept 21, Thursday start 7pm](#)

"Gifting Event"

**Salvation Army Lambeth Family Center
2741 N. Federal Blvd., Denver 80211**

[Oct. 4, Wednesday, start 6:00 pm](#)

"Gifting Event"

**Colo. House/Partners in Housing
21 S. Wahsatch, Colo. Springs 80903**

[Oct. 7, Saturday, start 11 am](#)

"Gifting Event"

Agencies

Access Housing/Commerce City
Alternatives to Violence/Loveland
Angel House/Loveland
Champa House
Coalition for the Homeless /Ren. at Lowery
Coalition for the Homeless/ West End Flats
Coalition for the Homeless/Renaissance 88
Coalition for the Homeless/Ren. Blue Spruce
Coalition for the Homeless/ Stout Street Flats
Colo. House/Partners in Housing-Colo Springs
CPCD Head Start Programs -Colo. Springs
Decatur Place Transitional Housing
Denver County Human Resources
Denver Rescue Mission Star Tran. Housing
Field Elementary School
Family Tree Housing & Family Services
Family Tree Crisis Center
Father Ed Judy's House
Fostering Hope Foundation-Colo. Springs
Gabriel House/All Saints
Gabriel House/Aurora
Gabriel House/Denver
Gabriel House/St. Francis de Sales
Gateway Women's Shelter
Greeley Transitional Housing
Guadalupe Project
Hope Center Pre-School
Hope Communities/California Street
Hope Communities/Hidden Brook
Hope Communities/Thrill
House of Hope/Family Tree
Humbolt Archdiocesan Housing
I Am Academy
I Am Academy South
Irving Center Archdiocesan
Jefferson Co. Attorney/ Family Violence
Jefferson County Head Start
Jefferson County Human Resources
LaPuente House/Alamosa, CO
Mercy /Springfield Ct. Apt./Ft. Collins
Mercy/Holly Park Apartments
Mi Casa - Denver
Mt. Loretto Family Housing
Native Americans/Alaskans/Colo.Springs
Open Door Ministries
Pasoda Family Shelter/Pueblo

Jeffco Gabriel House
1980 Nelson St, Lakewood 80215
(Next to Our Lady of Fatima Parish)

Oct. 10, Tuesday, start 6:30 pm

"Gifting Event"

Father Judy's

St. Dominic Church Parish,
2901 Grove Street, Denver 80211

Oct. 19, Thursday, start 5pm

"Gifting Event"

Holly Park Apt./Mercy Housing
5524 E. 60th Ave, Commerce City 80022

Oct. 21, Saturday Morning, start 9 am

"Pack & Pray Event"

Bethany Church, 6240 S. Broadway,
Littleton 80121

Starts: 9 am – 12:30 pm

A light lunch is served about 11:15 –plan
to stay! (Everyone Welcome!!!)

Oct. 23, Monday start 3:30 pm

"Gifting Event"

Colorado Springs Head Start School
Location: TBA

Oct. 28, Saturday start 10 am

"Gifting Event"

Springfield Courts Apt/Mercy Housing
3851 S. Taft Hill Road, Ft Collins 80523

****Reminder:** There will be Gifting Events
added as agencies set dates, check our
website and look at the CALENDAR!

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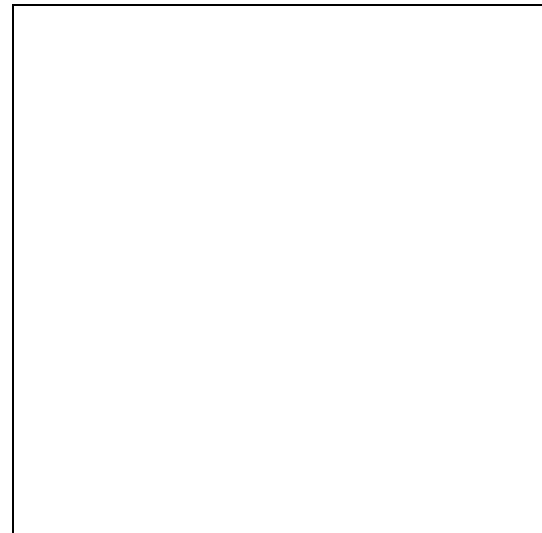
Please--- if you can help with any Event
call Susie 303-507-2098 or email:

Susie@sweetdreaminabag.org

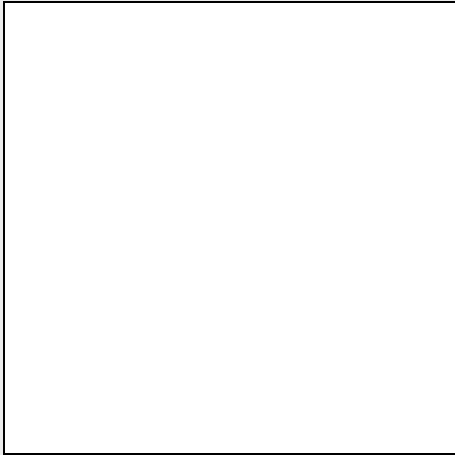
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Pasoda Rio Sacramento/Pueblo
Raritan Property Archdiocesan
Ruby Hill Residences
Salvation Army Lambeth Center
Streets Hope
VOA- Bright Stars Head Start
VOA DAV Families
VOA Family Housing Program
VOA Young Mothers
Warren Village
Warren Village First Step

**As you look at this list you will realize just how
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make their lives a little more cozy and give them
something to call their own!**

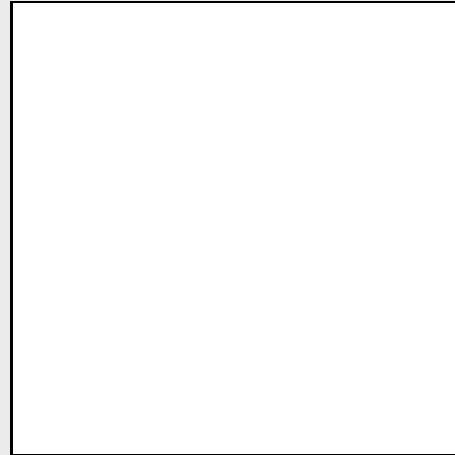


Donate \$50 each month: gives one
child with their own Sweet Dream
Bedding that they will sleep in night
after
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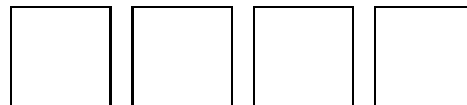
Needed:

- Funds for purchase of "You Are Awesome!" books
- Twin Sheet Sets (Big Lots, Ross)
- Crib fitted sheets (Ikea)
- Walmart Gift Cards/to purchase Deep Pocket Pillows
- Target Gift Cards/to purchase Navy Blue Comforters
- Bigalow "Sweet Dream Tea" packets (for Mom's Mugs)



"Do I really get to keep my new bedding and this frog?"

Together we are making a difference!



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