

A Special Thank You from the Shop with the Heroes Committee

The Shop with the Heroes Committee would like to take this opportunity to thank all those that provided a special gift to our children. Being a first time event here in Coquille, we were unsure how successful this event would be, but after shopping for over 120 children and providing each child a buffet of food, it was apparent that our efforts were personally rewarded. This event would not have been possible without the generous donations by individuals and businesses here in Coquille and the surrounding areas. The Police & Fire Departments raised over \$8000.00 dollars to spend on your children. In addition, our local restaurants supplied the food to feed these children and their families. To wrap up a day of fun was the arrival of Santa Claus and a free photo with Santa. We are already discussing ways to better serve our children for next year to assure we do not miss any Coquille child in need.

It is with great pride to know that the following individuals and businesses donated a special gift to assure these children had a special day to remember for a lifetime: City Staff and families of Coquille, Staff and families of the Coquille Police & Fire Departments, Coquille School District, Coquille Valley Crime Stoppers, Four Square Praise Center, Steve & Carrie Carter, Robert Nelson, Mark Pflaum, Leroy Creach, Raye Bender, First Assembly of God, Catholic Church, William & Judy Kennedy, Linda Maggard, Paige Pyner, Tim & Karen Pflaum, Robert Nelson, Laura Richardson, Wal-Mart, Coquille Valley Sentinel, KCBY News, Coquille Community News, Coquille Smoke Shop, Art Ellingson, Shay Weinger, Tom Harmon, PISCO, Joann Breuer, Thomas & Linda Aiken, Bob Main, Ray Herrington, Darrell Hatch Construction, John & Idrys Owens, EJ & CF Corliss, Denny's Pizza, Ray & Brenda McNeely, Mike & Sarah Layton, Coquille Garden, Clay Davis, Robert Grahams, Rebecca Ryder, Heather & Lui Echavarria, Davis and Juul Insurance, Your Friends at Southwest Physical Therapy, El Tapito, Dave & LeAnn Kauer, Coquille Valley Fitness Center, Roxy Barbershop, Devils Kitchen, Les Schwab, Figaros Pizza, Granite Plus, Dog House Dog Wash, Highway Deli Mart, McKays Market, Farris True Value, Coquille Broiler, Grami Properties, Claudine Nored, Steve Britton, Linda Short, Brees Upscale Resale, Patricia Close, Oregon First Community Credit Union, Bob Crim, Four Seasons, Ross & Susan Shepherd (school bus drivers), and LBA Cutting Inc.. We hope we haven't missed any of our sponsors/supporters, but if we have, we apologize in advance.