

**“We make
a living by
what we
get, but we
make a life
by what
we give”**

- Henry Bucher

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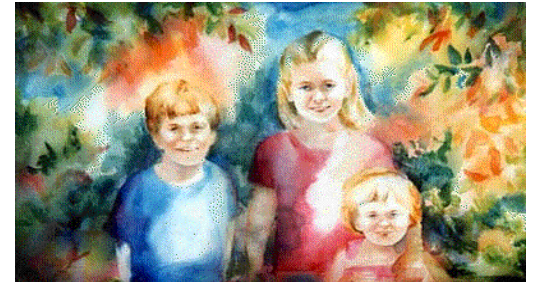
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Pierce County
**Friends
of
Foster
Kids**



**Providing Special Items
and Special Occasions
for Pierce County Foster
Kids
for 20 years**

Who We Are

Friends of Foster Kids is a registered Non-Profit Organization in the State of Wisconsin. Our volunteer Board of Directors includes professionals and citizens from the community who have a special interest in the needs of children in foster care.

Friends of Foster Kids was established in 1982 by Dale and Sandy Viney of River Falls, Wisconsin. Both personally and professionally, Dale and Sandy demonstrated their dedication to meeting the needs of children in foster care. After several years of great service by its founders, our new board members are in the process of reintroducing *Friends of Foster Kids* to the community as a great resource for foster kids and foster families!

Friends of Foster Kids receives requests for funds from social workers and foster care providers on behalf of children in foster care. Requests can be made for the purchase of special items and/or occasions for which there is no other funding available.

Friends of Foster Kids also collects items for personal care kits for children entering foster care. These kits include duffel bags, blankets, stuffed animals, toiletry items and disposable cameras. It can be comforting for a child to have these items to call his/her own when entering a foster home.

What We Need

Monetary donations are critical to our program

Blankets, Quilts, Afghans

Books for all ages

Photo Albums

Airline Tickets

Disposable Cameras

Duffel Bags

Who Can Help

We have been receiving wonderful donations from individuals, groups and businesses. Here are some examples of groups whose efforts we have benefitted from:

Girl Scout Troops

Boy Scout Troops

Church Groups

Company/Employee Fundraisers

University Student Clubs

Individuals and families

School Groups

How We've Helped Our Foster Kids

Class Rings

Prom Dresses

School Pictures

Airline Tickets

Camp Scholarships

Christmas Gift Cards

Riding Lessons

Name Changes

Basketball Camps

Driver's Ed Fees

Piano Lessons

Musical Instruments

Athletic Shoes

Mission Trips

Church Camp

Medical Equipment

Sports Equipment

Graduation Announcements