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Who is Grandmas Purse?

We are a new 501(c)(3) non-profit. We are a Childrens Fund. And we are ready to start accepting donations now!

On our website there are two (2) different donate now buttons. One is for the Activities and one is for Christmas. We are the organization that wants to help when other agencies say no, or when there is a need but the family will not ask, so someone will nominate them to us and we will then ask questions and reach out to the family to see if they would accept our help should we deem

A little more detailed information on how we work:

The Activities sponsorships to local youth is one that we hold near and dear. There is so much more than academics that children need to have a chance to experience and excel at. We believe that helping to sponsor children to attend more activities helps them to flourish and be more productive and have access to positive role models and mentors. Activities sponsorships for children are not limited to sports. Sports are great, but our children need the opportunity to be able to flourish with other activities as well. Such as Art, Music, and other non-sport activities. There are agencies out there helping with sports, and we want to be able to help other activities for our youth as well- we hear there is a great need! Activities sponsorships do need to have a *referral from the coordinator or director of the activity*. We will do sports activities sponsorships, but we are not limited to sports!

Christmas program is for children who would not have Christmas otherwise. We are not just about toys. Sometimes the family is having unforeseen circumstances and just cannot do Christmas for their family this time. But they are proud and do not want to ask for any help. Someone from their friends, family, work, school, etc would need to contact us and explain what they know of the family situation and *nominate the family* to receive Christmas from Grandmas Purse. We then will reach out to the family to ask if they would accept our gifts? What are the circumstances that led to not having the ability to do Christmas this time? What are the needs and interests of the children? Once we have those questions answered, we review with our Board of Directors to determine if they will be chosen to receive the gifts of Christmas from Grandmas Purse.

We want to help our local youth! We want to help more of the children that fall between criteria from other programs helping them either by income or circumstances.

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