



# Idaho Falls Area Humanitarian Center

July 2019 Newsletter

## Message from The Directors



This month we would like to focus on the importance of the IFAHC to the youth in this area. The 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday evenings of each month we have youth night from 6:30 to 8:30.

What a blessing it is to see these young people experiencing the true joy of service! All youth are welcome!

We also have the opportunity to help with Eagle Scout and high school senior projects. What special youth we have in this area!

To make appointments for a Tuesday evening, please call Shane Ackerschott at 208-206-2834.

*Mozelle Neville*  
*IFAHC Director*

## Volunteer Highlight

Lois Mack stands at her table for around 7 hours a day, two days a week cutting out sleep sacs, aprons, pillowcases and whatever else is needed. She has volunteered at the Humanitarian Center for 6 ½ years.

Those who work with her know the amazing energy she has, and she says she was born with it. While raising her 4 children she did office work for The Atomic Energy Commission, Del Monte, and Tandy & Wood Real Estate – a total of 35 years.

She has been married twice for a total of 61 years, but unfortunately also widowed twice. She has 4 children and "the best-looking grandchildren in the world"!

Lois says her favorite thing about the Center is the people. "It's fun, happy and friendly!" She has the following advice for anyone who hasn't yet come: "Don't stay home and look at the walls! Come to the Center and work!"



## Product Highlight



These dolls may be the *second* cutest things you've ever seen (second only Lois' grandkids)! They're called "burrito babies" because of how they're all rolled up in their blanket. They come in white, brown or black faces and about a thousand colors of hair,

either curly or straight. Each baby comes with his/her own hand-painted bed and they have magical powers to heal a child's heart when in a family crisis. Thanks to the "burrito mamas" who bring them to life.



## The Miracle of Giving



As you know, we at IFAHC are accustomed to seeing miracles, usually in the form of a timely donation being given to the Center. But this time, it's a miracle of being able to help another center give to their own community.

We recently received a VERY large donation of baby layette items. A dedicated crew worked all day June 18 & 19, sorting it into sets to include in our baby kits. They are of a beautiful quality – perfect for a tiny and perfect new person.

But, back to the miracle . . .

You may have heard that Mozelle and others at the IFAHC have been helping a new Humanitarian Center in the Burley/Rupert area of Idaho. Until now they have been able to give only quilts and blankets to newborns. Now, with a gift of 300 of these baby layettes, they'll be able to give much more. (We'll keep the other 200.)

## Quote for the Month

*"There are many wonderful things that will never be done if you don't do them."*

Charles D. Gill

### Hours we're open

10 am – 3 pm, Tues. & Wed.; 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesdays from 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm; 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of the month for adults only 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm

Call Shane Ackerschott 208-206-2834 to schedule evenings.

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