

4 Kids and Community

A Non-Profit providing support to help People succeed.

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BAKED POTATO and hot dog FUNDRAISER

co-sponsored in part by Perkins Masonic Lodge

\$6 adults \$4 kids at the door

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Friday, January 17th 4:30-6:00pm P-T High School Commons

Menu:
Baked Potato, Frito Chili Pie, or Hot Dogs
Toppings:
Chili, Bacon, Cheese, Sour Cream and Butter
Homemade desserts from our local bakers

Proceeds help with:
Book Bag Program
Classroom Supplies Program
Snack Packs Program
Food Program
Hygiene Kits Program
School Supplies Program
Workshops Program
4 Love of Community Program

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Community Supper: 4th Tuesday 5:30 to 7pm at Oak Park Retreat Center

Everyone is Welcome!

- January 28th: Breakfast Casserole
- February 25th: Sloppy Joes
- March 24th: Italian Night
- April 28th: Hamburgers and Hot Dogs
- May 26th: Taco Tuesday

4 Kids and Community, Inc. 2019



January 7th was our monthly board meeting, the theme was celebrate as we went through the many blessings that happened in 2019. We hope you enjoy the review. Thank you for your continued support. We appreciate you!

Working Together

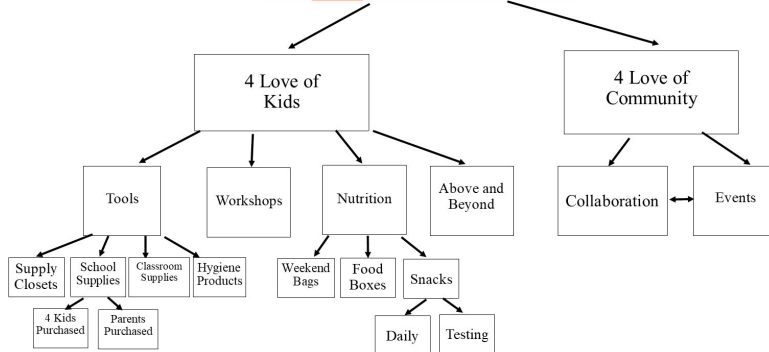
1. During the summer, the adults at the Life Adult Day Healthcare Center packs the weekend food bags for all for schools. They packed 75 weekend food bags.
2. The high school cheerleaders help unload, pack and distribute four summer food boxes for our families.
3. This summer we were able to find a new home old learning centers materials: a school in Belize. We were able to repurpose the items.
4. During the school year, the high school FFA classes help unload and pack the food boxes. We purchase Blue and Gold items for the boxes through the group.
5. Every month throughout the school year, the High School FCCLA classes packs and distributes enough snack packs to feed approximately 350 students each school day.
6. Every five weeks during school year, Middle School FCCLA classes pack the weekend food bags for the middle school and high school. Between 15 to 20 students each week receives a food bag.
7. Every month, individuals, organizations, churches, farms, churches, businesses donate food and time to make Community Supper a success.
8. Partnering with Rockin' Cowboy church 21 families received a Thanksgiving meal and breakfast/lunch boxes.
9. Partnering with Perkins First United Methodist Church, over 40 shut-ins received a hot meal during the November's Community Supper.
10. 4 Kids partnered with Perkins Lions Club, Dollar General, McDonald's, Payne County Bank, University & Community Credit Union, First Baptist Church Sunday School Class and many individuals to provide gifts for children.
11. 4 Kids partnered with the middle school's FCCLA class to provide 39 fleece blankets for Christmas boxes.
12. Partnering with Church of Christ, they provided over 40 food boxes to go with the Christmas boxes and did the distribution and delivery.
13. 4 Kids provided 99 hygiene kits and 19 art kits for the Christmas boxes.
14. A member of Church of Christ donated 15 quilts to our families.
15. Sorghum Mill Tree Farm donated a Christmas tree to one of our families.
16. With Perkins Community Chamber of Commerce, 55 children shopped at the Children's Christmas Shoppe! Special thanks to Ashton and Sutton for the many hours of sorting and packaging the items, and Benchmark Animal Hospital for the storage area! Thank you Affirmative Business Solutions for creating, printing, and distributing the flyers!

Just as a body, though one, has many parts, but all its many parts form one body, so it is with Christ.

1 Corinthians 12:12 (NIV)

17. With Perkins Ministerial Alliance, the Night in Bethlehem village told about Jesus' birth at Old Fashioned Country Christmas.
18. At Williams, customers could purchase food for 4 Kids' snacks, weekend food bags, community supper and food boxes programs.
19. Community Supper Christmas Eve 85 people were served a wonderful ham meal with a message from Pastor Charles Durant and a visit from Santa Claus!
20. Each month we provide 3 out of 4 of the activities for the Perkins Public Library's unplugged activity.

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New Organizational Chart

We reorganized our programs this year. We have two major programs: 1. 4 Love of the Kids that helps the school and 2. 4 Love of the Community where we help the community. We still help with school supplies, closets, classroom supplies and so much more.

Testimonies

"We are blessed to have 4 Kids and Community in Perkins! This organization has benefitted not only the children but also the teachers. For the last several years I have not had to use nearly as much of my personal money to purchase supplies for my classroom."

- Penni Deaver, 5th grade Reading

"4 Kids is amazing! When I came to Perkins to teach, I was told that 4 Kids really takes care of teachers and that they couldn't think of a time when a request was turned down. It has been a blessing to know that if I run out of supplies I can just go to the closet. They always go above and beyond! I once asked for poster board for a couple of classes and ended up with two cases that I have been able to use for multiple semesters. Thank you for all you do!"

- Kristen Anderson, 9th-12th grade S.S

"Wonderful! Supportive! Helpful! Amazing!" - Charmin McElroy, M.S. Counselor

"4 Kids has impacted our school so positively by providing numerous supplies that me and my fellow teachers would not ever have to use with our students. Prior to the closet, we would have to spend out of our own pockets, or only have limited supplies to use! We are so lucky that 4 Kids sees and meets the needs for us to do our jobs without worry of supplies. Thank you!"

- Anonymous

"The colored paper to copy notes and special papers is amazing. I didn't have to pay for it myself. - The paint is terrific for doing art projects. I didn't have to buy it myself! - The snacks for students that forget is wonderful. I don't have to use my own money. - The school supplies are marvelous. When students can't bring or a new student shows up one day with no supplies, it's very easy for me to grab crayons, notebook and box. They are set, and it makes the student feel better too."

-Mrs. Wheatley, 2nd grade teacher

Donor Corner:

Businesses

Benchmark Animal Hospital
Payne County Bank
University & Community Federal Credit
Perkins Drug
MOWAT's Appraisal Services
The Railroad Yard
Patsy's Flowers and Gifts
McDonald's

Individuals

Chris and Amy Petermann
Neal and Cindy Trowbridge
Bobby and Dayna Simma
Eddie and Lisa Smith
John and Gina Doyle
Bill and Virginia Sasser
Casey and Lacy Brown
LaReva Mandeville
David Sasser

David and Gaye Lynn Chaney
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Lance and Alison Bloyd
John Dragoo
Steve and Linda Barta
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David and Carina Lara
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Organizations

Stillwater Board of Realtors
Perkins Community Chamber of Commerce
Perkins Lions Club
FCCLA
Mutual Improvement Club

Grants

United Way of Payne County

Kickin' Childhood Hunger
Central Electric Cooperative
Perkins Masonic Lodge

Special thanks for all that you do for our food programs:
Williams Foods, Ralph's Packing Company, Perkins FFA

Thank you for the help with Christmas: Church of Christ, Dollar General, McDonald's, Sorghum Mill Tree Farm

Thank you Benchmark Animal Hospital for the storage room that makes everything happen!

Special Thank you to all who came to fundraiser and all the Individuals that make the Community Supper happen.



2019 Donations,
Grants
& Fundraisers
Total:

\$42,068.01