



Activity

Brightening Lives Activities are simple ways for groups of people to come together and participate in a hands-on volunteer project. These activities are easy, convenient, fun and are intended to connect volunteers to the needs of their community and local charity and agency partners.

Party in a Box

Summary and Goals

Bring donations to create Party Boxes for shelter children and their parents to have fun together.

Supplies

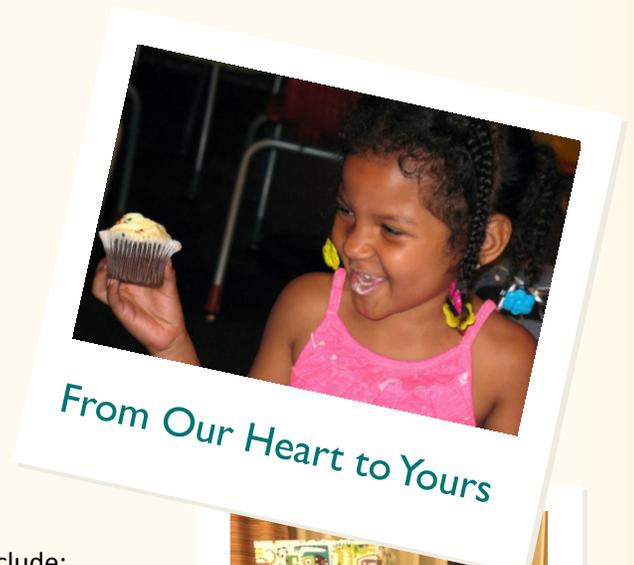
Based on the age and number of the children, collected items can include: children's party items, hats, plates, cups, cake mixture, games, goodie bags, masks etc. You can add anything your group can think of that the shelter can use to create a fun party. Decorate your Party in a Box so everything can be delivered to a particular shelter, or to the partner for a number of shelters.

Activity for Children

Children can decorate the boxes and make cards to include in the boxes, depending on the occasion.

Follow-Up Activities for Future Events at the Bright Space

Interested volunteers can bring their activity to the shelter to host and enjoy the parties with the families with prior agreement with the partner. Play games and sing with children who may not have had a party for a very long time.



The Foundation's purpose is to make a difference to children and families experiencing crisis and disadvantage. We achieve this by creating Bright Spaces® which are indoor and outdoor play spaces located in homeless shelters, domestic violence refuges and refugee centres. We do this in partnership with other agencies to help vulnerable children and families build caring relationships, heal from trauma through play, and access support in a safe, child-friendly environment.

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