

2010: Celebrating FOUR Years of Service to our Nation and World

Kids Change America: End of Year

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Supplies for Students

Kids Change America groups across the United States are collecting new or slightly used school supplies that students found out that they do not need for this school year.

Here is a list of needed items:

-backpacks	-white paper	-erasers	-coloring books
-crayons	-colored paper	-rulers	-pencil cases
-pencils	-lined paper	-binders	-pencil sharpeners
-pens	-scissors	-index cards	-spiral notebooks
-white-out	-tape	-folders	-marble notebooks
-colored pencils	-glue	-markers	-binders

Please contact your local representative to see how he/she is going to organize this program in your community.

Tampa Bay, FL: 24 Hours is Back! Sign up with your local representative.

Make a difference in your community! 24 Hours program 2009 is back, hosted by LRWF. Make a difference by raising awareness about homeless youth by founder, Zach Bonner. LRWF will be assembling approximately 400 backpacks that day. There is a \$24 donation fee to LRWF to participate. See your local representative for details.

Feed the Need Winners are to be announced in the February Newsletter.

Kids Change America is on Twitter and Facebook!

Kids Change America is using the power online to get kids and communities to do good things offline! On November 25, 2009, Kids Change America Board of Directors voted to create a Twitter and Facebook to keep up with all the teens and nonprofits now on social messaging sites. Follow Kids Change America on Twitter and Facebook by going to kidschangeamerica.org and clicking on the Facebook and Twitter logos. Let's get one million followers on each site by the end of the year!

A Journey for Hope: a novel benefiting to TheSmileTrain

A Journey for Hope, by Christopher Yao, is an epic, adventurous novel about a little boy who suffers from a cleft for seven long years. Almost hopeless, his parents finally hear about TheSmileTrain from the radio. His suffering comes to an end... Novel coming Early 2011. All proceeds go to TheSmileTrain after publishing fees are paid.

That's not it! There's more...

Page 2: "Thanks to all: 2009" commemorating and honoring all of our supporters, members, volunteers, partners, and sponsors for a fabulous year: by Christopher Yao, President and Founder Kids Change America and Kids Change the World.

Page 3: Newsday- Long Island, New York, USA; Article "Nonprofits: We're having tough year" by Jennifer Barrios.