



Mission

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ORGANIZATION NEWS

On March 14, our Executive Director Ron Fitzsimmons attended the Washington Capital's game at the invitation of Burke & Herbert Bank. He had a chance to visit the announcer's booth during periods to talk at length about our work. At this time, the Caps have scored 261 goals which translates into \$26,100 pledged to Alice's Kids!

The Falls Church - Annandale Lions Club invited our Executive Director to speak at their monthly meeting recently and, after briefing them on our mission they voted to donate \$500 to AK.

The parent company of the Mount Vernon Athletic Club recently voted to donate \$5,000 to AK. Also, the Heritage Presbyterian Church donated \$250 while Aldersgate Church donated \$300!

As a result of the increased contributions, we have now expanded our service territory to include select schools in New Jersey, Georgia and Long Island.

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\$26,100 so far for Alice's Kids! Go Caps!

The Children We've Helped

"I am working with a family of 8 children. They are very low income. The children keep their clothes in bags because they do not have dressers. Recently a wild animal came into their house from the back door and made it up to the older children's room where it destroyed almost all of their belongings by chewing and urinating all over the clothes. Is there any way you could help 2 of the children with \$100 gift card each from Burlington Coat Factory so they can purchase some new clothes?"

Of course we helped.

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And then there are the smaller items. A boy who lost his father last year recently had his lunchbox destroyed by bullies. His mom could not afford to buy a new one. We got the mom a gift card to replace that lunchbox.



Donor Spotlight - Nina Walsh

Nina Walsh has been donating to Alice's Kids since 2012. She first heard about us through a post on Facebook and after some research into what we do she was hooked. Asked why she was drawn to Alice's Kids, Nina stated "As a Mom, I love to help kids in need and I believed Alice's Kids was a perfect way to do this. I also know one of the founders so I was confident the funds would go where they were supposed to go".

She has used social media avenues to spread the word about Alice's Kids and is an avid user of Amazon Smile with AK as her designated charity. Nina is a retired Federal Employee, Mother of 4 and Grandmother to 7. She currently lives in Ridge NY with her husband, but "snowbirds" to Gulfport, Florida. Thanks for your continued support Nina!

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Alice's Kids is a non-profit organization that seeks to enhance the self-esteem of children in need by providing them with targeted financial assistance. The ultimate hope is that these "small acts of kindness" will help these children feel better about themselves by facilitating their participation in scholastic, recreational and social activities.

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