Thank you

to all who support us in the Christmas season!

Please contact us with questions about volunteering or donations!

#### **DONATION DROP-OFFS**

All donations must be dropped off at the Wellston Center by **December 8th**.

Please contact us to schedule a pickup!

### **CHRISTMAS STORE IS OPEN:**

Friday, **December 13**, 2024 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Saturday, **December 14**, 2024 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

# **CONTACT US**

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#### **CELEBRATE THE SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS**

Since 1993, the St. Augustine Wellston Center has served the poor and hungry in and around the Wellston City area.

Each year, to honor the dignity of our guests, we welcome those we see the most to our Christmas Store. Over three decades, volunteers and guest families have built strong bonds together, celebrating the joy of Christmas.

Please SCAN to see our VOLUNTEERING opportunities!



DONATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY: SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8 | 12:00 PM

HELP VOLUNTEER TO SET UP THE STORE: DECEMBER 9-12 | 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM

## **SERVE IN THE CHRISTMAS STORE:**

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13 | 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM SATURDAY, DECEMBER 14 | 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM



## **HOW THE CLUB WORKS**

Families that receive regular assistance from the Wellston Center are eligible to be invited to shop in the Christmas Club.

For two days in December, we transform our Center into a magical shopping experience for our invited guests. We provide brand-new, unused, sealed gifts for families to put under the Christmas tree. All gifts are priced at about 10% of the original cost.

Our guests are grateful to be able to do their own shopping within their limited budget and are more than happy to pay the small amount charged to help us continue this program.

**But we need your help!** Each year our wonderful donors purchase new gift items from the suggested list and each year, volunteers help setup the store and serve our guest families while the store is open.

## **ITEMS TO GIFT:**

**Household:** Air Fryers, Blenders, Coffee Makers, Crockpots, Dishes, Electric Can Openers, Electric Hand Mixers, Electric Heaters, Electric Skillets, Flashlights (with batteries), Flatware, Glasses, Microwaves, Pots & Pans Sets, Roasters, Instapots, Storage Containers, Set of Cooking Utensils, Toaster Ovens, Toasters, Waffle Makers

**Toys:** Baby Toys, Barbies, Remote Control Cars, Ethnic Dolls, Family Board Games, Sports Equipment, etc.

**For All Ages:** Coats, Jackets, Pajamas, Socks, Knit Sweaters, Sweatsuits, Underwear, Slippers [for all, L and XL preferred]

**Linen:** Non-White Sets of Hand/Bath/Washcloths or Towels, Non-White Sheets (Full and Queen), Kitchen Towels, Mitts, Dish Cloths, Comforter Sets

**Other:** Fragrance Gift Sets, Holiday Food Gift Packages, Grooming Sets, Lotions, Men's Toiletries Sets, Popcorn Tins, Basic Tools Sets, Watches, Jewelry, Clock Radios, Other Hand Tools, Wall Clocks

Extras: Wrapping Paper, Tape, Christmas Cards, AA Batteries

Please no: Crafts, Puzzles, Throws/Blankets. Thank you!