



# *Lewiston-Porter Central School District*

*Aiming Higher*

Date: November 30, 2021

To: NEST Teachers

From: Lewiston-Porter Middle School Builders Club

RE: Box of Caring

Please distribute the attached “Box of Caring” letters during NEST. Read over the letter with the students and stress the importance of helping others. The holiday season is the perfect time to extend the great spirit of giving beyond our classrooms and give to others. There is no better way to impart altruism to our students than to donate and volunteer together. This can make a real difference in our community.

In the spirit of giving, we ask each NEST class to create a Box of Caring. The box can be any size and shape and creatively decorated in the spirit of the holidays. Donations should fill the boxes with items that can be donated to children and their families to help brighten their holidays. Donations should be new, unwrapped items. In the student letter we are suggesting a breakdown of age specific gifts. However, all gifts will be accepted regardless of the age category suggested. Gifts can include hats, gloves, clothing, books, and toys.

Grade 6 – (ages 4-6)

Grade 7 – (ages 7-10)

Grade 8 – (ages 11-14)

Please bring your “Box of Caring” to the **cafeteria stage by Friday, December 10**. The Youngstown Civic Guild will sort, wrap, and deliver the baskets on Saturday, December 18. All the donations will be distributed to families in our area.

Thank you for your support and for encouraging the students in your NEST to participate in this worthwhile cause.



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