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From: Westfield Fun Club <westfieldfunclub@gmail.com>

Hi All,

We hope you are well.

We wanted to update you, as we begin to wind down our Emergency Food Initiative. As many of you know, we are now in our final two weeks of deliveries - good news because, as we have shared before, this is the result of most of our families returning to work, or seeing a much needed increase in their SNAP benefits. Food insecurity will always be a problem, and one that we will continue to bring focus to, but right now, the immediate emergency is finally subsiding.

The not so good news, however, is that about 10 of our families, many of them elderly, remain in precarious circumstances, and will continue to struggle with food insecurity for the foreseeable future. For these families, the Westfield Fun Club pledges to remain as a necessary source of food and supplies. We will not abandon them.

To do so, we are currently working on a variety of programs that will seamlessly continue our current deliveries. One such idea is our new "Adopt a Family" program: We will pair our families to your family and each week or twice a month, depending on their needs, an adoptive family will purchase goods from a list we provide and deliver to the family. This can be shared by multiple families who wish to join together to help. While we are hoping that the adoptive family/ies will financially carry the cost of most of these supplies, the Westfield Fun Club will have some finances put aside to help, if necessary.

Please reach out to us if you are willing to help. Our email is westfieldfunclub@gmail.com

Oh, and here's our Amazon wishlist! This will be the last time posting it - just two more weeks, but we could really use your help for the final push!

As always, simply saying thank you seems insufficient. It's been a long 11+ weeks - and we couldn't have done it without you. We wish we could share all the texts, emails, photos and videos we have received from our families; their smiles and gratitude reflect all you have done.

With Love,

Jenny and Alissa