

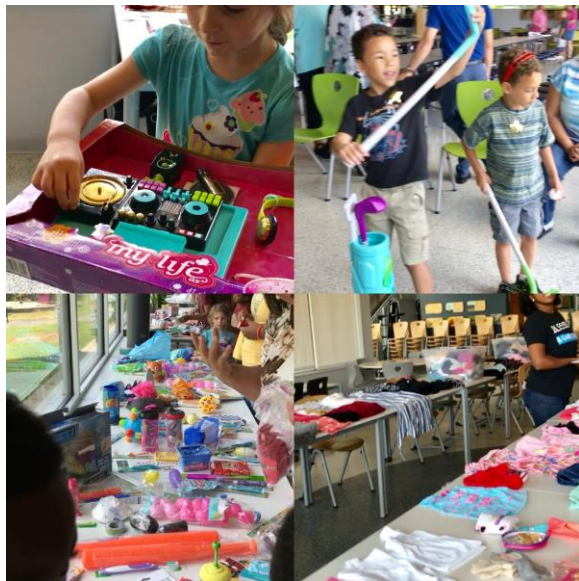


The JDF Footprints



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foot health and diabetes; however, now we include valuable health information that encourages attendees to embrace active and healthy lifestyles.

Broader Mission, BIGGER Giving Stories!

Our mission has grown! After three years of striving to meet the foot health needs of the homeless and underserved, The JDF mission has broadened to incorporate and fulfill new opportunities. Partnering with the largest retailer in the country has equipped us with valuable goods for financially challenged families. Effective immediately, The JDF mission now promotes "foot health and healthy lifestyles for the underserved." Our Health Fairs have also evolved. We continue to focus on



Delivery and set up of goods for VA

This holiday season has been huge for The JDF! Embracing our expanded mission, our volunteers delivered and or shipped thousands of dollars in goods to hundreds and hundreds of low-income families in Maryland,



Capital Area Food Bank Family Market

Virginia, the District of Columbia, Georgia and Arkansas in three weeks. With Christmas still more than two weeks away, our teams are moving full speed ahead.

Two Of My Favorite Stories

One of my favorite giving stories is how The JDF team helped a waitress with five kids. In addition to meeting the immediate needs of the family, providing her with a microwave, two mattresses, bed frames, clothing, and housewares, we also provided a Christmas tree and decorations to brighten the spirits of the children. We'll fill their stockings with goodies until the very last moment.

Another favorite story of ours involves foster families. We received a heartfelt message for assistance to

ensure a group of Virginia foster families had goods for their upcoming holiday celebration. Within 48 hours, we met that need with toys, clothing, and products for nearly three dozen families. The goods we provided will allow the kids to 'shop' for their siblings and family members.



Embrace Foster Care delivery

Thank You's!

I am oh so thankful, grateful, and proud of our **JDF volunteers!** Strangers, friends, family members, and my **TSI** co-workers give unselfishly of their time to help others. This support is priceless and without it, we could not broaden our mission or fulfill the needs we see. **Thank You also to our donors!! Your financial support keeps us keeps us giving. Happy Holidays & Stay Safe!**

Please support The JDF at jdffet.org, text NEWSHOES to 44-321, or mail donations to Box 473 Garrisonville, VA 22463.