

Sun City Rotary Club



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“Breakfast with Santa” 2016

Sun City Rotary Club, Georgetown Fire Department, Georgetown Independent School District, the Assistance League-Georgetown Area and YMCA of Greater Williamson County are very pleased to recognize and say “THANK YOU” to all the 2016 “Breakfast with Santa” (BWS) sponsors, donors and volunteers who continue to make this community-wide project possible (16th year for BWS). Your help this year made Christmas a lot brighter for 190 children (from 61 Georgetown families), 30 teenagers served by “The NEST” (The Georgetown Project program) plus many families helped by Jarrell’s UMC Christmas outreach program (a cash contribution from BWS provided bicycles for several Jarrell kids again this year).

We especially thank our **Pacesetter Sponsor - Albert and Ethel Herzstein Charitable Foundation** located in Houston, whose generous \$6,000 grant enabled BWS to increase the number of kids and families helped this year. Each BWS child (including 16 teenagers whose clothing was funded by a cash contribution from **The LOCKER**) received clothing and toys (\$100 each) and families received an H-E-B grocery gift card (ranging from \$125 to \$250). A grant from **BaylorScott&White HEALTH** provided “NEST” teenagers with Christmas envelopes containing gift cards for a restaurant, movie tickets and clothing.

Sun City Rotary Club’s 16th “Breakfast with Santa” (much, much more than just “breakfast”) has gradually increased from a total of 10 children (3 Georgetown families) to the current level. GISD identified this year’s BWS kids and families (from the three Georgetown middle schools). BWS parents/guardians actually did the Christmas shopping for the kids in their families (with assistance from Rotarians, friends and Kohl’s Associates in Action volunteers) and were provided with wrapping materials for their selected gifts. “Breakfast with Santa 2016” concluded with a pancake and sausage breakfast at the San Gabriel Community Center on Saturday, December 17. Georgetown Firefighters and families, Rotarians and volunteers cooked the meal and served about 1000 children and adults. Santa also made an early visit to Georgetown that morning and was available for consultation and complimentary photos with the kids.

“THANK YOU,” once again, to everyone who supported “Breakfast with Santa” in 2016. The individuals and businesses listed to the right as well as many more un-named sponsors, donors and volunteers are the generous people who have made “Breakfast with Santa” possible the past 16 Christmas seasons.



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