



# Host a Drive

Birthday Wishes is a registered 501 (c)(3) organization. Tax ID: 55-0856553

At our current service level, Birthday Wishes provides over 2,000 toys every month. Make a difference by collecting new children's toys or other needed items, such as wrapping paper or batteries. Birthday Wishes has collection boxes and flyers available. Please [contact us](#) for information on our current needs.

## 1. Plan Your Drive



- Decide on what to collect – [contact us](#) for our most needed toy and party items.
- Make sure all items are brand new and in original packaging.
- Review the Gift & Party Supply Guidelines to be sure your donation will be put to good use or contact your regional office to see their specific needs.
- Decide when you will plan your drive and how long you will hold it for.
- Decide where it will be held. (School, house of worship, business or special event.)

## 2. Promote!



- Let everyone know what you are collecting and that it is benefiting Birthday Wishes.
- Post signs around your community with collection details.
- Use social media to spread the word!
- Send an article and picture to your local paper.

## 3. Collect!



- Birthday Wishes provides collection boxes upon request, supplies are limited.
- Large wrapped boxes can also be used.

## 4. Schedule a Drop-off



- To schedule the donation drop-off, visit: [www.birthdaywishes.org/contact/](http://www.birthdaywishes.org/contact/).