A service project supporting Birthday Wishes is a wonderful way to mark this special and important milestone. There are thousands of homeless children in Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Long Island, NY who would not have a birthday celebration without people like you.

**Have a “Birthday Wishes” Theme**

- Use Birthday Wishes as your Bar/Bat Mitzvah theme!
- Invitations can encourage attendees to bring a new gift or make a monetary donation to Birthday Wishes in lieu of gifts.
- Plan your centerpieces and party decor to reflect our Birthday-in-a-Box Program using various themes, genders and ages. These can then be donated to Birthday Wishes.

**Host a Drive**

- Party supplies, toddler toys and teen gifts are our greatest need. Collection drives can take place in your temple or school.

**Stuff Goody Bags**

- Goody Bags are given to all children at our parties. Guidelines will be provided.

**Make Craft Kits**

- Craft kits are used at our parties as a fun activity that appeals to all ages. Guidelines will be provided.

**Fundraise on behalf of Birthday Wishes**

- Sign up to Donate Your Birthday! Your friends and family can support your personal fundraising page. Create your page at: [www.birthdaywishes.org](http://www.birthdaywishes.org).
- Host an event to benefit Birthday Wishes:
  - Car Wash
  - Bake Sale
  - Lemonade Stand
  - Sports Competition
  - Talent Show

**Build Birthday Boxes**

- These are for our safe shelters and scattered sites that can not accommodate volunteers. All items for a party are carefully assembled in a wrapped box. Guidelines will be provided.

**IMPORTANT:**

Out of respect for the families that Birthday Wishes serves and due to shelter policies we can not place one-time volunteers at our shelter parties as part of a service project.

Birthday Wishes does offer party volunteer positions with a 1-year commitment. For information visit: [www.birthdaywishes.org/donate-time](http://www.birthdaywishes.org/donate-time)

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