ADVENTURE KIDS HANDS-ON MISSIONS PROJECT 2024: Happy Birthday Bags

*“I praise you for I am fearfully and wonderfully made. Wonderful are your works, my soul knows it very well.” Psalm 139:14*

In Psalm 139, the psalmist emphasizes that God created our inmost being, He formed our heart, our habits, and our thoughts. God knew who we would be before we were even born.

Birthdays hold a special place in our hearts - a time to celebrate and show appreciation for the life we have been given. Birthdays hold an even greater significance for kids. Kids eagerly await their special day, counting down the days. For some kids there is no cake, candles, or toys. This summer, Adventure Kids can help kids celebrate by providing Happy Birthday Bags filled for a celebration. By celebrating their birthdays, kids are reminded that they are loved, valued, and cherished. Let’s make each child’s birthday a joyous and meaningful occasion.

**HANDS ON MISSIONS PROJECT:** Happy Birthday Bags for i58 Ministry

i58 is a Food Distribution Ministry in Dallas, TX. i58 exist to restore, rebuild, and renovate the community to thrive with the love of Jesus by serving 275 families and over 1000 individual every month. Every kid is given a birthday bag during the month of their birthday.

Each **group** is asked to bring a Birthday Gift Item - one for girls and one for boys.

Each group will be assigned a birthday party supply item for each **camper** to bring from the list of items for the birthday bag. Everyone in your group will all bring the same item.

Groups may want to invite their church to help with donations. At camp the items will be put together. Adventure Kids Camp will provide birthday bags, cake pans, Sprite, birthday banner, blank birthday card, and any additional items needed for packing and writing birthday wishes. Groups will enjoy packing birthday bags and making cards for the child that will receive it. Invite your kids to bring your group’s assigned item.

Example: if your group’s assigned item is birthday candles

If there are 10 people in your group, plan to bring 10 packages of birthday candles.

1 birthday gift for a boy

1 birthday gift for a girl

**BIRTHDAY GIFT IDEAS:** (Bring a gift for a girl and a gift for a boy from your group. Groups are welcome to bring extra gifts.

Gift Ideas:

* Soccer ball with pump
* Toy Cars
* Stuffed Animal
* Hair Accessories

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY PARTY SUPPLY LIST**

Find your groups assigned birthday party supply on the list and ask each child to bring one the item. Kids/groups are welcome to bring extra.

**Cake Mix**

FBC Keller

Mansfield-South Arlington

Gambrell Street

**Cake Frosting**

Haltom Road

FBC Lockhart

FBC Hamilton

**Birthday Candles**

Royal Haven

Woods Chapel

Cedar Creek

**Happy Birthday Plates 10ct package**

Ash Creek

Primera Azle

Travis Ave

Myriad Church

**Happy Birthday Cups 10ct package**

Southside City

Northwest Park

Pleasantview