

# SERVICE OPPORTUNITY FOR YOUR CLUBS/EVENTS!

## DESCRIPTION OF THE SHOE DRIVE:

See flyer below.

*Current Schools participating in the shoe drive.  
Please feel free to share.*

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## KIWANIS CLUB SHOE DRIVE AT PARTICIPATING LPS SCHOOLS

Today until November 30

*Drop off used child & adult shoes at*

- Buchanan Elementary
- Cooper Upper Elementary
- Garfield Elementary
- Randolph Elementary
- Riley Upper Elementary
- Churchill High School



*What happens to the shoes?*

- The Kiwanis Club of Livonia will give the shoes to a non-profit organization called Funds2Orgs.
- Funds2Orgs will pay the Livonia Kiwanis \$0.40/pound of shoes.
- Funds2Orgs then ships the shoes to developing countries, where impoverished people start, maintain and grow a micro-enterprise by cleaning, repairing and selling the shoes.
- This provides both jobs and low cost shoes in poor countries around the world.



*Where does the money go?*

- 50% of the money we raise will be donated to the Child Life Services programs at four Michigan children's hospitals: C.S. Mott Children's Hospital, Mary Free Bed Rehabilitation Hospital, McLaren Northern Michigan Hospital, and Children's Hospital of Michigan
- 50% of the money will be donated to the Eliminate Project, a joint project between Kiwanis International and UNICEF to eliminate maternal and neonatal tetanus worldwide.
  - This disease kills nearly 49,000 babies and a significant number of mothers annually.
  - Tiny newborns suffer repeated, painful convulsions and extreme sensitivity to light and touch

