

From: KidVantage (formerly EBC - Eastside Baby Corner) <helenr@KidVantageNW.org>
Sent: Wednesday, December 18, 2024 6:00 PM
To: Kimberly K. Christensen
Subject: Meet Lyric and her family...



Your little bit brings great joy!

"Do your little bit of good where you are; it's those little bits of good put together that overwhelm the world." – Desmond Tutu

They are working so hard!

We first met Lyric and Joelani when a partner provider ordered supplies for their daughter, Nova. They are young parents, working hard to stabilize their family.

Lyric is finishing up her GED at Shoreline Community College and plans to obtain a medical certification so she can work from home — which would more easily allow her to care for Nova.



How we helped make ends meet...

Despite their dedication, it was hard for Lyric and Joelani to afford the basics for their daughter. That is when their provider, Mary, stepped in and connected them with KidVantage.

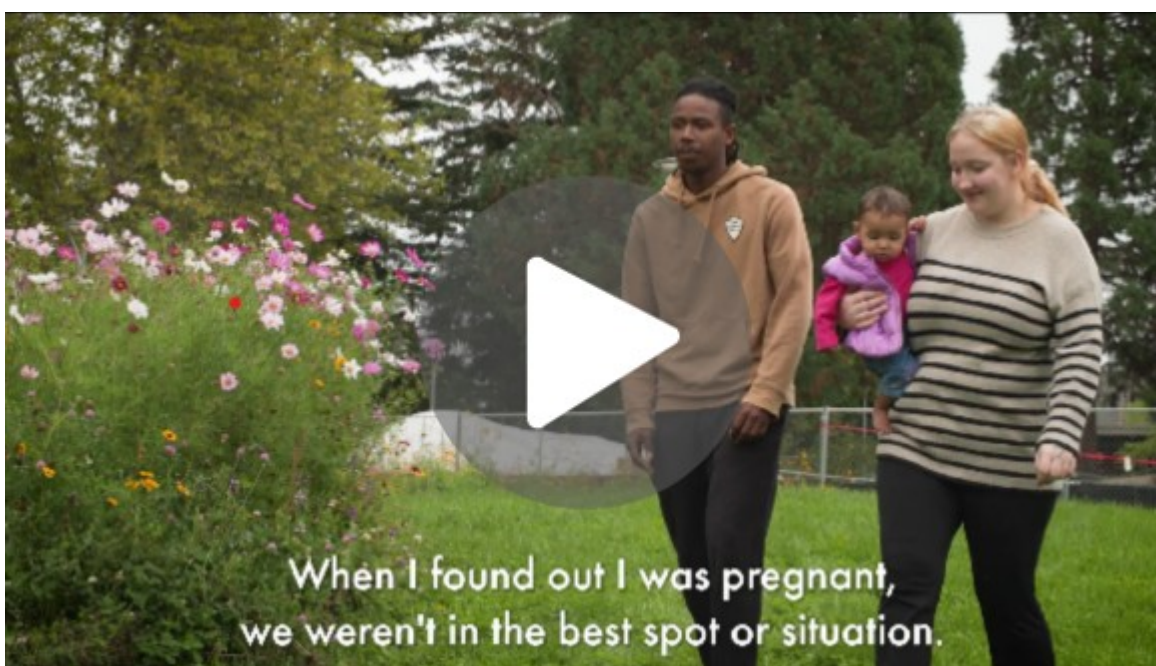
We were able to soften their family's financial stress by providing essential supplies for Nova such as seasonal clothing, diapers, wipes and even a baby scale.

They can count on us!

We are incredibly proud to partner with providers in our community. The opportunity to be there for families like Lyric, Joelani and Nova is an honor.

Join us in giving families a helping hand by [making a donation today!](#)

Donate Now!



P.S. Click above to check out Lyric, Joelani and Nova's full story!

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From: KidVantage (formerly EBC - Eastside Baby Corner) <helenr@KidVantageNW.org>
Sent: Sunday, December 31, 2023 2:00 PM
To: Kimberly K. Christensen
Subject: Hope is the reason



"We do not hope for no reason. Hope is the reason for itself."

– Amanda Gorman, Call Us What We Carry

In our work, hope is central to our mission. We hope that every child feels love when they receive bundles from us, hope that we fulfill every order we receive, and hope in the power of our community coming together.

As the year winds down and you are ready to celebrate the stroke of midnight, we invite you one more time to give to KidVantage.

We send our gratitude - and hope - for a wonderful New Year to you and your loved ones.

Best wishes for a joyful 2024,
The KidVantage Family

Donate Now!

P.S. [Just 10 hours left to make magic happen for kids](#) - and to take advantage of all the tax breaks you can for 2023.

If you have already donated to KidVantage, please accept our heartfelt "thank you" for your support!

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From: KidVantage (formerly EBC - Eastside Baby Corner) <helenr@KidVantageNW.org>
Sent: Saturday, December 30, 2023 11:00 AM
To: Kimberly K. Christensen
Subject: Such a simple act



At its core, our mission is a simple act of kindness.

Kids receive things they need to survive and thrive. Essential items donated by our community like diapers, pajamas, winter coats, bottles, car seats, underpants, formula, books, toys... and so much more.

We do this in an uncomplicated way, a week turn around or even 24 hours for emergencies with an enthusiastic volunteer core who curate each bundle destined for a child. All distributed by a network of dedicated service providers to 16,000+ kids this year.



Kids in our community know they are cared for because of these collective actions.

Help us spread this love with a simple act of kindness and give today.

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P.S. Want to double your impact? If your employer has a matching gift program, don't forget to submit your gift for a match.

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To: kimkchristensen@hotmail.com
Subject: The 1:1 match just DOUBLED! Let's hit \$60k today!

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We can't believe it!

Mark and Jennifer Lynn are all in, they have doubled their match!

That means they are [matching up to \\$30,000 today! With your donations, we have the potential to raise \\$60,000 total!](#)

\$60,000 can do so much good like...

...pay for 6,000 Kits or 12,000 pads.

...allows volunteers and local enterprise leaders to host menstrual health trainings, reaching thousands of girls and boys with the information they need to stay safe and healthy.

...empowers our team to advocate for permanent change by challenging menstrual stigmas and taboos at the institutional level.



**Freedom to choose who
SHE is meant to be is
the *priceless and true*
impact of the donations
made today.**

In the next 660 minutes, let's meet the
Lynn's challenge match: \$30,000!

DONATE

P.S. Anyone who donates today at any amount will be [placed in a raffle drawing for Days for Girls insulated tumbler.](#)

Are you from one of the countries below? Click the relevant button to donate directly to DfG in that country. By doing so, you will also receive a country-specific tax receipt and information about that country program.

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New Zealand

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Please note, donations made to country programs are not eligible for the match and drawings.



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From: Days for Girls International <reply@daysforgirls.org>
Sent: Friday, December 31, 2021 7:02 PM
To: kimkchristensen@hotmail.com
Subject: Bang your drum, blow a horn, let's celebrate full of hope for the New Year! 🥁

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Few minutes left...

As you head out to celebrate the New Year, [we invite you one last time to give to Days for Girls](#). There are only a few minutes left to take advantage of the \$30,000 match thanks to the Mark & Jennifer Lynn Charitable Fund!

Thank you!

We are taking a collective breath as the year winds down and pausing a moment to thank you for your generosity! There isn't anything we can't accomplish as a community full of love...

“Your ordinary acts of love and hope point to the extraordinary promise that every human life is of inestimable value.” – Desmond Tutu

From the DfG Family, we wish you a happy New Year! 🎉

DONATE

P.S. 300 minutes to go! Please consider making a tax deductible gift, giving girls a chance to excel in school, chase their wildest dreams, feel confident and beautiful in their own skin, and realize their full potential!



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Subject: 15 hours to go until 9 pm...☺

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Bringing Dignity to Refugee Women and Girls

Countless refugees and internally displaced persons are left without access to menstrual products due to conflicts and disasters. Humanitarian responses often lack a gender-inclusive lens and typically underfund or exclude menstrual products and services in emergency efforts.



Days for Girls (DfG) is changing this reality by making sure vulnerable populations have access to safe, effective menstrual products and critical health information. We are excited to share our new project in Jordan, where 30% of the population are refugees.

Help us get a bigger piece of a million dollar prize! When you donate today (up to midnight EST), your support makes us eligible for a matching gift from GlobalGiving's Move a Million campaign on #GivingTuesday!

DONATE

Maha has a dream!



Maha Saqqa is the Director of Jordan Medical Aid for Palestinians and operates medical clinics in refugee camps throughout Jordan.

This new, local partner is exceptional at what they do and critical in expanding our work to reach diverse populations.

Maha believes that, *“Girls will be our voices later in life, if we make the investment of education and increase her access to information.”* She witnesses girls hiding or

keeping quiet out of embarrassment as a consequence of ignoring menstrual health. Maha partners with DfG to make sure that all girls understand their bodies and know their rights.

“This is only the beginning!” Maha exclaimed, and we couldn’t agree more! Let’s make sure she has what she needs to change the future so that refugee women and girls can realize their full potential!

DONATE

P.S. Thanks so much for helping us reach our [#GivingTuesday goal of raising \\$35,000](#) for this critical humanitarian work!

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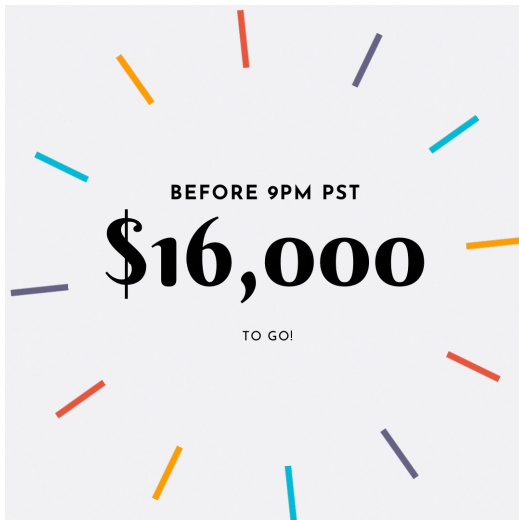
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To: kimkchristensen@hotmail.com
Subject: TRIPLE your impact over the next 3 hours

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DOUBLE your impact with a limited-time match!



Thanks to a DfG anonymous donor, we are offering a 100% match for the next three hours.

So far we've raised \$19,274 of a \$35,000 goal in support of our humanitarian work, like our new project in Jordan.

[Click here to participate!](#)

But wait, there's more...your donation could TRIPLE!

When you donate today, your support also makes us eligible for a bigger piece of a matching gift from GlobalGiving's Move a Million 24-hour campaign. All donations up to \$2,500 are eligible for the one million dollar matching prize. Check here to see where we are on the leaderboard.

DONATE

**P.S. Now is the time to make a donation and take advantage of the
[100 percent match of all donations for the next three hours!](#)**

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Subject: So exciting! We are almost there...

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Together, we've almost made it!

Thank you for your support today and participation in GlobalGiving's Move a Million Campaign!

We are on the homestretch and are excited to share that we have raised \$33,049 in direct donations of our \$35,000 goal! Just \$1,951 more in donations and we can secure GlobalGiving's match prize and make sure that all Jordanian refugee women and girls are able to care for their bodies!



"I love this work because I get to witness everybody linking arms around the world...to reach this common goal for each of these projects is incredibly inspiring and special to witness and be a part of," shared Leyla Isin-Xiong, DfG Global Programs Director.

[Let's link arms with our partners](#), Jordan Medical Aid for Palestinians (JMAP), who are so passionate and skilled in this work. *"We are teaching girls to change things for themselves and the future of their daughters!"* shared Maha Saqqa, JMAP Director.

DONATE

P.S. Follow us at [@DaysForGirls](#) on social media for a celebration of how much we were able to raise for our humanitarian outreach today!

P.S.S. We are already proud to report that we received \$14,396 given earlier which will be matched by our anonymous DfG donor - way to go!

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Sent: Monday, November 1, 2021 6:19 AM
To: kimkchristensen@hotmail.com
Subject: Today is our 13th birthday! 🎉

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Happy Birthday, Days for Girls!

What's so special about the number 13? Globally, 13 is the average age when girls first begin menstruation. Turning 13 can be a sacred transition into puberty and adulthood; an important rite of passage for young people around the world.

Thirteen is also how old Days for Girls turns today! 🎉



It has been our deepest honor to spend the last 13 years fighting for menstrual equity on behalf of every girl. And today, you can help us celebrate 13 years of service with a gift to our year-end campaign!

We're aiming to bring our life-changing menstrual health solutions to a record 2.4 million women and girls by December 31st.

Now is the perfect time to lend us your support! Your gift today will make this a birthday we'll never forget – and could change a girl's life forever.

DONATE NOW

P.S. In honor of our birthday, [consider making a donation of \\$13](#). This buys a life changing DfG Kit and menstrual health education for a woman or girl.

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From: Days for Girls International <communications@daysforgirls.org>
Sent: Tuesday, October 12, 2021 6:32 AM
To: kimkchristensen@hotmail.com
Subject: Now THIS is priceless!

DAYS FOR GIRLS



Freedom is priceless.

Days for Girls believes there's nothing more precious than a vibrant, healthy life brimming with unlimited possibility. For women and girls around the world, this means the chance to excel in school, chase their wildest dreams, feel confident and beautiful in their own skin, and realize their full potential. These gifts are the birthright of every girl – and *they* are priceless.

Period poverty limits possibilities.



Did you know that when girls miss school because they don't have access to period products, it can put them 145 days behind their male classmates? This goes on to have lifetime effects for families, communities, and entire nations – prolonging global gender inequity on every level.

We can shift this paradigm!

Today we launch our year-end campaign where [your contribution is an investment in the power and promise of every girl](#); a ticket to claiming her seat at the table. Last year we made it to 2 million served, by this December we plan to reach 2.4 million - with your help.

Together, let's make sure she has a fair, equitable shot at a bright and abundant future!

DONATE

P.S. [The first \\$10,000 donated will receive a 100% match](#) thanks to DfG advocates: Andrea Leebron- Clay and Amy McIlvaine!

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Sent: Tuesday, October 12, 2021 1:06 PM
To: kimkchristensen@hotmail.com
Subject: DOUBLE your impact and enter to win

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DOUBLE your impact!

Thanks to DfG supporters, Andrea Leebron - Clay and Amy McIlvaine, every dollar is matched up to \$10,000. So far, we have raised \$4,578 (yay!) in our efforts to shatter limitations for girls with DfG's sustainable, life-changing menstrual health solutions!

You can make this happen with a gift of dignity, freedom, and equal opportunity - now that is truly priceless.

DONATE TODAY

P.S. But, wait, there's more! Fleur & Bee is giving away their [Smart Starter Kits \(retail price \\$95\) to 15 donors](#) who give today!

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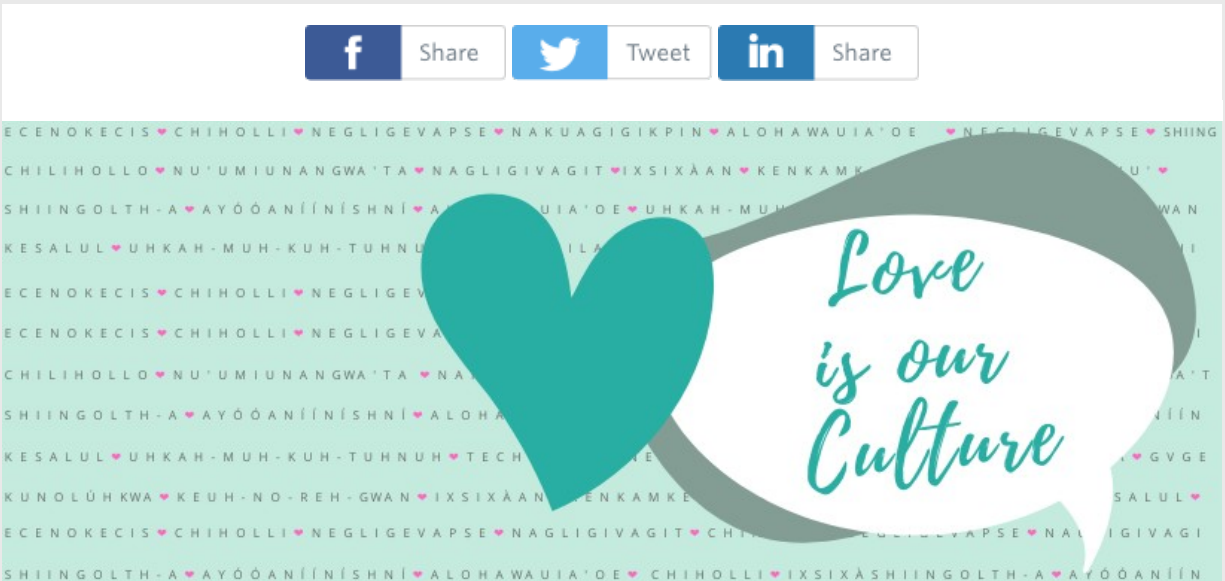
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From: National Indian Child Welfare Association <bnelson@nicwa.org>
Sent: Friday, January 31, 2020 9:21 AM
To: kimkchristensen@hotmail.com
Subject: Valentine's Day is coming up!



Valentine's Day is almost here!

February starts tomorrow with Valentine's Day only two weeks away. We're once again celebrating with *Love is our Culture* cards!

Indigenous values include supportive extended families, a reverence for all life, and the belief that all people and our natural world are interdependent. Celebrate love in all its forms with us!



Get your loved ones a gift that makes a difference!

Honor Indigenous culture while keeping Native families together with these limited edition NICWA Valentine's Day *Love is our Culture* cards.

Between now and February 14, when you [donate any amount to NICWA](#), we will send a personalized card on your behalf.

Use this holiday to celebrate our connections with one another, bringing your family closer—and keeping other families together. Valentine

Donate

P.S. [Give by Monday, February 10](#) for your card to arrive on time!



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What was NICWA like 10 years ago?

From National Indian Child Welfare Association <bnelson@nicwa.org>

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To kimkchristensen@hotmail.com <kimkchristensen@hotmail.com>



Thank you for all your support over the years!

As we enter the 2020s, we wanted to look back at how far we've come with your support. NICWA has grown so much this decade, and we couldn't have done it without you!

Please take a moment to celebrate with us, and consider [making a year-end tax-deductible gift](#) to help us start the 20s in a good way.



Our Decade In Review

We got a new look!

Our logo changed a lot in 2014. Its updated look represents our past 30 years of service while looking toward the future, and it embodies our values for children and our Native cultures as our greatest strength to help families.



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New leadership

In 2015, our founding executive director Terry Cross stepped down, and Sarah Kastelic became his successor as NICWA's executive director. Sarah's passion for the mission and nonstop work ethic have made her a natural leader. Terry has stayed on as NICWA's senior advisor, where you can still find him in the office, at conference, leading trainings, and in tribal communities.

Our membership has exploded!

At the end of 2010, we had about 350 members. We've grown 400%, putting us at 1,400 members today! Our strength is our members, and being able to connect with so many social workers, tribal leaders, and Native child advocates across the continent has been incredible. Thank you to everyone who's joined our program and strengthened our work!



We're helping more families.

Responding to requests for information (RFIs) from families in crisis is a core part of our work. In 2010, we were struggling to fund this program and were unable to respond to many of our callers in a timely way. Now we have multiple



So many of our donors in a timely way, there are more than enough sources of funding to keep this work stable and have successfully responded to 1,200+ RFIs during 2019.

We've trained. A lot.

In the last decade, participants have completed 191,168 hours of training at NICWA events, conferences, and training institutes. 2010 accounted for 15,000 of those hours, while 2019 shot up to nearly 29,000 training hours. That's an astonishing amount of knowledge, networking, and expertise spread across Indian Country, helping families every day.



Speaking of conference.

We've more than doubled the number of attendees at our annual conference! AC10 had 600 child advocates in attendance, while AC19 had over 1,500! From first-timers to familiar faces, it's always amazing to see everyone gathered together advocating for Native children and families!

Our staff size stayed the same

We had 20 staff in 2010 compared with 22 staff members today. Despite the same number of people, we're getting so much more done thanks to our increased number of supporters and partners in Indian Country. Thank you to everyone who has made NICWA's substantial growth in services and impact possible. We truly could not do this without you.



Help us make the next decade even better for Native children and families by [including NICWA in your year-end charitable plans.](#)

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P.S. You can get live updates of our 2020 work by following us on [Twitter](#), [Facebook](#), and [Instagram](#)!



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Subject: I believe in our youth.



Dear Friends,

In my community, each person has a purpose. Teachers, leaders, storytellers, caretakers, service providers—we need each member to thrive, and our youth are critical in contributing to our community's well-being.

Native youth are tasked with learning the traditions of their ancestors as well as envisioning the future they wish to leave for their children. To fulfill their role, Native youth need policies that protect them and a platform to make their voices heard.

NICWA supports Native youth not just by protecting the Indian Child Welfare Act that safeguards Native children, keeping them connected to their families and communities, but also by incorporating youth voices in every aspect of our work.



I joined NICWA as a youth board member, one of two youth positions reserved on the board of directors, where my voice helped to guide all of the work of NICWA, from our advocacy to our programming. I've seen first-hand how many ways NICWA works to include Native youth: speaking to policymakers, presenting at conferences, and informing trainings. I am proud to see young people included in the activities that affect them.

I believe in our youth.

I trust them to help guide us. We need their voice and perspective.

Please join me in [giving a gift to NICWA](#) so that every Native youth can be heard.

Thank you,

Teressa Baldwin, LMSW

Inupiaq – Native Village of Kiana

NICWA Board Member

Donate

P.S. You can help us reach new allies by [donating through our Give!Guide campaign!](#)

Thank you for lifting up Native voices!



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From: National Indian Child Welfare Association <bnelson@nicwa.org>
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Subject: Keep families together with a 2:1 match!



#GivingTuesday is here

Our goal is to raise \$2,500 in support of Native children and families by the end of the day. Will you help us?

TRIPLE your impact!

Surprise—we just got a new match pledge, meaning [your donation](#) will be tripled!

Spirit Rock Consulting has been matching our entire \$2,500 goal for the past two weeks—and now Cynthia Wright from Eaglesun Systems Products is joining in with an additional match of \$2,000. Thank you to both partners for supporting NICWA and making sure Native voices are heard!

Get Involved Today

1. [Give a gift](#) to take advantage of our 2:1 match!
2. [Donate via our Give!Guide campaign](#) to win a two-night luxury vacation.
3. Share our [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), or [Instagram](#) pages with your followers.

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Subject: Every Native Voice is Heard



We are grateful for all the Native families who are able to celebrate the holidays together.

Because of you, more children will spend this holiday season with their loved ones. More family traditions will be shared, more memories made, and more youth proud of their identities and culture.

NICWA is grateful for our community. Thank you for supporting and inspiring our work, making sure every Native voice is heard.

Make your voice heard this #GivingTuesday by supporting NICWA in the following three ways:

1. [Give a gift!](#) And thanks to Spirit Rock Consulting's 1:1 match, your impact will be doubled!
2. [Donate via our Give!Guide campaign](#) to win a two-night luxury vacation.
3. [#LiftUpNativeVoices](#) by sharing our [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), or [Instagram](#) pages with your followers.

Donate

P.S. [Get in on the match early!](#) Spirit Rock Consulting has pledged to match our entire \$2,500 goal between now and December 3, so your gift will be doubled right away.

Thank you for lifting up Native voices!



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Subject: 3 Ways You Can Help

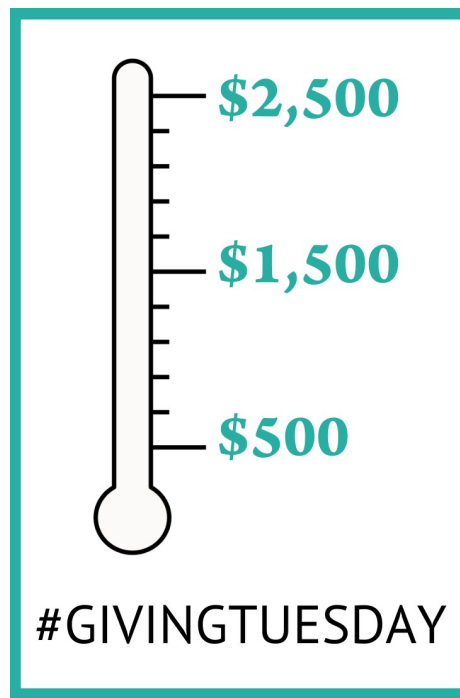


Three ways you can help Native children!

Less than two weeks to go until #GivingTuesday, the biggest online charity event of the year! Our goal this year is to raise \$2,500 in one day.

Here are three ways you can help:

1. [Donate and double your impact!](#)
Thanks to Spirit Rock Consulting, your gift will be matched 1:1 up to \$2,500—help us get a jump on our goal today.
2. [Promote our #GiveGuide2019 campaign!](#) Anyone who donates today is entered to win a Portland Trail Blazer's Fan Package, and all donations on #GivingTuesday are entered to win a luxury stay at the Brasada Ranch in Oregon.
3. [#LiftUpNativeVoices](#) by sharing stories about culture, activism, or community strengths. Tag us so we can join you in celebrating the amazing people and stories you know!



A huge thanks to Spirit Rock Consulting for doubling our #GivingTuesday donations again this year! Spirit Rock has been advocating for Native tribes for a decade, and we are proud to work alongside them.

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PS: [Get in on the match early!](#) The first \$2,500 in #GivingTuesday gifts made between today and December 3rd will be matched 1:1, so your gift will be doubled right away!

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Subject: Need a last-minute Valentine?



Love is our Culture

Happy Valentine's Day!

Since February 1st, we've mailed 30 Valentine's Day cards! We're so close to reaching our goal of sending 40 cards to celebrate ICWA's 40th Anniversary.

If you have any Valentine's left on your list, it's not too late to [send them a personalized e-card](#) and help us reach our goal!



The perfect gift

Bring your loved ones closer and keep Native families together at the same time with a [NICWA Valentine's Day card](#). Donate any amount by 4pm PST today and we'll make sure your Valentine gets their card in time for the holiday!

From all of us here at NICWA, happy Valentine's Day!

Donate

P.S. Have more than one Valentine? [Make one donation](#), then email bnelson@nicwa.org with your full list of names and email addresses!



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Date Thu 12/27/2018 6:03 AM

To kimkchristensen@hotmail.com <kimkchristensen@hotmail.com>



Thank you for uniting for Native families this year!

We're proud to have so many passionate Indian child welfare advocates who #supportNICWA. Here's just a few of our 2018 accomplishments that were made possible by your support.

Please take a moment to celebrate with us, and [consider making a year-end tax-deductible gift to help us start 2019 in a good way.](#)



We're growing

Our 36th Annual Protecting Our Children Conference in Anchorage, Alaska was our largest one yet. We were so happy to meet all 1,280 attendees and are missing the warm hospitality and inspiring local work already!

We launched our Grandfamilies project! We're training 12 grandparents who are primary caretakers to tell their stories to lawmakers, advocating for policy changes for a better future.



We're connecting with you

We responded to 1,074 calls from families, tribes, and social workers requesting information to help keep families together.

Our social media has grown by over 3,000 followers this year, putting us in touch with 63,154 supporters worldwide!



We're expanding our reach at home

We increased our engagement with nine Oregon tribes and the State of Oregon to develop new tools for our members.

Through Willamette Week's Give!Guide, we're getting our name out around Portland, Oregon. We're happy to have so many new allies here in NICWA's hometown!



We're reaching new communities

We visited 50+ communities! From Fairbanks, Alaska to





Have an impact on the lives of children and families in the new year by [including NICWA in your year-end charitable plans.](#)

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Subject: Gifts from the Creator



Community.

Culture plays an important role in how children are raised in Native communities. Extended family and community members use cultural values, beliefs, and practices to protect and care for their youngest tribal members.

Inseparable.

Children flourish because their well-being is the responsibility of everyone in the community. Community, culture, and child rearing are inseparable.

Outcomes.

Children who develop a cultural identity and ethnic pride as a result of remaining connected to their community perform better in school, have lower alcohol and drug use, and experience higher social functioning. All Native children have the right to grow strong knowing who they are.

NICWA strives for these outcomes through our support and advocacy for the Indian Child Welfare Act (ICWA).

Gifts.

Join NICWA in making sure that all Native children know that they are loved by their communities—and valued as gifts from the Creator.

P.S. Our goal is to [raise \\$40,000 in honor of the 40th anniversary of ICWA](#) by the end of the year. #SupportNICWA and help keep children connected to their communities, families—culture!

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Thank you for making our work possible!



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To: kimkchristensen@hotmail.com
Subject: Help children, win prizes, support NICWA



It's December, which means the season of giving is in full swing!
[We've been honored this year to be one of 150 Portland-based nonprofits chosen for Give!Guide](#), a campaign that promotes organizations doing life-changing work in Oregon.

Help NICWA and win prizes!

When you [give through Give!Guide](#), you're not only helping us reach new audiences, but you also have a chance to win amazing prizes if you give on a Big Give Day—like today!

Enter to win a Sony RX100 VA Mirrorless Camera by donating today!



Click above to hear Terry Cross discuss the importance of our work.

[Give!Guide](#) has been helping NICWA get our name out to Portlanders who are unfamiliar with our mission, and we've already gained so many wonderful new allies who want to help us protect Native children. Thank you for helping us spread our message!

P.S. Make sure you [donate by 11:59PM PST tonight](#), December 6, to be entered to win the Sony RX100 Camera!

This isn't your only chance! There are more Big Give Days coming up:

- December 13: Portland Trail Blazers Fan Package
- December 20: Trek FX1 Commuter Bike from Bike Gallery
- December 27: #ExpLOregon Vacation Package

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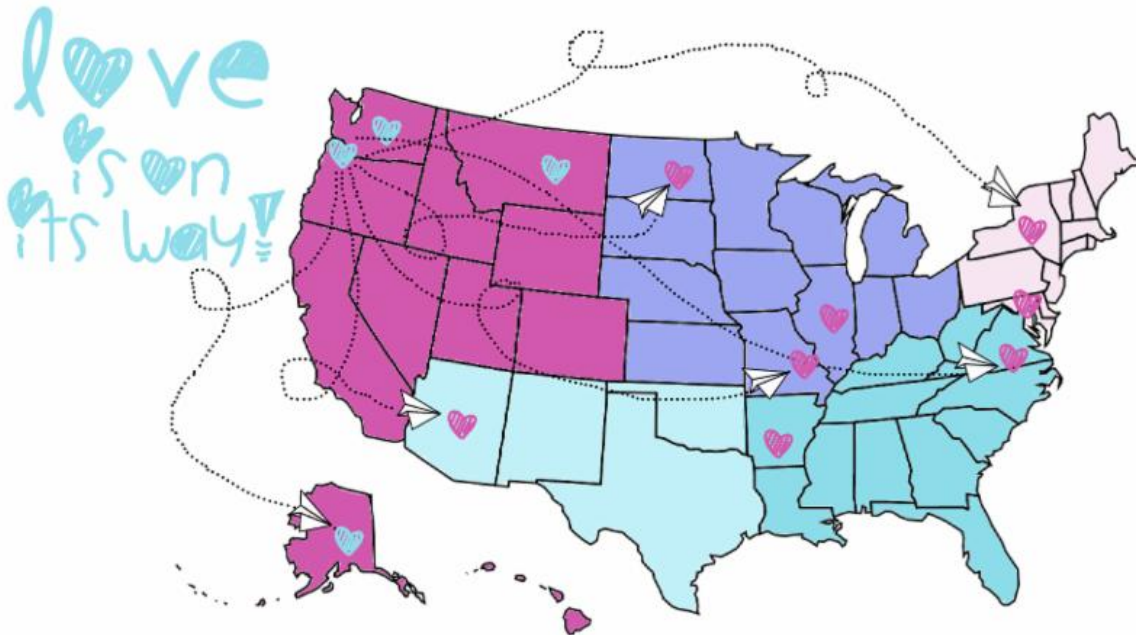
From: National Indian Child Welfare Association <bnelson@nicwa.org>
Sent: Wednesday, February 14, 2018 6:05 AM
To: kimkchristensen@hotmail.com
Subject: Happy Valentine's Day!



Sending your love? It's on its way!

Since February 1, we've mailed 54 Valentine's Day postcards! We had a goal of sending 35 postcards to celebrate the number of years we've been serving Native children and their families. We've reached that goal and more, and are touched by the many expressions of love you, our community, have shown!

Happy Valentine's Day!



If you still have Valentines left on your list, it's not too late to send your love! Any gift made before 4pm PST on Valentine's Day will receive a PDF download of your Valentine's

postcard for your someone special. This is the perfect way to spread love to your friends and family across the globe.

We are grateful for every gift we have received in honor of your loved ones this year. Thank you!



[P.S. Keep an eye out on our Facebook and Twitter to see first-hand the impact your gift has on Native children and families!](#)

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To: kimkchristensen@hotmail.com
Subject: A Valentine for You!



A Valentine for You!

This year, we wanted to send a Valentine to someone very special to us - you! We love our community and your dedication to Native children and families.

From tribal leaders advocating for their communities, to social workers in the field, to Indian child advocates, to foster families who open their hearts and homes - we hope you each feel loved and appreciated for all you do.



Spread a little love! Still looking for something to get your Valentine?

We can help! Share your love with a donation to NICWA between now and February 14th, and we'll send your special someone a personalized Valentine postcard. This year's card was designed by Syllas, our newest member, age 4!

From all of us at NICWA, Happy Valentine's Day!



[P.S. Give by Monday, February 12th for your card to arrive in time for Valentine's Day!](#)

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Sent: Tuesday, November 7, 2017 6:02 AM
To: Kim Christensen
Subject: 35 ways...



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Stand together for Native children!

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Dear friends,

In honor of our 35th anniversary, here are 35 ways we have made an impact for Native children, families, communities, and tribes!

[We have a goal of raising \\$35,000 by this December](#) in honor of our birthday. Celebrate with us, and help continue our life-changing work!

Thank you for standing together for Native children,
NICWA family

P.S. [You can double your impact](#) - new or increased gifts are matched 1:1 up to \$20,000 thanks to a generous grant from The Collins Foundation!

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Our Impact in 35 Ways...

\$3 billion in new federal funding to tribes over the last 20 years 2 youth board members ♥ 1 youth sponsored to participate in White House Gen-I gathering ♥ 25 states traveled to by staff in 2017 ♥ 4 countries visited last 2 months ♥ 63,195 social media followers ♥ 1,000+ requests for information answered ♥ 10,156 people trained in 10 years ♥ 166 people enrolled in our new online ICWA course ♥ 850+ members and growing! ♥ 4 Heart of ICWA public education videos ♥ 1,200+ conference attendees annually ♥ 3,100+ trainings in the last 20 years ♥ 28,000 views of Heart of ICWA videos ♥ 2016 updated ICWA guidelines ♥ 44,338 website visitors per month ♥ 1st time ever ICWA regulations ♥ 4 years pioneering culturally based executive transition ♥ 2 staff testified at UN convention in Geneva ♥ 2 years building a leadership workforce pipeline ♥ 500+ posts #DefendICWA ♥ 36 national Protecting Our Children conferences ♥ 20 different Indian child welfare publications produced ♥ 6 Champions for Native Children awardees ♥ 23 full-time employees, 2 part-time ♥ 17 board members from across Indian Country ♥ 1 founding board member ♥ 3 Wisdom Circle scholarships awarded to members so far ♥ 35 NICWA News quarterly editions ♥ 33 Pathways Practice Digest issues ♥ 7 local Native-led events sponsored annually ♥ 567 tribes partnering in our advocacy ♥ 20,000+ total conference attendees in 36 years ♥ 20% increase in our mailing list and reach

35 years of service to Indian Country!

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From: Sarah Kastelic
Sent: Thursday, October 26, 2017 7:39 AM
To: Kim Christensen
Subject: RE: Better outcomes for Native children!

Hi Kim,
Congratulations! This looks great. Ted let me know that he forwarded it on to the whole Seminole tribal council.

Have a good day,
Sarah

Sarah L. Kastelic, PhD
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From: National Indian Child Welfare Association [kchristensen@nicwa.org]
Sent: Thursday, October 26, 2017 6:03 AM
To: Sarah Kastelic
Subject: Better outcomes for Native children!



NICWA program outcomes such as 1,000+ requests for information answered totaling 12,020 minutes on the phone helping families in crisis, 1,438 people trained through our annual conference and training institutes, and four *Heart of ICWA* videos with personal stories produced as part of a public education campaign receiving 28,000+ views - helped families stay together.

As you see in our annual report, we make every dollar in our budget count, because we know that when Native children are connected to their culture and community, they thrive.

Stand together for Native children, and help kick-off our **35th anniversary** of serving Indian Country by giving a gift to NICWA. We have a goal of raising \$35,000 in honor of our birthday. Celebrate with us and help continue this life-changing work!

P.S. [You can double your impact!](#) We are thrilled to announce that if you give a new or increased gift, your donation will be matched 1:1 up to \$20,000 thanks to a generous grant from The Collins Foundation.



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Thank you for standing together for Native children!

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In honor of our 35th anniversary,
consider a \$35 monthly gift.

Thank you!

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We're serving families!

NICWA continues to fight for Native families on the front lines by responding to 1,000+ requests for information about ICWA and child well-being.

We love our 17 amazing board members who advocate on our behalf!

This November, we observed our anniversary and began our 35th year serving Indian Country.

We're training thousands!

We trained 10,156 people in the last 10 years on topics like Positive Indian Parenting, ICWA Basics, and more!

We launched our new online ICWA course last December; 166 people have enrolled.

We hosted our 35th annual Protecting Our Children national conference in San Diego, California.

We're loving our supporters!

February 14, 2017 marked the delivery of NICWA's first Valentine's Day postcards.

Members are our strength! We continue to grow with nearly 900 tribes, organizations, and individual members.

We're on the go!

NICWA went international with trips to Australia, Canada, and Malta.

Staff traveled to 25 states to provide services to Indian Country.

We're reaching out!

Thank you for helping us grow our social media reach, totaling 63,195 people.

NICWA produced four Heart of ICWA videos which have been viewed 28,000+ times.

NICWA launched our new website to include a section for families and service providers. We have 44,338 visitors per month!



From: National Indian Child Welfare Association <kchristensen@nicwa.org>
Sent: Saturday, December 31, 2016 8:05 AM
To: Kim Christensen
Subject: 2,049



Thanks to your support and partnership in our work - we have accomplished so much in 2016!

- Trained 1,379 community members
- Responded to 1,059 requests for information and referrals from families
- Provided 51 communities with technical assistance

Together, we helped children stay connected to their families and communities - to their identity and culture.

In the next 16 hours, please consider making a gift to help us reach our year-end fundraising goal.

[With only 960 minutes to go, we need to raise an additional \\$2,049 by midnight.](#)

Help us continue this work in 2017, and begin the year with the resources necessary to protect strong Indian families.

On behalf of the NICWA board, staff, and those we serve, thank you!

Thank you ♥ Ariigaa Taikuu ♥ shu' nuu-xwa nin-la ♥ Toda
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