What is Samaritans Purse Christmas Child?

Collection of items for kids less fortunate to be given near Christmas this will allow these children to receive items they need.

Where do they go?

Shoe boxes are filled and dropped off at collection centers.

These are distributed to over 100 countries all over the world.

How can I help?

You can select a boy or girl then age category.

Collect items to put in shoe box. Think of things they would need as well as a wow item.

Fill shoe box and affix label to top of box and rubber band shut.

Where are Collection Stations?

Philips Veterinary Hospital

First Baptist Church Brenham

Washington County 4-H Office

Deadline: November 10th, 2022

What do I put in the box?

Such as:

School Supplies: pencils, map colors, rulers, erasers, pencil sharpener, crayons, paper, markers, watercolor paint, scissors and backpacks

Clothing/Accessories: socks, shoes, shirts, shorts, hair brushes, hair clips, hairs bows, wash cloths, bar soap, bandages and more

Toys: harmonicas, dolls, yo-yos, cars, soccer balls with air pump, stuffed animals, Etch a Sketch, slinky, and cards.

Plastic water bottles are great.

Plastic totes would allow the children to carry water back to their home.

What is not to include?

Candy or gum;

used or damaged items: war-related items such as toy guns, knives, or military figures

chocolate or food

seed, fruit rolls or other fruit snacks

drink mixes (powdered or liquid)

liquids or lotions

medications or vitamins

breakable items such as snow globes or glass containers, or aerosol cans.

Cost to ship is \$9 a shoe box.

Any help would be appreciated.

Have questions feel free to email or call.