Dear Friends and Family,

I am writing to ask for your help with my Rotary Club's Adoption Fest event coming up on September 30.

Austin Cosmopolitan Rotary Club's Adoption Fest is a fun filled day with a serious objective. It brings together prospective adoptive parents and children currently in foster care. This event is the start of finding a forever family for many of these children whether they are preschoolers or teenagers.

The theme of the event is a Carnival of Fun. We provide games which help the children and adults interact and collaborate with each other. The children receive Rotary Bucks for scoring points in the games. The children can then spend their Rotary Bucks in the carnival Prize Store.

Would you help stock the Prize Store by purchasing one or more of the items on our Amazon Wish List: <u>Austin Cosmopolitan Rotary Adoption Fest</u> <u>2023 Wish List</u>? Purchases will be automatically shipped to our event coordinator.

The Prize Store is one of the highlights of the day for the kids as they get to spend their Rotary Bucks on whatever they choose. Many of the kids purchase items not only for themselves but as gifts for others. We want to have the store well stocked with items for every age.

You can also donate funds for the purchase of supplies for the event via PayPal by following this link: <u>https://www.paypal.com/donate/?hosted_button_id=M5RH3B5KWRTSJ</u>. Or send a check:

- Payable to: Cosmopolitan Rotary Club of Austin Foundation
- Mail to:

CRCAF c/o Heidi Wittenborn 18300 Angel Valley Dr Leander TX 78641

• Memo on the check: For Adoption Fest

NOTE 1: Any prizes or funds received too late for this year's event will be held for next year's event.

NOTE 2: All donations are tax deductible. CRCAF is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization.

Thank you for considering this request.