

Christmas in August Sends Kids Back to School in Style

Bookworm Perrine Gardens is a low income housing development in the South area that is served by the Team Metro Kendall Office. Along with its community partners, Team Metro Kendall is giving away book bags, pencils, pens, crayons, paper, erasers and folders to needy children as they look forward to returning to school on Monday, August 14, 2006.

Over 125 children will receive the book bags and supplies donated by 100 Black Men of South Florida. Additionally, free books have been donated by WLRN/PBS/NPR public stations for the children, as well as snacks provided by Bennigan's restaurant. Many of the children come from single parent households.

"As we serve these communities, we see the needs of many throughout Perrine, and believe it is incumbent upon us to give back to those less fortunate. We are thankful that our partners in this project see fit, as well, to give back to others in need," says Catherine Minnis, Regional Coordinator, Team Metro Kendall Office.

For details on when and where the giveaway will take place, download the flyer in PDF format.