

# Wheels of Hope – Bicycles for Boys & Girls



**Wheels of Hope** is an extension service for the Community Hope Center, Inc. with a charter to procure, find, fix and deliver safe, fun tricycles, scooters and bicycles to needy children during the Hope Center's Christmas Toy Give-Away season. The Community Hope Center, Inc. is located at 1201 Hope Center Lane in Cottage Hills, IL 62018 and was established in April 1988 as a nonprofit organization complying with all applicable laws and requirements of federal, state and local governments. For more information about the Community Hope Center, Inc. visit their web site at:

<http://www.hopecenters.com>

The Center is solely supported by local businesses, foundations, private donations, and receives no state funding. It is self-supporting through its own philanthropy efforts.

**Wheels of Hope** is looking for donations of usable tricycles, scooters and bicycles for children ages 5-12 that can be fixed up at a reasonable cost. We also are seeking donations of new bicycles, helmets and other accessories to make these gifts as attractive as possible. We likewise would like to cooperate with area retailers who may be willing to provide free or highly discounted equipment and accessories. We will, of course, provide identification and recognition for our corporate partners and sponsors.

It is our desire to have a quality protective helmet for every vehicle given to a child, so these are highly desirable. Donated bicycles that are inappropriate for the ages or are unsafe will be scrapped, or repaired and donated to adults for transportation or sold to further the philanthropy of the Center. All donations are tax deductible.

For more information on this program, to make donations, volunteer to assist or to sponsor or partner in the **Wheels of Hope** project, please contact:

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