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***The Belk Charity  
Day Sale is this  
Saturday, August  
24th! Enjoy your  
shopping! Thank  
you for supporting  
FPGHC in this way!***

**This newsletter is  
created monthly by  
FPGHC volunteers.**

**THANK YOU FOR  
SHARING IT**



## Director's Corner

Nicole Rosser, MPA  
Executive Director



As you read in our previous two issues, we were collecting donations for our annual Christmas in July emphasis. We use the donated funds and gift cards to provide our guest children (current and previous guests) with needs for the new school year. We started our Christmas in July projects in 2016 and have provided new clothing and school supplies to 46 children these four years because of the support of your donations and the work of our volunteers.

Back to school time can be both exciting and stressful. While there is the excitement for the students of seeing old friends, making new friends, meeting new teachers, and the beginning of football season, many of our guest parents feel the burden of purchasing school clothes and supplies for the new year. This is certainly one of our favorite times of the year as we have the opportunity to give our hard working parents a bit of relief in preparing for a successful school year and the smiles on the children's faces is invaluable. Christmas in July 2019 has been nothing short of amazing. Because of our generous donors we were able to adopt 13 students this year, which included 10 teenagers.

A huge THANK YOU to all of our donors for making this event possible. A special THANK YOU to our elves who worked tirelessly to make this event a success.

**See photos on page 2.**





## Happy Faces of Elves and Children!



Here is one of our students ready for the new school year!



*The Southern Landings Ladies Golf Association held a golf tournament Saturday, August 10th. During the event they held a 50/50 raffle and chose Family Promise of Greater Houston County as the non-profit to receive the funds. Thank you, ladies, for your support!*



**Family Promise Director, Nicole Rosser, is pictured with Betsy Phillips by the FPGHC sign and with Michelle Hartman as she receives the donated funds.**

### Volunteer Recognition

Family Promise depends on volunteers and we want to recognize one this month. Meet Brandon Schultz. This summer during his college break, Brandon has been creating / editing videos to be used by our local network to help share information about the work of FPGHC. Thank you, Brandon, for your hard work; your creations will be very helpful!



If you would like to join our Public Relations team, or volunteer in any way, contact us and let us know. We love our volunteers and we need others to join us in serving our families and letting people know about the great work done for our families.



### The Day Center Needs a New Roof

In the fall of 2017 FPGHC was blessed with the gift of a large building. After many needed renovations we opened the doors to our current location in May 2018. We knew that a new roof would soon be needed. This need is now urgent with evidence of water stains and damage on walls.

We received a quote of \$10,750 to make the needed repairs. Donations have been given to cover about one half of the cost. We need others to join us in giving financially to meet this need. Would you consider giving a generous donation to help us meet this current need? If 60 Family Promise friends could give \$100 each we could have the roof repaired this fall. Any amount you can give toward this need is appreciated!

We kindly ask you to consider being a part of this effort. Please be sure to mark your donation "For Roof Repair". See the mailing address on page 4. Thank You for your support!

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