



October 2008

Dear Child Welfare Workers, Probation Officers, and Youth Advocates,

City Youth Now's holiday elves have once again been busy collecting gifts for youth (targeting ages 12-18) in the foster care and probation systems. We invite you to review the available gifts over the following pages and complete the attached form for teenagers under your care who are wards of the San Francisco Juvenile Court. Please return the form to:

City Youth Now
375 Woodside Avenue
San Francisco, CA 94127

or fax to City Youth Now at 415-682-0126.

We ask that you indicate three choices for each you, as gift quantities are limited. **The deadline to turn in request form(s) is Monday, December 1, 2008.** Orders will be filled on a first come, first served basis.

The Christmas Room is staffed by City Youth Now volunteers and will be open from **Thursday, November 13 –Friday, December 19, 2008.**

Probation Officers and Child Welfare Workers will be called when your orders are filled. Each worker is responsible for arranging pick-up of his/her own gifts.

On behalf of the Board and volunteers of City Youth Now, I thank you for your care and commitment to our city's most vulnerable youth throughout the year.

Best holiday wishes,

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Executive Director



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Journal and Gel Pens

Unleash the inner poet, author, or creative writer with this pink and orange swirl journal which includes a set of metallic gel pens. Imagine the poems and stories they will write! Create a poetic phrase, commanding sentence or inspirational set of words. The possibilities are limited only by your imagination. **GIFT 1**



Suede Photo Album

Your youth’s history, present, and future collide in this photo journal. With special pages for keepsake photos, your youth can store the memories of her youth. **GIFT 2**



Sketch Your Cares Away!

Bring out the Van Gogh in your teen with this sketch pad, colored pencil set, drawing pencils, eraser and pencil sharpener. Let the inner artist shine through. **GIFT 3**



CITY YOUTH NOW
CHRISTMAS GIFT REQUEST FORM

Date Submitted:_____ Telephone #:_____

☐ Foster Care System ☐ Juvenile Probation System

Probation Officer/C.W.W.:_____

Division/Worker #:_____ Telephone #: _____

NAME OF CHILD (Please Print)	AGE	SEX	GIFT #:
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Filled By:_____ Date:_____



Spice up your at home manicure!

With three groovy shades of nail polish and this elastic/glass bead bracelet kit, your teen is sure to shine. Each gift includes three different shades of nail polish and a blue or purple glass bead kit. **GIFT 14**



Candy or Gum Making Kits!

It's time for teen to be a scientist and chef all at once. With these cool kits with all the ingredients to make chocolate candy or bubble gum, your teen can create the tastiest of treats. **GIFT 15**



Book Bag and Books for Your Teenage Boy!

This black sling backpack is sure to be a hit with your teenage boy. Every bag comes with a Webster's English Dictionary, and a copy of Jeff Rivera's book *Forever My Lady*. **GIFT 16**



Book Set and Bookmark

For the readers in your group...help them begin to build their personal libraries. Each set includes two books and a cute bookmark. The sets include:

Girl Book Set: GIFT 4

Hope Was Here by Joan Bauer
Money Hungry by Sharon Flake

Boy Book Set: GIFT 5

Love That Dog by Sharon Creech
Surviving the Applewhites by Stephanie Tolan



Stationary and Gel Pens with Nail Polish, and Bracelets Galore!

It's time to paint those fingernails and throw on the bangle bracelets! With her fashion nails she can sit down and write a long letter to catch up her friends and family on what's new in your teen's life. **GIFT 6**



Ready, Set, Hike!

Does your teen spend Thursday nights on the couch watching the game or dream of playing for the NFL? If so, this is the perfect gift for your teen! **GIFT 7**



Magnetic Dartboard

The perfect gift for your teenage boy! A wide variety of fun games of skill can be played using this safe, magnetic dartboard set. **GIFT 8**



Girl's Hat and Necklace Set

Do you have a youth who is a fan of Project Runway? Are they always on top of the latest fashions? If so, they are going to LOVE this TEAL newsboy hat and colorful necklace combo! Get them the hat that is the talk of the fashion world this Holiday season... Hats come in Dark Brown/Teal. **GIFT 11**



Radio Alarm Clock!

Is your youth having trouble waking up on time? They won't have this problem with this trendy radio alarm clock. **GIFT 9**



Basketball

Does your youngster like to shoot hoops? If so, here's the gift for them! This regulation-size basketball is perfect for the gym or the playground. **GIFT 12**



Get ready for the day!

This trendy stamped gold necklace and make-up set are sure to bring the perfect accents to any outfit. Now your teen will be cool kid on the block! **GIFT 10**



Soccer Ball

Have a kid that knows all the World Cup teams? Is he/she moved to scream GOOOOAAAAAALLLLL!!!! for no reason at all? If so, this soccer ball might be the perfect gift this holiday season. **GIFT 13**