

MEDIA RELEASE

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On Saturday April 23, 2011 at 1:00 pm, personnel from the Fayetteville Police Department along with volunteers will begin distributing Easter Baskets to children in the tornado stricken areas. The generosity of our community will be met with the smile of a child as the Easter baskets are delivered to homes in the tornado stricken areas.

Operation "Easter Basket"

Due to the recent tornado related devastation, many families will be unable to provide an Easter Basket for their children. As a result, the Fayetteville Police Department and volunteers would like to fill that void and provide Easter baskets for as many children as possible.

If anyone is interested in donating Easter related items to Operation "Easter Basket," please drop off your donations at the Westover Recreation Center (277 Bonanza Drive) on 4/22/11 from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm. Volunteers are needed to assist with donation drop-offs on 4/22/11 and with the Easter basket delivery on 4/23/11 at 1 pm.

If you are interested in assisting, please call Amber House at (910) 257-7605. Thanks in advance for your generosity.

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