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*Sharing with Edgerton families since 1989*



**UPCOMING EVENTS & ACTIVITIES:**

**FOR THOSE IN NEED:** Sign up **NOW** at Edgerton Outreach (ECO) during open business hours. **106 South Main / Edgerton**

**Buy Toys:** Toy "wish" list on G4K FB Page!

**Nov. 30th:** Holiday Light Parade **6PM**

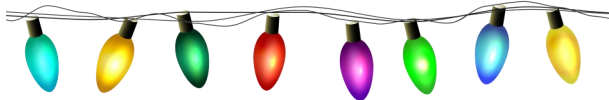
**Dec. 10th & 11th:** G4K Distribution

**Dec. 13th:** Visit with Santa Claus at Dam Paradise from **3PM -7PM**



**Feb. 4th:** G4K Annual Meeting **5:30PM**

All Welcome / Edgerton Library / 101 Albion Street



**Gifts For Kids (G4K) Mission:**

Gifts For Kids is committed to providing gifts and opportunities to the children of our community and organizations that support them.

*thank  
you!*

**More Information:**  
[EdgertonGiftsForKids.org](http://EdgertonGiftsForKids.org)

**Money collection canister locations :**

**BCU, Carl's Shell, Coffee Depot, Culvers, Dam Paradise, i90, Kwik Trip, Morrison's, Oasis, Steve's 51 Repair & TCC.**

**Support G4K by donating TODAY!**

**Toy collection barrel locations :**

**BCU, Café on Main, Central Lutheran Church, City Hall, Coffee Depot, Dam Paradise, ECO, Edgerton Hospital, Middle School, Morrison's, Perry's Piggly Wiggly, Petry's Chiropractic, Edgerton Library, Steve's 51 Repair & TCC.**

**Support G4K by donating TODAY!**

**Scan to Give**



*DONATE*

Donate by completing the enclosed slip & mail.

"Like Us" on **FB!** Needed TOYS will be posted there.

Log onto: [EdgertonGiftsForKids.org](http://EdgertonGiftsForKids.org) and donate on-line or scan the QR code to your left.

**Gifts For Kids (G4K) Toy Collection Barrels will be **picked up on Monday, 12/9** so **PLEASE** drop TOYS in EARLY.**

Pick up a G4K neon yellow tree tag OR you can shop for a child (**birth to 5th grade**) without a tree tag. Toy "wish list" can be found on the G4K FB page.

Donations after **12/9** can be dropped off at **Edgerton Outreach** as ECO serves families right up until Christmas!

**We Put Your Donations To Work**

Our organization consists of 100% volunteers and we have NO building to support. We work very hard to keep our overhead to a minimum. All of your donations go directly to support programs for the children within the Edgerton School District.

**Most needed items include:**  
**Larger Valued Toys, Family Games, Art Supplies & Craft Projects.**



## Gifts For Kids Programs & Activities

**G4K Christmas Distribution:** Edgerton families that participate in the G4K Christmas distribution receive gift items for their children birth to 5th grade plus a family care bag (filled with items that are often left off the family shopping list at Christmastime). G4K's goal is to make sure every Edgerton child has a merry & bright Christmas filled with joy! The Giving Tree (a ECO program) is designed for children 6th to 12th grade. **Sign up NOW at Edgerton Outreach / 106 South Main / Edgerton.**

**Weekend & Summer Grub Club (WGC):** Gifts For Kids continues to support child-focused food programs like WGC since donating \$2400 when the program launched in 2018. The WGC provides children with food in the summer & during the school year on the weekends thanks to our leaders, volunteers & donors.

**Edgerton Library:** This partnership began in early 2018, and since that day, G4K have been actively checking items off their "wish" list! G4K also founded & supports the monarch station at the Library. This program started in 2022 & runs yearly from early June until late August. This hands on program is very popular as it allows children & adults alike to learn all about our monarch friends & watch the metamorphosis up close! Monarch's were added to the IUCN endanger species list in 2022! To date 97 monarchs have been released from our local Library. G4K also supports the summer reading program & the Home for the Holiday Celebration!

**Birthday Club:** This G4K program with sign up at ECO provides anyone in need with all the birthday supplies needed to make their child's birthday special!

**Edgerton Teen Center:** Partners since 2015, G4K has played a large role in supporting many Teen Center Projects. This year G4K donated towards the needed brick repair as well as donating towards theme nights and funded the Teen Center's NEW indoor mini golf course!

**Care Closet:** With help from G4K, each school in the Edgerton School District has a Care Closet supplied with personal care products, clothing, granola bars, snack items & school supplies.

**Youth Assistance:** This program puts in place a process for ECO & school social workers to request funds via G4K for various reasons, such as winter clothing, shoes, boots or other essential items.

**Silverwood Park:** Forming a partnership in 2015, G4K has donated towards many child focused activities including the Children's Nature Trail & Mud Kitchen. G4K is a proud sponsor of the kayak unit & the NEW monarch class at the Silverwood Summer School.

**Easter Baskets:** A ECO program supported by G4K since 2018! G4K provides all the goodies so every child receives a Easter basket full of fun!



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## Santa Level Sponsors



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## Rudolph Level Sponsors

Diaz Roofing, JB Johnson Bros., LLC,  
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Rebholz Gas & Electric Inc.,  
Roethe Law Firm & Stoughton Trailers.



**NEW Communication Board at Racetrack Park:**  
A communication board helps those with speech & language delays, language barriers, and the very young just learning to speak. It makes everyone feel welcome and supported. It's a simple solution towards inclusion. Next time your at Racktrack Park, check it out!

**FREE Swimming Lessons:** Offered in the Summer, Fall & Winter! **Sign up NOW at Edgerton Outreach!**

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