



# Lussier Community Education Center

building community, creating opportunities, enriching education

## 2016 Center Holiday Wish List

The LCEC depends on the generosity of many donors to offer the best programs and services to the community. Every year the Center requests donations ranging from computers to new blinds for a classroom, school supplies, tickets to shows and parks, and food for our pantry and children's programs. These in-kind donations help us offset costs and stretch our resources much farther.

We appreciate the extra spirit of giving that prompts you to look at our Wish List this holiday season. **We'll be open for drop-off on Monday, December 19, from 9am to noon and again from 3pm to 6pm.** If you'd like to donate something that is **not** on this list or arrange to drop off at another time, please call ahead at **608.833.4979**.

**The Center is currently looking for...**

### NEW ITEMS

- Grocery store gift cards to purchase snacks or food for afterschool programs and community dinners (for example, Woodman's or Walmart)
- Gas cards to help us fuel up before taking the kids on field trips
- Gift cards to Target, Walmart or Shopko for families needing winter coats, clothing, or basic necessities
- Bus passes for our employment clinic
- Toothbrushes, feminine products, and paper products for program and food pantry families
- AAA & AA batteries for our afterschool programs
- Large baking sheets for our free youth dinner program and community meals
- Ziplock and Rubbermaid plastic leftover containers and Ziplock quart and gallon bags for food programs
- Washable tempera paints, watercolor paints, and paint brushes for teen art projects
- Basketballs and Nerf footballs
- Headphones for the computer lab
- Graphic novels for kids 6-12

### FOOD PANTRY ITEMS (non-expired items only)

- Hearty soups, spaghetti pasta, pasta sauce
- Canned fruit and vegetables
- Tuna and other canned meats
- Dried or canned beans
- Peanut butter and jelly
- Vegetable oil and olive oil
- Juice, crackers, dried fruit, nuts