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## **Good News Bears' Sponsor a Bear Program**

Good News Bears, a charity based in Livermore, offers a wonderful way for you to support their cause and have a personal touch. The all-volunteer group distributes stuffed animals to emergency, medical, and social services. Over 60 agencies get supplied with critters to give to those suffering trauma, illness, loss, or loneliness. Any age, male or female, benefits from this simple symbol of caring.

Sponsor a Bear lets you send a personal message on a tag that is attached to a stuffed animal. The tags are only \$5 each, and every \$20 collected allows GNB to purchase up to 6 new bears.

This is a great program for workplaces! Easy to do, no big collections to deal with, and you can rest assured that 100% of the funds collected go right back to purchasing teddy bears. With increasing needs – GNB averages 11,000 to 12,000 critters per year – every dollar helps!

The Sponsor a Bear program goes all year long. Think about a Valentine's drive! Or Mother's Day! 4<sup>th</sup> of July! You can either allow us to find a home for your sponsored bear, or you can designate a specific charity or demographic to support. For more information, contact Jeanie at <u>jhaigh@livermorechamber.org</u> Spread some comfort and love – throughout the year!