



Ronald McDonald House Charities® Central & Northern Arizona

MEDIA ALERT

5-Year-Old Girlfriends Will Deliver Wish-Gift Items to Ronald McDonald House Today; They Collected Items, Rather than Received Gifts, for Their Birthdays

WHAT

- Instead of receiving gifts, Brooklyn Woodhouse and Reese Kober celebrated their 5th birthdays by collecting Wish List items for Ronald McDonald House Charities of Central and Northern Arizona.
- The two girls from the North Phoenix/Desert Ridge area will deliver those items to the original Ronald McDonald House at 501 E. Roanoke Ave., this afternoon.
- Wish List items include traditional children's toys, cleaning supplies, linens and items for the kitchen pantry.

WHEN

- 2 p.m. today, Dec. 5.

WHERE

- Ronald McDonald House, 501 E. Roanoke Ave.

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About Ronald McDonald House Charities of Central and Northern Arizona

Ronald McDonald House Charities of Central and Northern Arizona, Inc. provides a “home-away-from-home” for children and their families who travel to metropolitan Phoenix to receive treatment for serious, often life-threatening illnesses and injuries. The three houses operated in metropolitan Phoenix can accommodate up to 78 families a night. Families stay for days, weeks, sometimes months at a time while their children receive care. Since opening its doors in 1985, families from across the state and around the world have checked into the Ronald McDonald House more than 50,000 times. Ronald McDonald House Charities of Central and

Northern Arizona, a non-profit organization supported by individual, corporate and foundation donations, never turns away a family if they cannot afford the \$15 nightly fee requested. For more information, visit www.rmhccnaz.org.