



PINS FOR KIDS



UNITED WAY
Cass County

To benefit Cass County Reading Railroad



We are gearing up for our annual Pins for Kids bowling event on Saturday, March 1st! We are asking for your help by donating a door prize. Our goal is to have the bowling alley filled for all the time slots, which would be 600 bowlers who would love the opportunity to win a prize from you!

Door prizes are awarded during each time slot. If you'd rather spread out your donation (Ex: 2 \$10 gift cards instead of 1 \$20 gift card), we place them at different time slots to give you more publicity!

BENEFIT INFORMATION:

Pins for Kids is the largest annual fundraiser for Cass County Reading Railroad, which served 3,400 children in 2024. Your support will help us continue our work through our four programs:

BEGINDERGARTEN™

A FREE 90-hour program that helps prepare children to enter kindergarten provided in partnership with Logansport Community School Corporation and taught by local teachers. Children who are identified at kindergarten registration as not prepared are invited to attend. Transportation, breakfast, lunch, and all necessary supplies are provided.

DOLLY PARTON'S IMAGINATION LIBRARY

The Imagination Library provides one age-appropriate book per month for Cass County children who are registered. Children are eligible from birth until they turn five, which adds 60 books to a child's home library. There are currently 1,469 children enrolled, which is 17,628 books being distributed this year! United Way of Cass County/Reading Railroad and the State of Indiana split the cost of books and postage, which is estimated to be a \$22,916 cost to United Way/Reading Railroad in 2025.

BUSINESS PARTNERS

This program pairs a local volunteer with a classroom for eight months of the school year. The volunteer is provided with a book to read each month, along with activity ideas if time allows. After the book is read to the children, it is then donated to the classroom library. This program serves PreK through 2nd grade at Caston, Lewis Cass, Logansport, and Pioneer schools.

FIRST GRADE LIBRARY VISITS

This program serves Logansport and Lewis Cass schools for 8 months of the school year. The children are bussed to their Public Library, where volunteers work with them on learning about the library and checking out books. They are also read to by the volunteer. Many children would not otherwise have the opportunity to visit their Public Library.

EVENT INFORMATION:

Date: Saturday, March 1, 2025

Time: Teams will bowl during one of the following time slots: 9am, 10:15am, 11:30am, 12:45pm, or 2pm)

Location: Myers Sport Bowl

Theme: Rodeo/Western (Prizes are given each hour for the best-dressed team!)

Cost: \$175/team (shirt sponsorship starts at \$300)

A team consists of a captain and four other bowlers. If you have interest in putting together a team, e-mail Karli at karmstrong@unitedwayofcasscounty for a form! Teams must register by February 4th to be guaranteed a shirt!

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Saturday, March 1, 2025

9:00am - 3:00pm

Myers Sport Bowl

Company Name: _____ Contact Person: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

Door Prize Description: _____

Estimated Value of Item: _____ *We are required to report totals for our gaming license

Method of Delivery:

_____ I will mail/drop off my donation to United Way by February 18th

_____ Please pick up my donation

If you have any questions, please contact Karli
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Thank you for your support!

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