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“CSC Care” – Special Deliveries to Camden Head Start

**We make a living by what we get, but we make a life by what we give”
- Wiston Churchill**

Hackensack, NJ (January 13th, 2009) – Chinese Service Center, USA (CSC), a non-profit organization servicing Bergen County, recently completed two most successful drives (a winter donation drive and a holiday gift drive) for the Camden Head Start Program (located at 250 Federal St, Camden, NJ 08103) for babies, toddlers and young children.

CSC wishes to express special heart-felt thanks and appreciation on behalf of the Camden program coordinator, Ms. Jessica Yambo to Bergen Chinese School & Bohua Chinese School and Bryant Elementary School in Teaneck (lead by teacher, Ms. Kimberlynn Hermans with the children’s book donations) for their wonderful support and out-pouring love for these little ones. You have changed lives!

Both drives were spearheaded by our most enthusiastic and energetic volunteer, Ms. Sharon Ma (CSC activity director), who mobilized the CSC community and collected over 50 bags of used items along with CSC’s donation of over 100 newly purchases underwear, socks, and gloves for the cause. This first donation drive was delivered on 11/29/08 by CSC director Kevin Loo (with his daughter, Meagan) and director Henry Lee.

The 2nd holiday gifts drive was very meaningful and fun in that when Ms. Yambo provided 79 boys and girls names, Sharon created snowman cutouts for each CSC family to adopt for gift purchasing. A total of over 80 presents along with the book donations were delivered by CSC director Ben Hwang (with his daughter Min Ru and son Patrick) on 12/18/08.

It all started with a connection from a Bergen Chinese School alumnus, Jennifer Luo (first year student at UMDNJ, Stratford campus) who learned of the dire need from the Pediatric club. Without the compassion and action of all, this would not have happened. Thank You! For more details, please visit: <http://groups.google.com/group/csc-connect> (Google Group) <http://picasaweb.google.com/suzancho/CSCCamdenHeadStartProgramDonationHolidayDriveNovDec2008#> (photos)

For more information about CSC, their Chinese schools and summer camp, please visit www.ChineseServiceCenter.org. For volunteer opportunity, please contact us at info@ChineseServiceCenter.org. CSC is a Certifying Organization (CO) for the Presidential Volunteer Service Award.

About Chinese Service Center USA:

Chinese Service Center USA is a non-profit 501c3 organization dedicated to promote community participation, education, and leadership, to foster cultural exchange and awareness, and to promote strength in diversity and heritage values through educational, cultural and community programs. Serving the Bergen County and New York City community for over 35 years, CSCUSA sponsors three Chinese School located in Hackensack, NJ and the upper west side of NYC (within Columbia University) and sponsors and supports numerous cultural events and exchanges across the tri-state region. ###

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