RU Recovery Ministries
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Dear Community Investment Person:

I am writing to you on behalf of RU Kidz Club. RU Recovery Ministries is a faith-based addictions program with an 85% success rate. Kidz Club is designed to deal with children who come from addicted homes. While the parents are getting help we create a fun and educational program that teaches children how not to make the same mistakes their parents have made. Recent studies by the World Health Organization show that 70% of children who are raised in an addictive household become addicts later in life. Our goal is to "Break the Cycle of Addiction".

We do this through our 10 Principles for preventing stubborn habits. We teach the children about being transformed from the inside out with songs, Bible memorization, and fun games. The parents lifestyle of addiction fosters thinking processes that lead the children to follow their parents into the same kind of lifestyle. We have a full curriculum that includes books and lesson plans, and the children are encouraged to keep a daily journal of their daily walk with God as they go through life. We teach them how to deal with peer pressure and to avoid bad situations where they might be tempted with smoking, drugs, or alcohol. We also help kids that struggle with bad eating habits, attitudes, and video game addictions. We work to modify their behavior and shape their future into honest hard-working and productive members of the community.

We are a tax exempt non-profit organization and would appreciate a donation of any kind to allow us to purchase or aquire candy, snacks, and even some toys. We use candy, snacks, and toys to reward good behavior, completed challenges in their workbooks, and for contest/game prizes. The children also enjoy a snack time where they get juice and treats. We meet every Friday at 6:45pm - 9:30pm at North Love Baptist Church on East Riverside Blvd. Rockford, IL. I hope that you consider the community serving ministry of RU Kidz Club for your donations.

Sincerely,
Benjamin and Emily Smith
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