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MKCCC Benefits From Jr. League Holiday Drive

Families served by the Mount Kisco Child Care Center (MKCCC) recently benefited from the Junior League of Northern Westchester's 28th Annual Holiday Share Drive, which addresses poverty, hunger and disparity during the holidays. The Junior League organizes community members to provide gift and food items to needy Northern Westchester families. MKCCC is a founding partner in the program, which supports 35 of the families whose children are in care at MKCCC.

The project promotes volunteerism by facilitating a volunteer opportunity

for the community; provides hands-on training opportunities for committee members in project development and coordination with our community partners; and, ultimately, improves the lives of those most in need in our community.

More than 20 athletes from the Yorktown Hockey team loaded, unloaded and delivered over 100 boxes of food, clothing and gifts to MKCCC. Whalen's Moving provided the truck that delivered the boxes from another site.

"We can think of no better way to support our families than by partnering with other organizations in our area in a collective initiative to help our neighbors



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Members of the Yorktown Hockey team unload boxes of food, gift and clothing donations to benefit needy families in Northern Westchester whose children are in the care of the Mount Kisco Child Care Center.

during the holiday season," said Dottie Jordan, executive director of MKCCC. "We are so grateful to the Yorktown hockey team and to Whalen's for donating their time to such an important cause."

Mount Kisco Child Care Center is a licensed non-profit, non-sectarian childcare facility that has served the working families of Northern Westchester since 1971 by providing exceptional and affordable, early care and education to a diverse group of children 3 months to 5 years, with an expanded school-age program serving children up to 12 years of age.

Mount Kisco Child Care Center is located at 95 Radio Circle in Mount Kisco. For additional information, visit www. mkccc.org or call (914) 241-2135.