

PRESS RELEASE

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149 Gifts donated to Eau Claire County Children's Giving Tree

Eau Claire County Children's Giving Tree received 149 gifts this holiday season, thanks to Prevail Bank's Holiday Matching Funds campaign. From November 12 to December 6, the public was invited to select a tag from the Giving Tree in Prevail Bank's Eau Claire lobby, contributing 79 gifts. Prevail Bank then matched those donations with additional gifts totaling \$1,000. The Eau Claire County Department of Human Services distributed the toys.

For their safety, 125 children need out of home care, but the Eau Claire Department of Human Services only has 35 foster homes. The need is great. Anyone interested in learning more about <u>foster care</u> is encouraged to contact Eau Claire County Department of Human Services' resources office <u>fostercare@eauclairecounty.gov</u>.

Pictured is the Prevail Bank – Eau Claire team. Together they shopped and wrapped gifts for children in need.



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