

If you and your family are looking for something to do to celebrate Christmas this year by blessing others, The ROC would welcome your help!

This will be the tenth year for The ROC to throw an enormous Christmas Party for the children in Richmond, Virginia. On December 18th we will send 50 buses and hundreds of volunteers into Richmond's most impoverished and violence-plagued neighborhoods to bring over 3,000 children, ages 5-12, to The ROC. While they are at The ROC we will give them two gifts: a gift of hope in their hearts and a Christmas gift in their hands. From previous years, we have learned that many of these children know it is the only Christmas gift they will receive.

Unwrapped gifts can be brought to The ROC Office anytime during the day Monday - Friday and to Bible Study any Thursday night at 7:00 or Six O'Clock ROC at 6:00 any Saturday night. Go to our website at [www.theroc.com](http://www.theroc.com) to find convenient collection sites in different parts of Richmond.

If you want to buy fun, inexpensive gifts, you can shop at Five Below in Short Pump ... 10% of proceeds go back to The ROC for the purchase of last-minute gifts

**Here is a list of suggested gifts for this year:**

Mini Basketball Hoop  
Mega Dart Launcher  
Mini Skate Boards  
Lava Lamp  
Inflatable Chairs  
Softie Bat and Ball Set  
Action Figures  
Walkie Talkies  
Remote Control Cars  
Board Games (Connect Four, Operation, Trouble, Jenga)  
Rope Skipper  
Hopping Ball  
Purses/Girly Bags  
Mr. Potato Head  
Zhu Zhu Pets  
Scooters  
Nerf Sports and Dart guns  
Bratz Dolls  
Marvel Super Hero Squad  
Arts and Crafts Kits

If you would rather make a financial donation and let us do the shopping for you, you can donate online at our website: [www.theroc.com](http://www.theroc.com) or send a check payable to The ROC to P. O. Box 6415, Richmond, VA 23230. Write "Bus Kids Christmas" in the memo line.

Thank you in advance and if you have any questions, please call the ROC Office at 804-675-4101.