

Dawning a New Day for Cozy Toes

In 2006, my goal was to collect 1,000 pair of shoes, and with the help of my cousins in Phoenix, AZ and New Berlin, WI we made that mark. I love that they have joined me in collecting!

On March 2nd, we delivered 731 pair of shoes and boots to those in need in Wisconsin. The new chapters delivered 180 and 275 pair to their local charities. **This means that 1,186 pair of feet were covered this year!**

These numbers always amaze me. That so many of you will gather and give. That stores are so willing to give us the best deal when we come in with our donated money. That friends search rummages for boots then turn around and donate them to Cozy Toes. You are wonderful. **Heartfelt thanks for all the caring and sharing for those in need.**

In 2007, our goal will again be 1000 pair of shoes. With my middle school commitments and my Gymnastics schedule I need to make some changes. Although I collect all year, **the official drive will begin in June and end in September.** This will give me the summer months to collect, clean, organize and deliver before the cold weather sets in. Please look for the reminders coming in June! **Many thanks to you all!**



Love and Peace,
Grayson Putney Esslinger



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