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MONTHLY SPENDING UPDATE

The latest financial report shows that, as of September 30, we have spent \$335,000 on 4,383 children across the country. Compare that to last year, when we spent a total of 258,000! Indeed, with kids going back to school September was a particularly busy month as we spent an astounding \$47,400!

On the income side, our supporters know that we only ask for donations once a year - in early November. So, watch for our annual appeal around then. If we do not have your physical mailing address, please send it to us at contact@aliceskids.org.

WYNTON MARSALIS OFFERS TO HELP



A few weeks ago, we paid for a new trumpet for a homeless boy who had been accepted into a music school. Taking it a step further, we were very fortunate to make contact with the most famous trumpet player in the world and he sent [this amazing video](#) to the young man.

AESHA ASH'S ENCOURAGING WORDS TO BALLERINA



Weeks ago, we paid for ballerina lessons for a young girl whose parents had been struggling financially. Then, the famous NYC ballet dancer, Aesha Ash, stepped forward and volunteered to send this girl this [inspiring video!](#)

CASE OF THE MONTH

It's homecoming season! And a few days ago, we received a request from a teacher to pay the \$30 fee for homecoming for a young man whose family was struggling financially. We were happy to pay the fee. But in the request, the teacher also mentioned that the boy had been given some used clothes from the school clothes closet to wear that night. While a very nice gesture, we decided to let this kid get NEW clothes, and so we sent the teacher an additional \$100!

IN ADDITION TO OUR NORMAL REQUESTS, IN SEPTEMBER WE PAID FOR...

Barber supplies for 17-year-old boy who dreams of becoming a barber and opening up a barber school to give back to his community.

Agriculture class fees for 16-year-old girl who recently moved from out of state to live with her brother and help take care of his baby.

Bicycles for 15 and 16-year-old siblings who were walking two miles one way to get to school.

A homecoming dance ticket and contributed towards attire for 16-year-old young lady.

Lunch boxes and thermoses for 6 and 8-year-old siblings to bring their

A pre-paid burner phone with refillable minutes for 11-year-old to

home-prepared Halal meals to school.

safely walk 1.8 miles home from school.

Legos and architecture books to engage 13-year-old boy who has recently been removed from home due to domestic violence and parents' arrest.

School clothes, undergarments, shoes, and pajamas for 5 and 6-year-old siblings who lost everything in a house explosion and fire.

ALICE'S KIDS

Alice's Kids is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization that seeks to enhance the self-esteem of children in need by providing them with targeted individual assistance to facilitate their participation in scholastic, recreational and social activities.

