

OPERATION KIDS

A mother's love knows no boundaries...so when Debbie Hennessey received an email from her son, John, stationed in Iraq describing the scourge of the children there, she set out to answer his plea...Husband Tom Hennessey, renowned columnist and father wrote in his column on 9/13/2007..."The idea was to send kid items to John's troops and let them distribute them to the children of Iraq. This allowed Iraqi youngsters to see U.S. soldiers in a positive light." Tom contin-



ued..."Think, too, of small, individually-wrapped candy, sugar-based hard candy, pocket-sized stuffed animals, brightly-colored school supplies, fun T-shirts (they really liked ones with U.S. city names imprinted on them), and small toys like Hot

Wheel cars, yo-yos and super balls."

WANA— with everything in place, can act NOW to join this effort! Truly in giving we receive! Also, our children will learn compassion and experience rewards in reaching out to those children less fortunate...and we, as parents will be teaching these qualities of character...fulfilling our responsibilities....



Every WANA Member can imagine just what they can contribute— bring those items and place them in the box marked OPERATION KIDS at our Membership Meetings. Even our kids can gather coins around the house and place them in the "POT" for POSTAGE...on the table as you enter! **WANA wants to help!**

Its time to act...time to get with the program!!!! OPERATION KIDS