

Mt. Pearl Blades Pee Wee A&W Good Deeds Cup

Team A&W's Good deeds cup journey began with 15 awesome kids with a lot to give . 1<sup>st</sup> thing we needed was a cause so we decided do honor our teammate Clark Howell's journey so we chose to support... The Jack Hand Legacy Foundation. A charity that lends support and financial assistance to children and their families who are battling cancer.

When we tried to select our good deed, we realized that there were many people in our community that could use our help, far too many people to be reached though one single act of kindness.

For that reason, we had a mission to multiple good deeds around our community.

We visited a local poppy stand, to meet and show our respect to the veterans, and make a donation to their poppy fund .

On our way to attend a NL Growlers Game, we delivered sandwiches and hot beverages to the homeless individuals that stand around the arena with signs stating they are cold and hungry.

We helped a local church prepare Christmas food hampers that were delivered to families who needed assistance during the holiday season.

We also helped serve a free community dinner held for anyone in need of a hot meal.

We helped a local business assemble 250 gift bags that were delivered along with a hot meal to families and individuals who were homeless, seniors, or unable to leave their homes on Christmas day.

We took part in an annual food drive to help our community food banks fill their shelves for their families who depend on them .

The happy tree campaign collects toys for children in need at Christmas. Every member of our team gave the gift of hockey, by donating a hockey stick Recognizing that not everyone can be with family for the holidays, we visited a Seniors Complex. We delivered cookies and spread Christmas cheer by singing carols .

To raise funds for our charity, we collected pledges and did laps in a skate-a-thon. We collected donations from other pee wee teams who were invited to join us on the ice

With the help of our family and friends, we organized an online auction

With our pledges and winning auction bids we were able to raise \$4034.0 for our charity.

Team A&W are a great group of kids and also we could not have done it without the support of a great group of hockey patents as well.