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LYONS FALLS ALIVE AWARDED STEWART'S MATCH PROGRAM MONEY

Christine Chaufy, Lyons Falls ALIVE President, is pleased to announce a donation of \$600.00 from the Stewart's Holiday Match Program. Stewart's collected and matched donations in their shops from Thanksgiving to Christmas. The Stewart's Holiday Match Program has allocated more than \$32 million since the program's inception.

To qualify, Mrs. Chaufy filled out an application on-line before the January 31st deadline. The application focused on community events sponsored by the organization and what ALIVE does for children under 18 years of age. This year, ALIVE tried to have events that followed COVID restrictions. One event that was popular was a "family movie night" held at the Valley Brook Drive-In Theater in Lyons Falls, where the movie was free as well as popcorn for the families. Also, ALIVE donated money to help out the South Lewis Backpack Program at the school.

With a limited budget, ALIVE welcomes any donations or monetary help from organizations like Stewart's. Hopefully, ALIVE will sponsor the annual Lyons Falls Festival which is slated for July 10th at Riverside Park in Lyons Falls which is free for all children. Thanks to Stewart's this goal is possible.

We thank Stewart's for this most generous donation because our children are our future.