

Stanislaus County
**SHERIFF'S
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MEDIA RELATIONS



**NEWS RELEASE
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SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT PARTICIPATES IN "TOYS FOR TOTS"

MODESTO, CA- The Stanislaus County Sheriff's Department will again partner with the K9 Association, Air Support Association, California Highway Patrol and the Sheriff's Employee Foundation on Wednesday to help underprivileged children during the holiday season. As part of the annual "Toys for Tots" program, children from all over Stanislaus County will be provided with bicycles and toys. Santa Claus will also make his appearance to take pictures with children and pass out gifts.

The first event will begin at 9 a.m. in the Sheriff's Department conference room on Wednesday, Dec. 22, 2010. Representatives of the K9 Association and Air Support Association will provide toys and bikes to over fifty needy children.

The second event will begin at 11 a.m. and will include Sheriff's Department employees personally delivering bikes and toys to nearly two-dozen families in Waterford and throughout other rural, unincorporated areas in the county.

The Sheriff's Operations Center is located at 250 East Hackett Road in Modesto. Members of the media are cordially invited to attend.

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