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Local Non-Profit Invites You to Join 8th Annual Bowl for A Precious Child Tournament: Fire vs. Police

(Broomfield, Colo.) A Precious Child, a local nonprofit that provides clothes and other basic essentials to children living in poverty, will be hosting the 8th Annual Bowl for A Precious Child Tournament: Fire vs. Police, a collaborative event between the North Metro Fire Rescue District, the Broomfield Police Department, and A Precious Child. The tournament is scheduled for Sunday, March 12th, 2017 at Chipper's Lanes located at 100 Nickel Street, Broomfield, CO, 80020. Check-in for the event will begin at 2:30 pm and bowling will start at 3:30 pm. The spirited and friendly competition between the Broomfield Fire and Police at the tournament promises to make the event a fun day to remember.

The event will include a drawing, contests, food, and fun for the whole family. Proceeds from the event will benefit A Precious Child and help provide basic essentials to children living in homeless shelters, foster homes, or who are facing other significant life challenges. "We are thrilled to have such amazing support through our ongoing partnership with both the Fire and Police in the Broomfield area," said A Precious Child's CEO and Founder, Carina Martin. "The Broomfield community has had strong support for A Precious Child and our work and this tournament is a fun family-friendly event that enable us to provide basic essentials for more local disadvantaged and displaced children."

All members of the community are invited to join in the event; however, space is limited to a total of 90 bowlers. There will be 18 teams, and each team will have a total of 5 players. One bowler from either the fire or police department will be assigned to each team and a lane will be assigned to each team. Final teams will compete for the rights to the coveted Bowl for A Precious Child Trophy for the year. The cost to participate is \$40 per individual bowler or \$175 per team of 5. Individuals and families who would like watch the event are welcome. The spectator fee is \$10 per person, or \$40 for a family of four, to dine and watch the tournament.

This event would not be made possible without the generous support of the following sponsors: *Lane Sponsors:* Checkers Safety Group, Hunter Douglas, Dodge Sign Company; *Strike Sponsors:* Broomfield Police, North Metro Fire Rescue, HJ Howard Photography, Chipper's Lanes; *Spare Sponsors:* Crime Scene Cleaners, Inc; *In-Kind Donors:* Chipotle Mexican Grill.

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Members of the community interested in participating can register for the event online at APreciousChild.org. Questions regarding the event or event sponsorships can be directed to A Precious Child's Events Manager, Meredith McNulty, at Meredith@APreciousChild.org or 303.466.4272 Ext. 108.

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About A Precious Child, Inc. - A Precious Child is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization that provides children in need with opportunities and resources to empower them to achieve their full potential. A Precious Child provides impoverished Colorado children and families with basic essentials such as clothing, shoes, baby formula, diapers, coats, backpacks and school supplies, sports equipment, holiday gifts, and more. A Precious Child is now directing its efforts to five key focus areas, Essentials to Thrive, Equipped to Learn, Activities to Enrich, Gifts to Celebrate, and Advocacy to Outcome, all of which empower kids to succeed. Since 2008, A Precious Child has provided clothing and essentials to more than 198,000 children and their caregivers. A Precious Child serves eight counties surrounding the Denver Metro area, including: Arapahoe, Adams, Boulder, Broomfield, Denver, Douglas, Jefferson, and Weld Counties. For more information, call 303.466.4272, or visit APreciousChild.org.

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