Dear WeGo Together For Kids Partner,

You are cordially invited to attend the WeGo Together For Kids Back to School Event on Monday, August 19 from 5:30-7:30 PM at Cantigny Park.



We are asking that all partners prepare a short, simple activity for our school-aged attendees. This activity should have a back to school theme and, hopefully, relate to your organization's mission. If you are unsure what you could do, please reach out to one of us for some ideas.

We encourage you to bring free giveaways/prizes for our student attendees as well as informational brochures for their caretakers. We are planning to give away 1200 backpacks filled with school supplies to K-8th grade students from District 33 schools and preschool backpacks to D33 and Educare preschoolers. Please make sure to include enough materials for this amount of people. We strongly recommend that all information passed out be in English and Spanish. We also advise you to bring a bilingual staff or volunteer the day of the event.

This is an outdoor event, taking place in a grassy area. We will reserve a spot for you but we ask that you bring anything you need (table, chairs, tent, etc) to be successful.

For more information about the event, please visit https://www.wegotogetherforkids.com/back-to-school

If you would like to attend, please fill out the following form: https://forms.gle/fAzmnyGJfrskGjNd7

Space is limited. Please fill out the form no later than Friday, June 14 to secure your spot.

If you are unable to attend, but would still like to assist with the event, you can donate to the event in the form of a monetary donation, sponsoring an entertainer, or sending school supplies for the backpacks. Please contact WeGo Together for Kids Director, Molly Beck Dean beckdeanm@metrofamily.org for more information.

We look forward to working with you on this event!

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