



Old Newsboys' Goodfellow Fund of Detroit

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Ticket Offer to Benefit The Old Newsboys' Goodfellow Fund of Detroit Available for Kids Opening Day at Comerica Park -- Boston Red Sox vs. Detroit Tigers on Sunday, April 9

Package includes a game ticket, an exclusive hoodie and a \$5 donation to Detroit Goodfellows

DETROIT, March 13, 2017 – A Detroit Tigers Goodfellow game package for Kids Opening Day at Comerica Park is on sale now! Fans have an opportunity to help The Old Newsboys' Goodfellow Fund of Detroit ensure there is "No kiddie without a Christmas" as the Detroit Tigers take on the Boston Red Sox on Sunday, April 9 at 1:10 p.m.

"What a fitting day for our organization to participate in at Comerica Park! Kids Opening Day, like our organization, is all about the kids and we are ready to have some fun at the ball park to benefit Detroit youth," said Mike Jennings, president of the Detroit Goodfellows. "We really appreciate the Detroit Tigers choosing us to be part of this program."

The special ticket package includes choice of an upper box infield, mezzanine, upper reserved infield, upper grandstand or lower baseline box tickets and an exclusive Detroit Tigers/Detroit Goodfellows hoodie. The Detroit Goodfellows will receive \$5 from every special ticket sold. Packages are now available for purchase at www.tigers.com/Goodfellows . For groups of 15 or more, please contact Corey Thomas at corey.thomas@tigers.com. Please note: these packages cannot be purchased by phone or at Tigers Box Office windows. Ticket availability may be limited and all items are subject to availability.

The Detroit Goodfellows annually distributes 34,000 holiday gift packages through Detroit police precincts to needy children in Detroit, Hamtramck, Highland Park, Harper Woods and River Rouge. The 103-year-old charity's mission is to ensure that there is "No Kiddie Without a Christmas."

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Founded in 1914, the Detroit Goodfellows is the original and oldest Goodfellows organization and is not affiliated with any other Goodfellow group. It also sponsors a dental program for children through University of Detroit Mercy Dental School, awards scholarships through Wayne State University, provides free shoes to children in need and helps send hundreds of needy children to camp each summer.

Tax-deductible donations may be sent to: The Old Newsboys' Goodfellow Fund of Detroit, P.O. Box 44444, Detroit, MI 48244-0444. Donations may also be made using the organization's secure website: www.detroitgoodfellows.org. For more information contact Detroit Goodfellows Director Sari Klok-Schneider at (586) 775-6139 or sarigoodfellows@gmail.com.

The Detroit Goodfellows holds a four–star rating from Charity Navigator. As America's premiere charity evaluator, Charity Navigator provides donors with information to give them confidence in their charitable choices. The four–star rating is the highest rating given by Charity Navigator. To view the Detroit Goodfellows Charity Navigator listing, please visit www.charitynavigator.org and search under Old Newsboys Goodfellow Fund of Detroit.

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