

## OLD NEWSBOYS' GOODFELLOW FUND OF DETROIT DOLL PROGRAM CRITERIA FOR DOLL DRESSING PROGRAM



*This year we have both 13" dolls and 17" dolls (American Girl Size) available.*

Thank you for agreeing to dress a doll! You may dress your doll in any way you wish. Here are some suggestions for themed dolls that have proven popular with little girls in the past:

### **Some Handy Tips for Creating the "Best Dressed" Doll**

- Dress in the proper size dress, so that the clothing will come off and on with ease
- Make sure the dolls are free of straight and/or safety pins, wires, or hairpins
- Dress dolls in clean clothes, use only clean materials when sewing clothes
- Make sure outfits are completely sewn, leave no raw edges or hems
- Do not glue or staple material together - do not use hairspray or glitter on hair, clothing or shoes
- Make sure outfits are easy to undress, using snaps, hooks & eyes, Velcro or buttons
- Design for safety - when attaching earrings, purses, etc. use thread instead of pins or wires. Use only non-toxic liquid or materials on the dolls
- Please do not put money in a purse or attach money to the dolls
- Remember you are dressing a doll for a girl age 4 - 9, make sure these dolls are age-appropriate

### **PURCHASING DOLL CLOTHES**

[www.veesvictorians.com](http://www.veesvictorians.com)

Judy Sinclair at [creationsbyjudy@yahoo.com](mailto:creationsbyjudy@yahoo.com) or 313-383-8043

Doll clothes for the 17" doll may also be found at Michaels, Target, Walmart, and Meijer. The 17" doll can wear American Girl clothes.

Patterns are available for the 13" doll via our web site or can be emailed to you.

### **Dolls will be due back IN AUGUST AND REMINDERS WILL BE SENT**

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