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YELLOW TIE BALL RAISES RECORD FUNDS FOR WESTFIELD YOUTH ASSISTANCE

Westfield, IN- The figures are in, the checks have been deposited, and the Westfield Mayor's Yellow Tie Ball has raised a grand total of \$13,030 for the Westfield Youth Assistance Program.

The event, held last month, saw record attendance and participation from the entire Westfield community.

"We are so blessed to live in a community that cares," said Mayor Andy Cook. "As a city, we can build roads and bridges and bring businesses, but none of that means anything unless we invest in our most valuable resource: our kids," Cook said.

Last year the event raised \$5,000.

The Youth Assistance Program strives to build a healthy community for tomorrow by extending a helping hand to the youth of today through family assistance, tutoring and mentoring. These programs are available to qualified children needing assistance. The Youth Assistance Program was launched in Westfield in 2009, and is continuing to expand throughout Hamilton County.

For more information on the Westfield Youth Assistance Program, visit www.youthassistance.org.

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