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The Aydlett Brothers Announce Their Next Project: Towers for Tots

A Project to Benefit Toys for Tots

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The double world record holders for the world's tallest and largest toy timber structure are gearing up for another exciting project, here on Guam, this holiday season. The Aydlett Brothers, Landon and Brandon Aydlett, have partnered with Toys for Tots to collect toys for those in need this Christmas. This project, Towers for Tots, will kick off at the Micronesia Mall on Black Friday, November 25, 2022, in the atrium outside of the men's Macy's Department store.

Unlike the single tower built in June, the Towers for Tots project will feature several world-famous skyscrapers, using a mix of blocks from the June project, plus another 10,000 blocks acquired since June, including specialty blocks prohibited from use in the world record build due to their size. This planned construction is expected to use more than 90,000 blocks and building techniques not yet used for toy timber logs to complete one of the buildings. The towers will also have additional surprises that will be revealed during construction.

The Aydlett Brothers are again enlisting the community to get involved. Following the June success, Towers for Tots will feature a Sponsor-a-Log campaign, in which the community can sponsor logs by toy donations to Toys for Tots. For sponsorship, donors can sign logs and write messages for the following donations:

2-notch log: 1 toy donated 3-notch log: 2 toys donated 4-notch log: 3 toys donated
5-notch log: 4 toys donated 6-notch log: 5 toys donated

The Aydlett Brothers also welcome the community to volunteer to assemble blocks onsite during the construction. For those interested in volunteering, visit <https://forms.gle/NK94MxMvSr2hUFjc9> To register.

This will be the 13th year the Marine Corps' Toys for Tots campaign has been present on Guam and the 75th anniversary since the program's inception in 1947. In 2021, a total of 6,239 toys were collected on the island, which were then distributed to less fortunate children in the community. 3,002 toys were also collected and distributed throughout the islands of Saipan, Tinian and Rota. The Toys for Tots campaign will continue until December 10th and seeks new and unwrapped toys.

The Aydlett Brothers became official title holders of two Guinness World Records in October 2022 after a thorough review of evidence and witness statements from the June Tower for Humanity event. That tower, modeled after Chicago's Willis Tower, reached 25 feet 11 inches, and used 74,019 blocks, breaking two world records. The upcoming Towers for Tots will not seek to break any world records, but instead seeks to bring the community together again for a great cause and to help bring Christmas cheer to Guam. For those who missed the June tower before it was dismantled, this event will remain in place for most of December.

For more information on the Towers for Tots project, please contact the Aydlett Brothers at aydlett.brothers@gmail.com or via WhatsApp at (671)-777-5337. For more information on the Toys for Tots campaign, please contact Gunnery Sergeant Rubin Tan (671) 685-0750 Dededo.gu@toysfortots.org