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Volunteer's 25-Year Run as “Santa” Comes to an End

Fairfax, VA / January 30, 2017 – Mac Macusik – a dedicated volunteer better known to students as “Santa Claus” – visited Main Street Child Development Center (Main Street) on December 19th, 2016 to spread holiday cheer to 110 Fairfax area children. Following his 25th consecutive holiday visit to Main Street, Mr. Macusik retired his Santa costume for good.



Main Street welcomed Mr. Macusik each Christmas from 1992 through 2016. In recent years, Macusik was accompanied by Fairfax City’s Chief of Police Carl Pardiny, who assisted him in distributing presents to every student at Main Street, which serves children at-risk of future school failure.

About Main Street Child Development Center

In 1973, Main Street Child Development Center was founded to provide affordable childcare for low-income families in Fairfax City and Fairfax County. Main Street’s mission is to provide high-quality, comprehensive early childhood education programs and support services that empower children and their families, regardless of their financial circumstances. Main Street serves 110 children/day, or 150 children annually, through preschool and school age child care programs.

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