

## December Warehouse Packing Day

The Wisconsin W/NP warehouse is open the 3rd Thursday of each month to drop off and preparing donated items for shipment to Nicaragua. The December packing day will be abbreviated to **10 am - 12 pm** this month due to the chilly temps. All are welcome, we'll have hot apple cider, soup & whatever else people bring to keep warm following the packing.



## Learning Center updates

Thank you to everyone who has donated supplies and resources throughout the year. The updates and reports from the 67 Learning Centers help determine where and what supplies are needed most respectively. We are grateful to the staff and many volunteers in Nicaragua who assist with the distribution process, seeing that items get where they are needed most. [Click here for pics of deliveries this week](#)

[CLICK HERE](#) to see photos and view the monthly meeting reports (in English/Español)



## Careli Tours celebrates 25 years

Some of you love history, some have read the graphic novel "300" by Frank Miller, some have seen the movie 300 and some are probably wondering what has the number 300 to do with Nicaragua? [Read more...](#)



Careli Tours Nicaragua has received well deserved recognition of their high quality services with the 'Central America Award to the Tourism Excellence Without Borders.' W/NP is grateful for the always top notch, exceptional service provided by the Careli staff for our travel groups for the past 20 years.

## 2018 Bike/Hike in December

Each year the W/NP Office in Managua organizes a special activity for the October Bike/Hike event. Better late than never, this year on December 16th the library kids and volunteers hiked around the the famous look out in Catarina, the Zoo and a recreational center where they have big pools and could swim. [More pics here](#)



[Thank you Bill and Janna](#) for your Christmas gifts to each other in the form of making this event possible. *"On behalf of all the kids who come to the office and our staff, we thank you so much for the love you have for all of them."*

**Gifts to express your appreciation to someone by supporting projects are available throughout the year, select from the list below or choose your own. [Contact us with questions](#)**

<input type="checkbox"/> Money towards existing or creating a new Lending Library
<input type="checkbox"/> Funding for material for Chica Nica doll dresses
<input type="checkbox"/> Fund shipping costs for movement of W/NP donations
<input type="checkbox"/> Help buy sporting equipment for Nicaraguan children and families
<input type="checkbox"/> Money towards reading glasses for Eyeglass Mission
<input type="checkbox"/> Help fund purchase of musical instruments for students
<input type="checkbox"/> Paying for cooking classes and equipment
<input type="checkbox"/> Funds for sewing classes and equipment
<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
Money Options: <input type="checkbox"/> \$20 <input type="checkbox"/> \$40 <input type="checkbox"/> \$50 <input type="checkbox"/> \$100 <input type="checkbox"/> \$250 <input type="checkbox"/> \$500 <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____

[CLICK HERE](#) and write your preference in the comment section,  
[CLICK HERE](#) to see sample card that will be sent to you and the gift recipient

