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Cub Scouts Donate Blankets to Neonatal Babies Tonight Local Scouts' Service Project Benefits Babies in the NICU

Twin Falls, ID (December 21, 2007) – There will be another kind of delivery at the Neonatal Care Unit tonight courtesy of a local Cub Scout troop. The scouts will donate blankets they made as a community service project on Friday, December 21, at 7:30 p.m. at the Neonatal Care Unit of St. Luke's Magic Valley. The blankets will be given to babies in the NICU.

“We greatly appreciate the community support for our babies and families,” explained Tracy Larsen, Manager of the NICU, Women's & Children's and Outpatient IV Therapy. “We would like to thank the scouts for thinking of us at this time of year. Most people would not normally associate Boy Scouts with Newborn Intensive Care Units, but this is a wonderful example of how perceptions can be changed. Seeing young men exhibiting compassion and care giving for those in need is a positive example of the true meaning of Christmas. We are honored they chose our babies as the beneficiaries of the blankets they created.”

For more information about the project or the presentation tonight, call Tanya Claar at 731-7160.

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