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Kroozers Cars for Kids fundraiser was held Saturday, August 15, on the Woodstock Square. Kroozers of Northern Illinois car club was the main sponsor for this event with the Youth Service Bureau. This was the 13th year for the car show and the square held 300+ classic cars and hot-rods with approximately 6,000 people attending and enjoying the festivities of 50/60's music played by our DJ and food by Bacci's Pizza, Dairy Queen of Marengo, Woodstock Lions Club, Jeff's Red Hots, and Angelo's on the Square.

The car show held a raffle with first prize being a \$1,000 Wal-Mart gift card donated by the Woodstock Wal-Mart, second prize was a \$254 gas card donated by Woodstock Marathon, and third prize was two 1-day Harley Davidson motorcycle rentals donated by Woodstock Harley Davidson. To view raffle winners visit www.ysb4kids.org.

There was also a popular 50/50 cash raffle with the winner taking home \$1,020. New this year was an auction raffle, spectators and car enthusiasts were able to purchase a double arms length of tickets for \$20 and take a chance on winning one of 92 auction baskets displayed at the Kroozer Car Show. Gift items included theme park tickets, restaurant gift certificates, spa packages, games, movies, jewelry, lamps, and many more fabulous items from various local businesses.

This year's event had a wonderful turnout. The event earned \$17,480; all proceeds from the event go to help YSB children who are in need of counseling and social services. Our

event profits were assisted by area business sponsors, Smith & Associates and Other World Computing donated \$1,000 to benefit the car show. Other sponsors included Sage Products, J & D Mechanical, Centegra Health System, Aramark Uniforms, Affinia Group, Northwest Herald, Alliance Contractors, Home State Bank, Modine Manufacturing, Peters Motors, GetSet Internet.com, Woodstock Moose Lodge, and TJ Bullock and Associates. These area businesses help cover the event cost with their sponsorship donations.

The Youth Service Bureau (YSB) is a not-for-profit organization that has been helping youth and families in McHenry County since 1975. YSB provides prevention programs and affordable counseling services to youth and families. YSB is located at 101 South Jefferson Street in Woodstock. For more information visit www.ysb4kids.org, or call 815.338.7360.

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