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## MEDIA RELEASE

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DEPUTIES LACE-UP THEIR BOWLING SHOES  
FOR  
BIG BROTHERS BIG SISTERS

**WHO:** Newport News Sheriff's Office participates in benefit for Big Brothers Big Sisters  
**WHAT:** Bowl for Kids' Sake  
**WHEN:** Saturday, February 24  
**TIME:** 11:30 A.M. – 1:00 P.M.  
**WHERE:** Spare Times Bowling Alley in Hampton near Mercury and Armistead  
(actual address: 1 Family Fun Place)

This has become a favorite time of year for the men and women of the Newport News Sheriff's Office. Bowl for Kids' Sake is a signature fundraising event for Big Brothers Big Sisters. For us, it is an opportunity to let loose and have a good time. We enjoy playing as a team to help our community.

This year's Bowl for Kids' Sake Campaign Chairperson is none other than Newport News Sheriff Gabe Morgan. Bowl for Kids' Sake is a year-long campaign. The goal is to raise \$100,000 for the children of the Peninsula.

The Community Bowl Day (Saturday February 24) is a big part of that lofty goal. And the men and women of the Newport News Sheriff's Office are happy to do their part.

We will take over 8 lanes at Spare Times between 11:30 A.M. and 1:00 P.M. Those eight teams will raise a MINIMUM of \$2,000. That does not include some spare donations we've collected around the office.

The Newport News Sheriff's Office is one of several law enforcement and public safety agencies participating in this year's event. There are numerous corporations that will be bowling Saturday, too. Folks will be tossing balls down the lanes of Spare Times all day. The entire event runs from 9:00 A.M. until approximately 5:00 P.M.

Anyone wanting to make a donation can do so online at [www.bbbsmentoring.org](http://www.bbbsmentoring.org)

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