

## # Polish'd Nails & Spa: Making a Difference Through Charitable Giving

### The Charity Project: An Overview

In a remarkable display of corporate social responsibility, Polish'd Nails & Spa organized a charity event that raised a staggering \$50,000, benefiting local families and organizations in need. The event took place on October 14, 2023, and brought together a diverse array of participants, all united in their commitment to giving back to the Sylvan Lake community.

#### \*\*Event Highlights\*\*

- **Date:** October 14, 2023
- **Location:** Polish'd Nails & Spa, Sylvan Lake, MI 48320
- **Total Amount Raised:** \$50,000
- **Number of Recipients:** 25 local families and 3 charitable organizations
- **Personnel Mobilized:** 15 dedicated staff members from Polish'd Nails & Spa

### Benefiting Local Families and Organizations

The funds raised during the charity event were carefully allocated to ensure a meaningful impact on numerous local families and organizations. Here's a breakdown of the recipients and how the funds will support their endeavors.

#### # Local Charitable Organizations

In addition to families, Polish'd Nails & Spa extended its generosity to local non-profits that work tirelessly to support the community.



#### Beneficiary Organizations:

##### 1. **Sylvan Lake Food Pantry**

**Location:** Sylvan Lake, MI

**Contribution:** \$15,000

The pantry serves over 150 families each month, and the funds will assist in stocking their shelves as well as providing additional support for holiday food drives.

##### 2. **Aware Food Bank**

**Location:** Oakland County, MI

**\*\*Contribution:\*\* \$20,000**

With the increased demand for food assistance in Oakland County, Aware Food Bank will use its donation to distribute meals and essential goods to families in crisis, particularly during the winter months.

### 3. **\*\*Empower Youth Program\*\***

**\*\*Location:\*\*** Detroit, MI

**\*\*Contribution:\*\*** \$15,000

This organization focuses on mentorship and providing resources to at-risk youth, using the funds for educational materials and workshops.

#### # Team Members' Contributions

- **\*\*Event Coordination:\*\*** Staff members led by the salon owner, Sarah Polish, coordinated logistics, including setting up, running nail stations, and managing donations.

- **\*\*Community Outreach:\*\*** Team members reached out to local businesses for donations, raffle prizes, and promotional support.

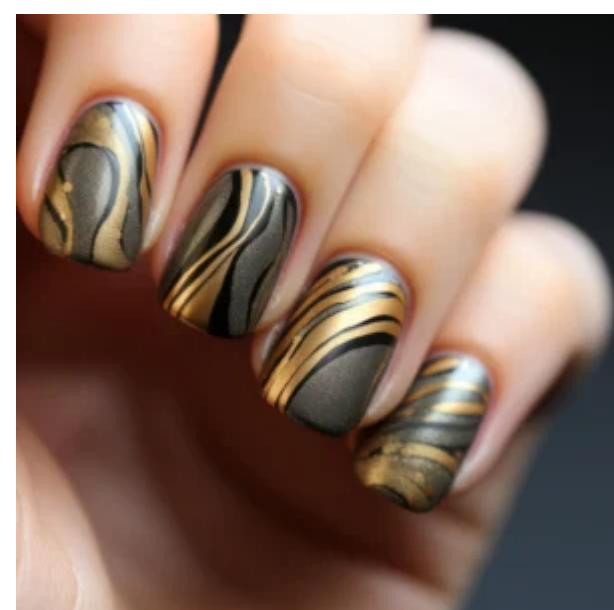
- **\*\*Engagement:\*\*** The team created a buzz on social media platforms, inviting patrons to come out and support the event, ensuring strong community involvement.

#### # Personal Stories of Gratitude

Recipients of the funds took a moment to express their thanks, showcasing the heartfelt connection fostered by this initiative.

- **\*\*Maria Gonzalez, a single mother:\*\*** "The support from Polish'd Nails & Spa means everything to us right now. We're able to focus on healing and getting back on our feet without the constant worry about how we'll make ends meet."

- **\*\*Jennifer Johnson, a local teacher and volunteer at the food pantry:\*\*** "It's heartwarming to see a local business take such an active role in our community's welfare. The generosity shown to the food pantry will help us serve even more families this season."



#### # Upcoming Projects and Initiatives

- **\*\*Monthly Fundraising Events:\*\*** Polish'd Nails & Spa plans to host monthly events where a portion of all service proceeds will be donated to a selected local charity.

- **\*\*Holiday Programs:\*\*** During the Christmas season, they aim to run a gift drive, collecting toys and goods for families in need.

- **Sponsoring an Annual Charity Gala:** In the coming year, the salon envisions organizing a charity gala where community leaders and patrons can gather to celebrate and raise significant funds for local issues.

# Source: [Polish'd Nails & Spa Sylvan Lake](#)