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KWIK STOP & DUBUQUE FIGHTING SAINTS PLAN TO 'CLEAR THE LIST'

Dubuque, **Iowa**— (February 29, 2024) — Kwik Stop convenience stores are once again partnering with the Dubuque Fighting Saints to collect school supplies and student needs to benefit both the Dubuque and Western Dubuque Community School Districts.

For the third year, this partnership seeks donations to help 'clear the list' of items that can be used for each district. Lists of items for the school districts can be found by going to the Kwik Stop website. Items requested are a variety of school supplies – such as crayons, colored pencils, or dry erase markers – or social / emotional support items – such as assorted snacks, hygiene items, or gym clothes in various sizes.

The event will culminate when the Dubuque Fighting Saints take on Team USA on Saturday, March 30th at ImOn Ice Arena in Dubuque. A 50 / 50 raffle will take place during the game and proceeds will be used to purchase supplies that remain on the list following the month-long promotion. Tickets for the game are available at tickets.dubuquefightingsaints.com. The first 1,000 fans will receive a special item from Kwik Stop.

Items can be dropped off at any of the 11 Kwik Stop locations (in Dubuque, Peosta, or Delhi) or the Dubuque Fighting Saints office ahead of the game. They will also be accepted on game day. Kwik Stop will also be selling school icons for \$1, \$5, and \$10 at all Kwik Stop and Dairy Queen locations to raise funds throughout the month of March to go towards clearing the list of remaining school items needed.

ABOUT KWIK STOP

Kwik Stop, the largest locally-owned chain of convenience stores, has been donating to local non-profits and investing in local partnerships that make our community stronger for over forty years. Over \$2.1 million has been donated through their Kwik Care program since its inception in 2002.