

Lions, AmeriCorps help with toys, books

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FROSTBURG — The Frostburg Lions Club, in partnership with AmeriCorps at Frostburg State University, provided 7,200 Disney action figures and more than 1,000 children's books to 18 Lions Clubs and two summer lunch box programs in the region. Toys and books will be provided free of charge for the holiday season and during the summer in 2017.

Lions Clubs including Frostburg, FSU Campus Lions, Grantsville, Oakland-Mountain Lake Park,

Items given to area clubs to distribute during holidays

North Branch in Westernport, Potomac Valley in Rawlings, Mason Dixon in Mount Savage, Cumberland, Oldtown, Hancock and Hagerstown, and Fort Ashby, Romney and Moorefield in West Virginia and Winchester, Virginia, as well as the Rawlings and Frostburg Summer Lunch Box Programs, were all recipients of the AmeriCorps toy giveaway.

Lions will distribute

the toys during community tree lightings, children's Christmas parties, parades and other events throughout the Western Maryland region. Additional toys will be given to other holiday programs such as Toys for Tots and Toys for Happiness for free distribution in Maryland and West Virginia.

To learn more about the Frostburg Lions club visit: www.frostburglions.org.