

UNL Football and Softball players joined YMCA staff in delivering gifts to every student at Elliott Elementary School!

Every Christmas season for the past 7 years the YMCA has put up Giving Trees in our YMCAs and collected gifts for the Kids at Elliott Elementary School.

This is an amazing event for the kids at Elliott, and for many of them, it is the only gift that they will receive over the holidays. With the schools enrollment increase this year, we were afraid we weren't going to be able to provide these gifts for all of the students.

But thanks to the help of numerous volunteers and staff, we were able to pull it off. A special thanks is due to Rhonda Rhodes, YMCA District Executive Director, who single handedly raised over \$5000 for us to not only supplement gifts for students this year, but also to have to help support the program for years to come. The YMCA wishes to thank everyone who helped by donating a gift or money, helped pack the gifts, or helped in anyway. This wonderful event would not be possible without all of you. The students and staff of the Elliott CLC thank you all very much and wish you all a wonderful holiday season!