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Child Saving Institute Guild presents Touch-A-Truck

Omaha, Nebraska - Saturday, September 8 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., Child Saving Institute's (CSI) Guild will host the first annual Touch-A-Truck "friend raiser." The event is free to families and entails an exposition of vehicles and activities, giving the children an opportunity to meet the people who operate these vehicles. Kids will be able to see up-close: emergency vehicles, bulldozers, semi-trucks, race cars and diggers. The event will feature face painters, clowns creating balloon animals and other children's activities. Vendors will be available for those wanting to purchase snack and lunch items.

The event will be held in Omaha on the old Ak-Sar-Ben grounds in the First Data Resources and Peter Kiewit Institute parking lots south of 68th and Pacific.

Guild event Chairs for Touch-A-Truck are Hillary Nather-Detisch and Lori Waterstraat. The Guild's mission is to fundraise and enhance the awareness of the services offered by CSI.

Child Saving Institute Guild is excited to have Werner Enterprises and Wick's Sterling Trucks as a sponsor and vehicle provider. Media sponsor WOWT Channel 6 will broadcast live from the event starting at 8:00 a.m.

Child Saving Institute, a 501(C)(3) not-for-profit child welfare organization, is dedicated to the prevention and treatment of child abuse and neglect. Since 1892, CSI's mission has never wavered from providing care for abandoned, neglected and abused children. CSI has met the changing needs for children in the Omaha metro area based on the belief that children are the community's most valuable resource. CSI's Mission Statement: "Responding to the cry of a child."

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