



'Shop With A Cop' Featured 16 Students At Walmart

TUPELO, Miss. — At 9 a.m. on Thursday morning, 16 excited Tupelo Public School District students received a police escort to Walmart on North Gloster Street for the second-annual "Shop With A Cop" event.

Teachers and administrators at Lawhon, Parkway, Thomas Street and Joyner helped identify children in need, and each child (8 boys, 8 girls) received a \$300 gift card for a shopping spree.

Participating kids began their holiday adventure with refreshments upon arrival to Walmart and a visit from Santa Clause. After all the shopping was completed, a reception was held at TPD headquarters on 400 N. Front Street for the students and their parents, with food provided by Chick-fil-A.

Additional sponsors who helped make this event possible are Community Bank, NAPA Auto, Tablor Law Firm, Priest and Wise Law Firm, BancorpSouth and Transport Trailer.