

My Appliance Source and Shakopee Area Elementary Schools are coming together in an effort to “bench” bullying and other hardships students may face. Tiny Girl Big Dream (TGBD) is an initiative that places friendship benches in schools all around the country. We are proud to partner with TGBD to draw attention to this pressing issue and help children understand they are all AMAZING! In February, My Appliance Source will award each of the 6 Shakopee elementary schools with their own "Friendship Bench".

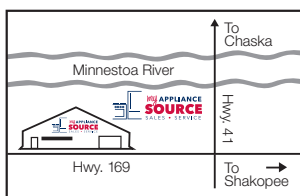


TGBD was founded by Acacia Woodley, a 12 year old girl born without complete arms, who has a dream in which children of all ages reach out to one another in friendship. Her dream is to create a place where a child can go when being bullied or having a bad day so others will know that child needs a friend and show support by sitting with them on the bench.



During the weeks of January 19th through the 31st, My Appliance Source will be conducting a coloring contest at the store. Have your child let their imagination soar by completing this coloring contest entry. Then bring the entry form along with your kids, grandkids, neighbors and friends to My Appliance Source at 13122 Johnson Memorial Drive, Shakopee (1/3 mile south of Highway 41 on Hwy 169) during the weekends of January 24-25 or January 31-February 1, 2015. Each child who turns in an entry form will receive an official Tiny Girl Big Dream bracelet. Come and enjoy fresh cookies and cocoa on us. Let your child hang their entry anywhere in the store they like. **The winner from each school will receive an Amazon Kindle and their class will be able to decorate their school's bench!**

The goal is to continue to spread awareness about bullying and provide more resources for students. My Appliance Source is looking forward to the community involvement and ongoing support for Tiny Girl Big Dream. Let's get coloring.



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