

**Dreamt it.
Did it.**

**Youth Venture
New England**



The Inspiration

Eleven year-old Jordan is no stranger to responsibility; not with seven younger brothers and sisters who look up to her. One day while playing with her siblings at a local church nursery, she noticed the space appeared a bit rundown—and in need of a serious “extreme makeover.”

The Idea

Jordan shared her thoughts at a meeting with her fellow 4-H club The Brentwood Night Riders. Together, they came up with a list of all the repairs and replacements needed to make the church nursery a brighter, more enjoyable environment for children



The 4-H Venture

Not long after that meeting, the *Night Rider Renovation Team* was launched as a 4-H Venture, a result of the NH 4-H Youth Venture partnership. Within a month after their March 2007 launch, the team has planned a local toy drive to bring in a fresh supply of child friendly, educational playthings.

The Impact

Jordan, Brittany, Aidan, and Hannah (Kiah, not shown), of The *Night Rider Renovation Team*, plan to replace the church nursery’s carpet, repaint the walls, buy some new furnishings, including new changing tables, and much more as part of what members like to call, “Extreme Makeover: Nursery Edition.” A number of fundraising events are in the works to help pay for supplies and equipment.

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