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## **Make-A-Wish Foundation® and Omak Wal-Mart to make Local Boy's Wish Come True**

### ***Wal-Mart Superheroes and allies to grant Pedro's "Incredible Hulk" wish***

#### **Who & What:**

Most little boys only get to pretend they are a superhero, but soon to be wish recipient, Pedro of Brewster, will be treated like one for an entire day thanks to the Omak Wal-Mart and its generous employees.

Diagnosed with a life-threatening medical condition in October 2008, this 11-year-old is handling his fight with "hulk"-like strength. Wal-Mart will be transforming their vendor area into an Incredible Hulk themed party room, including a Hulk cake and a life-sized Hulk cut out and much more.

Wal-Mart will also donate Hulk bedding, a Hulk coat, and a portrait session for Pedro and his family. As a gift from Blockbuster, Pedro will also receive the Hulk movie and the television series on DVD. His wish will continue with a shopping spree throughout the Wal-Mart store. When he's done with his ferocious shopping adventure, his items will be transported to his home in Brewster in a Wal-Mart Semi Truck. Guarding his goods, Pedro will ride in the semi-truck back to his home with none other than a police escort!

#### **Where & When:**

**Sunday, February 1, 2009 at 1 p.m.**

Omak Walmart  
902 Engh Road  
Omak, WA 98841

#### **To schedule an interview:**

Please contact Leslie Woodfill, Wish Manager, at 509.995.5431 or via email at [leslie@nwwishes.org](mailto:leslie@nwwishes.org).

#### ***About the Make-A-Wish Foundation:***

*The Make-A-Wish Foundation of Alaska, Montana, Northern Idaho and Washington grants the wishes of children with life-threatening medical conditions to enrich the human experience with hope, strength and joy. Since its inception in 1986, the chapter has granted more than 3,750 wishes to children in the Pacific Northwest and will grant 291 wishes this year alone. For more information about the Foundation, call 800.304.WISH or visit our Web site at [www.northwestwishes.org](http://www.northwestwishes.org).*

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