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So, are you good with a wrench?

A wonderful problem is still a problem.

Jack Hairston's pre-Christmas surprise is a doozy. An anonymous donor sent 100 children's bikes and 30 tricycles to Jack the Bike Man's shop in Northwood. The bikes need to be assembled.

Throughout the year, at Jack's shop, donated bicycles are repaired and matched to needy kids.

Boxes of brand new bikes just before Christmas is a windfall . . . if the bikes can be assembled in time.

"If I can get enough people to help this weekend," he said, "we can have them ready for Santa."

Hairston is asking bike helpers (including those with repair stands and tools) to come to his shop — 528 24th St., West Palm Beach — Saturday and Sunday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

For more info, call Hairston at (561) 502-9772.

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BICYCLE MAN: Jack Hairston, who repairs donated bikes for needy kids, has received a donation of 100 brand new ones that need to be assembled this weekend. He is asking for help.