



Hunger Knows No Season... Hunger Takes No Vacation...

With so much going on, it is easy to forget that there are people in our community that are food insecure. That means that they do not know where their next meal is coming from.

The Emergency Assistance Center saw a 90% increase in clients served from 2012 to 2013. In just the first five months of 2014, the Center has already served 3,640 individuals.

THE NEED IS GREAT.

On May 11th the National Letter Carriers Food Drive took place all across the nation. The Emergency Assistance Center received a little over 6,000 pounds (3 tons) of food, due to our generous neighbors. That food sustained our pantry for only two and a half WEEKS! Our volunteers who spent days checking expiration dates and stocking the shelves were in utter disbelief as they watched the food donations quickly disappear.

School-aged children are now home for the summer. Meals that students had received free at school, such as breakfast, lunch and even a snack, now have to be supplied by parents that are already financially strapped.

LACK OF SUMMER DONATIONS.

With schools out of session, The Emergency Assistance Center does not have access to food drives that are hosted by the district throughout the year. Churches have tried to help, but often have low attendance due to congregants taking vacations.

Will You Become a Summer Sponsor?

There are 104 days in the summer. Would you consider donating \$1.00 or even 50 cents per day?

___ I would like to donate \$104 to take the heat off of hunger!

___ I would like to donate \$52 to cool off hunger complacency!

___ I would like to donate some other amount to feed the need!

We are a member agency of the Akron Canton Regional Food Bank and can often purchase food at a fraction of the cost of grocery store prices. However, if you are unable to donate with a financial gift please consider donating unexpired, nonperishable food items. We are open M-F 8AM to 4PM.

Best Regards,

The Board of Trustees of The Emergency Assistance Center & Joyce Hunt Executive Director

We do not solicit donations by phone, but do rely on donations generated from mail campaigns.

Privacy Policy: Your personal information, such as name, address or other donor information will not be rented, exchanged or sold with any outside organization. You will receive a confirmation letter & donation receipt for your financial donation & will be added to our fundraising appeal letters. If however you wish to opt out of receiving our letter, you may notify by mail to The Emergency Assistance Center, 9199 Olde 8 Rd, Northfield, OH 44067 or by phone 330-467-7945

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