



# WARM

## Start a Food Drive

### Tips for Successful Food Drives

- It's always a good idea to start planning early!  
Have an event coming up like a sports game, concert recital, school play, holiday party or family gathering? Turn it into a food drive!
- Almost any event will work as a food drive, just ask the people that are attending to bring a couple of cans along to help those in need.
- Get the word out! – There's no sense in holding a food drive if no one knows about it! **Let us help you to promote your efforts by developing a flyer, promote on Social Media and supply boxes.**

Food drives are a great team building activity for groups or individuals.

- + Schools
- + Companies
- + Teams
- + Civic groups
- + Faith-based groups
- + Families

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### Food Drive Ideas:

- **Three Meals a Day** collect for a specific meal
- **Can your Principal/Boss** fill the Principal's/Boss' Office with cans of food
- **Bake Sale** a can of food buys a brownie
- **Rise and Shine** breakfast foods
- **Pasta Patrol/A Taste of Italy** collect mac & cheese, canned pasta, dry pasta and sauce
- **Build a Food Sculpture** Mountain of Mac & Cheese, Tower of Tuna, Pile of Pasta, etc.
- **Snack Attack** collect healthy snacks like raisins, trail mix or granola bar
- **Meat the Need** canned meats, tunafish, stew
- **Stuff the Bus** fill a bus with cans
- **The Challenge** see who can collect the most items between classrooms/departments
- **March Madness** organize a basketball shoot out for hunger, entry fee is food
- **Food Hunt for Hunger** (Spring/Easter)
- **Baseball Opening Day** hit a home run for hunger (April/Spring)
- **Make Mom Proud** Stop Hunger (May)
- **Hunger Doesn't Take a Vacation** (June-breakfast & lunch items)
- **Cookout Time** condiments-mayo, ketchup, relish (June)
- **Halloween** Dare to Care, Treat your Neighbor Right
- **Winter WARM-up** stew, soup, cocoa (November)
- **Giving Thanks Drive** (November/December)
- **Holiday Baking Drive** (December)

**The sky is the limit-be creative and create your own!**

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