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A newsletter for the supporters of Second Harvest Food Bank of Metrolina

SUMMER 2016



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KAY'S MESSAGE



Here at Second Harvest Food Bank of Metrolina, we have always known what a special region we call home. Throughout our 19 counties in both Carolinas we have met thousands of caring and compassionate people. These neighbors donate their time and money, standing right beside us, as we work to end hunger for our children, our seniors, our families and our pets.

About four years ago, our Board of Directors made the decision that we had to invest in new space. Over the last decade, thanks to this amazing community support, our pounds distributed have grown from 7 million annually to over 50 million annually; our fresh produce, meat and dairy pounds have grown from less than a million pounds annually to almost 18 million pounds annually; our volunteer hours have grown from 7,000 per year to 162,000 per year, and our child hunger

programs have grown from 11 programs to 191 programs. Clearly, to continue this type of growth, we had to have more space.

So we started down a path that led us to almost 18 months of negotiations with Mecklenburg County, who owns our facility and with the City of Charlotte who owned the property we needed for the expansion. Six meetings of council and a rezoning hearing later and we had not one vote against us. The county provided a forty year lease, the city deeded the property over to the county and the planning commission helped get the zoning issues conquered.

We next headed down the path of raising funds and along the way met some amazing folks who worked with us to secure New Market Tax Credits that infused 2.9 million dollars into the project. Then we made the decision that we were going to raise all the remaining funds that we needed locally.

Donors began stepping up at every level. Food Lion announced that they would donate 1.5 million dollars to name the building. Howard Levine announced a million dollar gift to create a huge warehouse wall that would honor Family Dollar. Harris Teeter announced that they would name the \$500,000 Volunteer Center. The Leon Levine Foundation announced a half million dollar gift. Blue Cross Blue Shield of North Carolina, Novant and Walmart all contributed to the construction of new cooler and freezer expansions. And a host of other donors (all shown on page 11 of this newsletter) stepped up to advance the cause.

Our region came together and issued a very powerful statement; "Hunger, in any form, is simply unacceptable and we will do whatever it takes to feed every child, senior, family and pet." Construction is underway and you should just ride by and see this vision of a hunger free region as it continues to take shape right here on Spratt Street.

But we still need a little help. Howard Levine has offered up a \$500,000 challenge grant that will help us close the deal on the fundraising. We need for the folks reading this message to donate today to help us raise the \$500,000 so we can receive this match and know that we have all of the funds in place to complete this important project. I hope you will reach into your hearts just one more time. Reach into your heart for the hungry child who receives a backpack every weekend so they can come to school prepared to learn. Reach into your heart for that senior who is trying to decide whether to purchase the medicine they need to stay healthy or the food they need to stay healthy. Reach into your heart for that family that is struggling and does not know how they are going to feed their children tonight. Reach into your heart for that family that loves their pets but cannot afford to feed them.

I know your hearts. It has been my honor and privilege to lead this food bank for almost 13 years now and it has been the greatest blessing of my life. Thank you in advance for the support I know you will send.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Kay".

HARRIS TEETER | CHEF'S BEST



This year's 27th Annual Chef's Best event, sponsored by Harris Teeter, was held in the Crown City Ballroom at the NASCAR Hall of Fame. The dinner raised close to \$250,000 for the food bank's Community Food Rescue Program. The July 29th event featured chefs from Bonterra, Blue, Lumiere, and Wolfgang Puck Kitchen + Bar. Special thanks to all the chefs and our additional sponsors including Cargill, CRVA, Art Institute and E&J Gallo.



HARRIS TEETER | CHEF'S BEST



 **Harris Teeter**
Neighborhood Food & Pharmacy



TASTE OF THE PANTHERS



The 9th Annual Taste of the Panthers was held on May 17, 2016 at Bank of America Stadium. This event features dozens of your favorite Panthers, all of your favorite restaurants, and great Gallo wines. Since the event started in 2008, the Panthers have helped us raise almost \$800,000 for our child hunger programs. Special thanks to Bank of America and Harris Teeter for sponsoring the event.



TASTE OF THE PANTHERS



EMPTY BOWLS

The Crown City Ballroom at the NASCAR Hall of Fame was host to the 16th Annual Empty Bowls event sponsored by Food Lion Feeds. For this event, local potters, including Clayworks and Jim Wolf, donate handcrafted bowls. Guests enjoy a modest meal and select a pottery bowl to take home. The bowl serves as a reminder of all the empty bowls in homes all over our region. Special thanks to Maureen O'Boyle and to Charlotte GoPlaySave for their support. The event annually raises close to \$100,000 to help feed the hungry.



Thanks to our donating potters!

Clayworks
Jim Wolf
Winthrop University, James Connell
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EMPTY BOWLS



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POTTERS



Jim Wolf



GROUNDBREAKING



Howard Levine spoke about why he decided to donate a million dollars to help pay for new warehouse space. Later during the ceremony Howard surprised the food bank with an additional \$500,000 Challenge Grant.



During the ceremony Food Lion spoke about why they decided to donate \$1.5 million for the building naming rights.

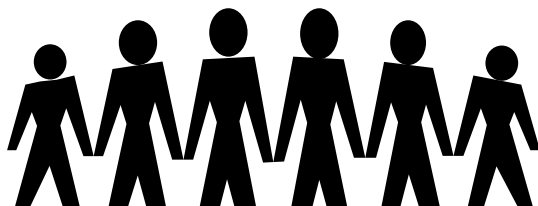


Harris Teeter announced a \$500,000 donation to the project to complete the volunteer center.

Donation Match

Howard Levine surprised the Food Bank with an announcement of an additional \$500,000 calling on other organizations and individuals to help match his donation to help SHFBM reach 100% of goal.

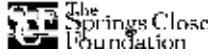
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CAPITAL CAMPAIGN THANK YOU



Mike and Joan Brown
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Ronnie and
Paulette Sherrill



Major capital campaign donors joined together with Second Harvest Food Bank of Metrolina along with other guests and project partners to officially break ground on the Food Bank's \$11.5 million building expansion of its Spratt Street facility in Charlotte. The expansion will double the size of the existing facility and help to create more dry storage space and more cooler and freezer space, to increase the number of nutritional pounds distributed to those in need in the 19-county region that Second Harvest Food Bank of Metrolina services.

"This is truly one of the most exciting days in the history of the Food Bank and all of the credit goes to local individuals, corporations and foundations who have stepped up to send a clear message that ending hunger needs to be a top priority in our region" said Kay Carter, CEO of Second Harvest Food Bank of Metrolina.

Progress On The Construction Of The New Building



5/23/16



8/8/16



7/5/16



SWARM TO SERVE



Volunteers from the Hornets, Food Lion and Second Harvest Food Bank of Metrolina built a structure made of donated Food Lion-branded food cans and boxes at Time Warner Cable Arena. The structure, designed by Odell architectural firm, was made to resemble the Hornets' locker room.



BACKPACK DONATION



Many thanks to Matt Tolnick and his company Lawless Jerky for their donation of 25,000 bags of 100% grass-fed beef jerky to Second Harvest Food Bank. The donation coincided with the company's retail debut in Food Lion.

"We truly appreciate Lawless Jerky's donation of a tasty, healthy, shelf-stable, high-protein, high-nutrition snack that will provide a great extra item for 25,000 backpacks," Kay Carter, Second Harvest CEO, said in highlighting the significance of the gift.

TASTE OF THE NATION



The Fillmore Charlotte was the venue for the 21st Anniversary of Charlotte's Taste of the Nation. The event featured 26 of the City's influential creators in the food and drink scene and guests had a chance to sample their signature fare and spirits. Over \$104,000 was raised to support Second Harvest Food Bank and Community Culinary School.



LEGAL FEEDING FRENZY



NCBA

Moore&VanAllen

Thanks to all the law firms and law schools who participated in this year's Legal Feeding Frenzy. Winners were recognized at a special ceremony featuring North Carolina Attorney General Roy Cooper. This year's drive generated almost 300,000 pounds of food for North Carolina Food Banks. The three year total for the drive is over 900,000 pounds.



PARTNER APPRECIATION



Alexander Graham Middle School



Backpack Ladies



Bank of America



CMS/Walmart



New Market Tax Credit



**Student Hunger Drive
Food Lion Feeds**



RHI Legacy Foundation



Mecklenburg Community Church



Modern Salon and Spa



NC State Employees' Credit Union



Vanguard



Perdue



Pet Paradise



Primrose Academy



Publix



Chef's Best



Thomas Simpson

PARTNER APPRECIATION

Community Partnership Award

City of Charlotte
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Food Partner Awards

Ferguson Box
Perdue
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Faith Based Partner Award

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Food Drive Partner Awards

Pet Paradise
Vivian Grose
Thomas Simpson

Special Event Partner Award

Harris Teeter
CRVA
Cargill
Art Institute of Charlotte
Gallo Wines

Community Partnership Award

Student Hunger Drive-Food Lion Feeds

Individual Volunteer Awards

Susan Arelt-Pohlman
Kenneth Dill and Sadia Ibrahim
Jenner Wall

Group Volunteer Awards

Effie Loukas and Modern Salon & Spa
Backpack Ladies

New Partnership Award

North Carolina State Employees' Credit Union

Group Financial Partner Awards

Bank of America
Target
Wells Fargo

Community Partnership Award

Walmart
Charlotte Mecklenburg Schools

Youth Partner Awards

Alexander Graham Middle School
Primrose Academy

Ted Heyward Award

Howard Levine

Frank Timberlake Award

Vanguard



Jenner Wall



Ferguson Box



Vivian Grose



Target



Wells Fargo and
Susan Arelt-Pohlman



Kenneth Dill and Sadia Ibrahim

SORT-A-RAMA



On May 26th, 500 volunteers from Food Lion Feeds, Blue Cross Blue Shield of North Carolina, TIAA and Carolinas HealthCare System packed thousands of meals at the Sort-A-Rama event to help feed hungry children this summer. By the end of the day, volunteers had packed 93,100 bags of healthy brown rice and dry pinto beans. The meals packed were distributed through Second Harvest Food Bank of Metrolina's network of emergency pantries throughout our 19 county service region.



SPOTLIGHT ON ASSISTANCE LEAGUE



One of our key partners in the battle to end child hunger in Mecklenburg County has been Assistance League. For decades they have supported healthy snack programs for CMS schools. Several years ago they started sponsoring backpack programs and most recently they have committed their support to help Second Harvest expand the school based mobile pantry program. Their efforts are helping to feed tens of thousands of children in Mecklenburg County.



Annually, Assistance League provides a monetary donation to help the food bank purchase protein. The group's most recent donation helped Second Harvest purchase 5,264 pounds of ground turkey, which will be distributed to families in our school based mobile pantry program.



During the 2015-2016 school year, Assistance League announced that they would be supporting backpack programs at Merry Oaks Elementary and Billingsville Elementary. Second Harvest and Food Lion joined our friends from Assistance League for a kick-off event at Merry Oaks. Along with the backpacks, all of the students at the school received bags of fresh apples courtesy of Food Lion.



Recently Assistance League announced that they would begin funding school based mobile pantry programs at Merry Oaks Elementary and Billingsville Elementary. The school-based mobile program is a natural extension of the backpack program and provides school families with 50 pounds of food per mobile including fresh produce, meat, dairy, whole grain breads, and non-food items. Thanks to the support of Assistance League families at these schools will receive quarterly mobiles in the 2016-2017 school year.



At the beginning of the summer Assistance League announced that they would be sponsoring a new backpack program at Crown Point Elementary in Mecklenburg County. Working with Second Harvest, this program will be year-round and benefit students at this high poverty rate school.

DALLAS BRANCH REOPENS

On February 23, 2016, we reopened our Dallas Branch along with our friends from Food Lion. Food Lion provided the building and helped with needed renovations, including an expansion of freezer and cooler space. The Dallas Branch helps food bank partner agencies in Gaston, Cleveland, Lincoln, Rutherford, and Cherokee reduce time and transportation costs by acquiring food closer to home. This enables the agencies to feed more people in need.



CHARLOTTE WINE & FOOD

CHARLOTTE
WINE & FOOD
WEEKEND
NOURISHING YOUTH

The 27th Annual Charlotte Wine and Food Weekend was held April 27th through April 30th, and Second Harvest was again honored to be one of the beneficiaries. The annual event has been ranked by Forbes Travel Guide as one of the top 5 wine and food events in the United States. Proceeds from the event benefit children in the community, including participants in the food bank's backpack program.



FIFTH THIRD AND RICKY STENHOUSE



Thanks to Ricky Stenhouse Jr, Roush Racing, and Fifth Third Bank, children in the community are being fed with the backpacks they packed on May 2, 2016 for the Backpack Program. This Program is designed to provide backpacks full of nutritious food on weekends and holidays when school meals are not available.



ROCK 2 END HUNGER

On February 22nd, Tom and Valerie McKernan hosted their Third Annual Rock 2 End Hunger to benefit the Food Bank's Child Hunger Programs. Close to one hundred couples were invited to the party where admission was a donation to Second Harvest.

Collectively the three parties have raised over \$38,000 to help feed hungry children in our region. Special thanks to the bands "Killin Time" from Charlotte and "No Jo Slim" from Mooresville. The two bands play separately but practice together for six weeks leading up to the fundraiser. The bands played cover songs from Van Halen, AC/DC, Ozzy Osbourne, ZZ Top, Aerosmith, U2, Rolling Stones, Jimi Hendrix, Black Crows, Bon Jovi, and many others.



WSOC-TV FOOD DRIVE



The WSOC-TV 9 Food Drive comes at a critical time of year since our partner agencies see an increase of clients as we move into the summer months. Thanks to all of our friends at WSOC-TV and all of the station's wonderful viewers, this year's food drive was the most successful ever. The 11th annual drive held on June 8, 2016, collected the equivalent of 35,141 pounds through food and funds donated. Special thanks to all of the Family Focus partners, including Ashley Furniture, Showmars, Hendrick Honda, and E.R. Plumbing Services.



Food Lion donated over 4600 pounds to the WSOC Food Drive



BANK 2 BANK

The 9th Annual Bank to Bank Food Drive was held for two weeks June 13-24, with the finale event held at the Food Bank on June 29th. This year's event raised 403,426 pounds in food and funds combined, bringing the 9 year total to 2.4 million pounds.



WELLS FARGO PACKING EVENT

**WELLS
FARGO**

Thanks to Wells Fargo and three days with over 300 volunteers we have 3,000 backpacks full of nutritious, ready-to-eat food for children at risk of hunger. With school out for the summer, sometimes these children do not know where their next meal will come from. Thanks to Wells Fargo, these children will not go hungry this summer!



CIC - June 1, 2016



Uptown Atrium - June 2, 2016



Fort Mill - June 3, 2016



WP KITCHEN + BAR GRAND RE-OPENING

To celebrate their new menu and concept, WP Kitchen + Bar decided to invite old and new customers to a private fundraiser to benefit Second Harvest Food Bank of Metrolina. “Wolfgang Puck’s Charlotte restaurant has always been a major supporter of Second Harvest Food Bank. We are thrilled for the new WP Kitchen + Bar concept, and thankful for the continued partnership with Chef Puck and his team,” said Kay Carter, CEO of Second Harvest.



PUBLIX FOOD FOR ALL CAMPAIGN

During the Food For All campaign, Publix customers across the Southeast donated \$1, \$3 or \$5 at the registers for their local food banks. Publix made a \$24,451 donation to Second Harvest Food Bank as a result of the Food For All campaign! Thank you Publix and Publix customers for joining in our fight to end hunger!



Publix.

FRESH MARKET 25TH ANNIVERSARY

The Fresh Market celebrated 25 years in Charlotte on February 19 & 20! As part of the celebration 5% of Saturday sales was donated to Second Harvest Food Bank of Metrolina. Many thanks to Fresh Market and all of their customers for supporting the food bank.



EARTH FARE HEALTHY FOOD FOR EVERYONE

As part of Earth Fare's mission of providing "Healthy Food For Everyone" the company encourages customers to make donations to various organizations at the register. Thanks to this great support Second Harvest received almost \$5,000 in Earth Fare gift cards that are being used to purchase food for our Kids Cafe Program. Kids Cafe partners with the food bank and agencies serving at-risk children at 40 sites in 11 different counties. Collectively these sites provide hundreds of thousands of nutritious meals and snacks annually to children at risk of hunger.



MILLION MEAL CHALLENGE



The Million Meals Challenge, a banner initiative in collaboration with Harris Teeter and the NC Association of Feeding America Food Banks, focused on generating yearlong support from Duke, NC State, UNC and Wake Forest students, fans, alumni and campus communities. As part of this challenge, the company invited shoppers and associates to make a \$1, \$3 or \$5 donation at checkout, collecting \$116,633 in the fight against hunger.

The Company also hosted an in-store food drive at Harris Teeter stores immediately surrounding the participating universities, which collected over 1,700 pounds of food. The monetary and food donations collected by Harris Teeter, the four universities and the North Carolina Association of Feeding America Food Banks will provide over 647,000 meals to hungry North Carolinians.



FRESH PRODUCE PROGRAM

Many thanks to our friends at Target for continuing to support the Food Bank's efforts to distribute more fresh produce into the hands of our at-risk children. Target has provided a grant to Second Harvest to supply fresh produce to students at Shamrock Gardens Elementary throughout the year including the summer months. Parents and students receive a wide variety of fresh fruits and vegetables essential for promoting good health.



SUPER BOWL MANIA



It's not every year that your team makes it to the Super Bowl. Congratulations to our Carolina Panthers for an amazing season! Many thanks to all those football fans out there who held special events and made special donations in honor of the Panthers appearance in Super Bowl 50.



Food Lion Feeds donated 50,000 meals to Second Harvest Food Bank of Metrolina, in honor of the Carolina Panthers. The company donated the 50,000 meals in honor of the team's participation in Super Bowl 50. "We're extremely proud of the Panther's success this season," said Christy Phillips-Brown, Food Lion's director of external communications and community relations. "We cheered the team on throughout the season and wanted to honor their outstanding season with this donation to a cause we both support."



Governor Pat McCrory made good on the Super Bowl wager he made with Colorado Governor John Hickenlooper. Governor McCrory not only donned Governor Hickenlooper's personal Denver Broncos jersey, he also worked with Butterball to deliver cases of turkey burgers and turkey sausages to Second Harvest Food Bank of Metrolina and the Food Bank of the Rockies in Denver.



As part of Super Bowl 50, Hospice & Palliative Care Charlotte Region challenged their counterparts in Denver to see who could collect the most food for their local food bank. We are very proud that the Charlotte Hospice rolled over Denver by collecting the equivalent of 115,741 pounds of food or 246.40 pounds per FTE. Denver only collected 6.85 pounds per FTE.



Big brands pay millions for a few seconds in the Super Bowl, and local television stations also get a few select spots to sell that can make or break an annual budget. So, when you see a local news commercial during the Super Bowl, it's no small investment. Thanks to our friends at WBTV, Second Harvest Food Bank appeared in the Super Bowl spot #WBTVandMe. Over 1.8 million people saw our staff posing in front of the Cam Truck.

MOO & BREW

The North Carolina Music Factory was the site for Creative Loafing's 2nd Annual Moo & Brew event. Featuring craft beer and burgers, guests enjoyed music by Sinners and Saints, Bubonik Funk, Truckstop Preachers, DJ Overcash and Ancient Cities. Thanks to everyone who supported the festival which has helped to raise over \$15,000 in the last two years.



KIDS CORNER

Avamarie Miller of Fort Mill, SC won the Food Lion “Summers Without Hunger” Reusable Bag Design Contest! On June 4, Food Lion hosted a signing party for the new reusable bag, where customers could purchase a bag and Avamarie was on hand to sign them. Her bag design showcases her passion for ending hunger in her community.



These amazing kids have collected 400 boxes of mac and cheese and \$238 through a lemonade stand in their neighborhood. This is the 3rd year they have collected items for Second Harvest. The first year they collected can openers for our backpacks and last year they collected peanut butter.

Brownie Troop #603 used some of the money they raised selling cookies to donate to help neighbors in need. They donated \$145, the equivalent of 1,015 pounds.



Thanks to a partnership between East Lincoln Christian Ministries and Second Harvest Food Bank, 100 children in Lincoln County received new shoes and a new outfit for school along with needed school supplies. Thanks to our amazing donors for making this possible.

PET PARADISE



On June 12, Pet Paradise hosted their “Mutts and the Media” event and our media representative, Black and Blue Review, won 3rd place for us. This awarded the Second Harvest Pet Food Bank \$500.



CHARLOTTE KNIGHTS



Thanks to the Charlotte Knights players and staff who volunteered with us on June 28th! The Players received a pre-game workout sorting bread before their doubleheader.



NEW BACKPACK PARTNER

North Mecklenburg
Woman's Club

The North Mecklenburg Woman's Club donated \$1,000 to go towards our backpack programs, which help provide backpacks full of nutritious food on weekends and holidays when school meals are not available.



Morris Berg Architects & Edifice
Jurors' Favorite



Thanks to all the firms and their supporters who participated in the 2016 AIA Charlotte Canstruction event. Our friends from CRVA helped secure the space again for this unique structure competition. Seven teams spent weeks planning, and a full morning building these amazing structures at the Charlotte Convention Center. There were several categories to compete in but we think they are all winners. Together they provided the food bank with 16,674 pounds of food to help hungry neighbors.

Stewart and Perkins+Will
Structural Ingenuity



Delve Interiors and Odell Associates
Honorable Mention



Wright McGraw Beyer Architects
Best Meal



ai Design
Best Use of Labels



The Housing Studio
Honorable Mention



Gensler & JE Dunn
Honorable Mention



WALMART'S "FIGHT HUNGER, SPARK CHANGE"



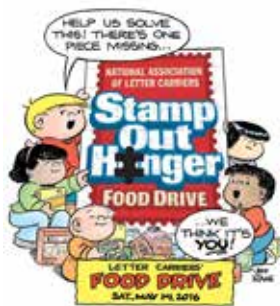
From March 28th to April 25th, Walmart sponsored their annual "Fight Hunger. Spark Change." national campaign. People across the nation were encouraged to take action against hunger and help families in need through simple acts of support online and in-store purchases and donations. This campaign is part of Walmart's larger commitment to provide meals to those in need.

"We extend our sincerest thanks to everyone who participated in the "Fight Hunger. Spark Change." campaign that helped secure critical meals for those in need in our community," said Kay Carter, Second Harvest Food Bank CEO. "The \$185,000 raised in our region will go a long way in helping us provide meals for the children and families who count on our support throughout the year."



Special thanks to the companies listed above for doing special in-store promotions that helped raise more than \$17.4 million for the Feeding America nationwide network of food banks.

LETTER CARRIERS



On Saturday, May 14th, the 24th Annual Stamp Out Hunger Food Drive was sponsored by The National Association of Letter Carriers. This drive is the nation's largest single-day food drive. Publix super market provided bags that were delivered by the postal carriers to homes throughout the Charlotte area.

Residents filled the bags with over 66,000 pounds of non-perishable foods that were collected by the Letter Carriers in Charlotte on May 14th. All of the food benefitted Second Harvest and our partner agency Loaves & Fishes.

Special thanks to the students at Walter G. Byers Elementary School for helping to kick off the food drive. Some of the students are pictured below with letter carriers participating in the drive.



BALLANTYNE FOOD DRIVE



Thanks to Bissell Companies, the tenants of Ballantyne Corporate Park and surrounding community, 75,649 pounds of food including a cash contribution from Carlisle, was collected during the annual “Cans for a Cause Food Drive”. This drive is so important because it comes during the high-need summer months.

We appreciate all of our friends in Ballantyne for helping feed hungry children this past summer.



DOLLAR TREE FOOD DRIVE



After a very successful first food drive in 2015 - raising over 1 million pounds of food and nearly 7 million individual food items for the Feeding America Network of Food Banks, Dollar Tree was proud to partner with Feeding America again in 2016!

Thanks to our friends at Dollar Tree for hosting a national food drive at all of their thousands of locations. Here in our 19 county region of North and South Carolina, Dollar Tree stores collected over 33,000 pounds to help us feed hungry children and seniors. We are so grateful for your continued support!



PIEDMONT
MEDICAL CENTER

SUMMER CEREAL DRIVE



Thanks to our friends at Piedmont Medical Center in Rock Hill for collecting healthy, whole-grain cereals during their drive in June. “At Piedmont Medical Center, we recognize the impact hunger has on health and nutrition, and our staff is eager to make a difference,” said Christina Oh, chief operating officer of PMC. “We recognize the importance of beginning each day with a nutritious breakfast and, through this drive, we hope to help the many in our community struggling with food insecurity.”

ALL CANS ON DECK FOOD DRIVE



Vanguard®

For the past seven years our friends at Vanguard have sponsored the All Cans on Deck Food Drive. The recently completed 2016 drive raised a total of almost 415,000 pounds of food. The seven year total for Vanguard is almost 1.5 million pounds. Thanks to all of the employees for this amazing effort that is helping to end hunger in our region.



UPCOMING EVENTS



Save The Date

Thursday, September 22, 2016

7:00 PM - 10:00 PM

Mercedes-Benz of South Charlotte

950 N. Polk Street, Pineville, NC 28134

Sip sensational wines • Shop the latest fashions

Mingle with the charming "Shoe Guys"

Enjoy a glamorous fashion show

Enter the winner takes all

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