

2023



FOOD DRIVE ORGANIZED BY THE BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA, ANTHEM, AND KROGER

Saturday, April 15 - Saturday, April 22

HOW TO GET INVOLVED THIS SPRING | COMMIT BY MARCH 31

GO DOOR-TO-DOOR

Go door-to-door in uniform to deliver bags and information about Scouting for Food Collection date.

Use social media including, neighborhood groups, and school family groups, community forums and more to post about Scouting for Food and when you will be out collecting food.

DROP OFF FOOD ITEMS

Encourage community residents to fill bags with appropriate items.

Be sure to revisit all of the houses on the collection day to pick up food.

Deliver food to a local food pantry or a District determined turn-in-site.



PANTRY SUPPORT

Contact a local food pantry to see how you can help!

Scout units should complete an online form (URL below) to receive Scouting for Food patches. These patches will be mailed directly to each unit at no cost, if submitted by Friday, May 6.

Donation bags and flyers may be available at the Council or can be requested through your District Executive.

Map the Meal Gap 2017, the latest report by Feeding America on food insecurity, reveals that hunger struggles exists in every county in Indiana. Overall food insecurity ranges from a low of 9 percent of the population in Hamilton County up to nearly 19 percent in Marion County. The national average food insecurity rate across all counties is 14 percent.

www.feedingamerica.org

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