

HELP FIGHT HUNGER
THIS SUMMER

School's out!



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With school being out, kids that rely on free or reduced breakfast and lunch in school no longer receive these important meals.

Some families struggle to provide these meals and in turn, rely on food banks. Help Spooner House provide for increased need and beat the summer donation slump through some of our suggestions below!

# 1. Run a neighborhood food drive

- 1. Print the Spooner House wish list from our website.
- 2. Fill in the information including time you will be collecting.
  - 3. Distribute to your neighborhood.
  - 4. Pick up the food on the indicated day.
- 5. Bring the food down to Spooner House: 30 Todd Road in Shelton!





# 2. Organize a food drive at a local grocery store

Call up your local grocery store and ask if you can run a food drive for Spooner House outside the doors for a couple hours. Print the wish list from our website and hand it to people as they enter the store. Collect the donations then bring them down to Spooner House.

Let us know if you are holding a drive and we will gladly spread the word!



# 3. Collect at your summer camp

Are you or your children or grandchildren going to summer camp this summer? Ask if you can run a food collection for Spooner House there.



### 4. Hold a lemonade stand for Spooner House!

Set up a lemonade stand in your neighborhood and donate the proceeds to Spooner House. Every donation adds up and goes a long way in helping your neighbors in need!



### 5. Growing a garden? Donate your extra veggies!

Fresh produce is always appreciated at Spooner House, whether to be used in the shelter for a meal or to be given out to our food bank clients.



### 6. Take part in the Plumb Memorial Library summer reading program

Sign up for the summer reading program at the Plumb Memorial Library in Shelton this summer and receive a bingo card. Receive the "Pay It Forward" space by bringing in canned goods for Spooner House. Find our colorful posters and corresponding collection bins at the Plumb and make a donation each time you visit!

#### 7. Making a purchase on Amazon? Use Amazon Smile!

When you make a purchase through Amazon, consider using our "Amazon Smile" portal in support of Area Congregations Together, Inc.





