

Scarlet Knights Marching Band Food Drive

Hey Band! During the summer months, food pantries in our area don't get enough donations to meet the needs of the communities they serve. Let's help them out with a food drive during Band Camp.

Last year, we donated around 500 pounds of food. This year let's set a goal to collect over 600lbs of food for Neighbors in Need food pantry in Lawrence.

To make it even more fun, we are making it a contest! Donations will be collected by section starting Monday, August 12 and all throughout Band Camp. The section with the most number of donation items per person will be the winner. The winning section will be announced on Friday, August 16th. Prizes for the winner, to be determined (I promise the prize will be cool!).

Below is a list of suggested items to donate straight from the NIN website. I will have boxes marked with the different sections to collect your donations. **REMEMBER:** Your donations are helping to feed a family. Think of items that can feed and nurture a family of around four. Let's show how much the Scarlet Knights can give back to the community!

Your
bandmate,

Anna McGrath
Drum Major and Co-President

Canned Food

- Goya Pink Beans
- Goya Green Pigeon Peas, and other canned black, red and white beans
- Vegetables—All Kinds
- Fruits—Not in syrup preferred
- Soups and Stews
- Peanut Butter
- Tuna
- Other Canned Meats e.g. Chicken
- Spaghetti Sauce with Meat

Packaged Food

- Rice—Goya, Canilla, Carolina
 - NOT Uncle Ben's or Minute Rice
- Pasta
- Macaroni and Cheese
- Parmalat Milk
- Cereal

Baby Needs

- Formula—Similac Advance (light blue label)
- Baby Food and Pouches
- Diapers—especially sizes 3,4,5&6
- Baby Wipes and other supplies

