

Our goal this year during March is to raise 120,000 pounds/dollars for our food shelf to help hungry families in need. We can do it with your help! Can you do a food/fund drive for us at your office, business, faith organization, home or school? **We've launched a [website](#) to make it as easy as possible for you to raise food/funds.** There you'll find:

- Food Wish Lists
- 101 Creative Ideas to Raise Food/Funds
- Example Action Kits: Home and Work
- How to Host a Food Drive
- Food Shelf Stories
- Neighborhood House Food Shelf Facts
- Follow your Food; Feed your Heart: Making your Food Drive a Complete Experience

Planning early will make things a breeze; I will provide all the support you need to make your drive a success. Please contact me to get started and to help us in the fight against hunger!

Warmest regards,

Riley

Weekly Opportunities: Fill the gaps in our ongoing volunteer opportunities!

Administrative Volunteer Needed a Few Hours per Week

Help keep our Finance and HR departments on track by coming in once per week for a few hours (scheduling is flexible) to do filing, alphabetizing, light typing and other clerical duties. Must have basic understanding of Xcel. Perfect for retirees.

Can You Read This? Then you can co-teach English to Immigrants and Refugees with a Staff Member or an Experienced Volunteer! 9:00am-11:00am (Monday-Friday) or 11:30am-1:30pm (Monday, Thursday, Friday needed)

We are in need of daytime volunteers to co-teach our Beginning, Intermediate, Advanced and Civics classes once per week for the Winter Quarter, now through March 8th, or Winter Quarter, beginning March 19th. Training provided by MLC, materials provided by Neighborhood House, and support provided by our wonderful Adult Education Instructors. Must be 18 or older.

Preschool Assistants Needed Tuesdays 9:30-11:30am

Help 3-5 year olds increase their school readiness by assisting with our free preschool program. Assist with crafts, reading, learning ABCs and free play. Tuesdays 9:30-11:30am through May at Neighborhood House; Wednesdays 12:30-2:30pm at Homecroft Early Learning Center.

One-hit Wonders: One-time, fun & easy ways to give back!

Clerical Volunteers Needed ASAP, February 3rd or 6th

Are you available Friday, February 3rd or Monday February 6th for a few hours (between 9:00am and 5:00pm) to put stamps on postcards? We need your help! Contact Kalue Her at [651-789-2572](tel:651-789-2572) or kher@neighb.org.

Kowalski's Food Drive, March 3 - 3 shifts still available

Kowalski's on Grand volunteers hand out food wish lists to incoming customers, gather donations and thank exiting customers and load/unload food into the van. I still need these shifts filled: Saturday, March 3rd 2:00-4:00pm (2 people) and 4:30-6:00pm unloading food at Neighborhood House (up to 10 people). Families welcome.

Deliver Food to Homebound Seniors March 1st 10:00am-12:00pm

Homebound seniors near Neighborhood House need to receive their food and enjoy friendly conversation from generous volunteers once per month. This is great for pairs of people to do together. Families and friends welcome.

Great for Groups: Many hands make light work!

Follow your Food; Feed your Heart Where does the food from your food drive go? Here's your chance to follow your food all the way from donation to distribution! Neighborhood House will help you with your food drive (see [website](#)) and after it is finished, you and your co-workers will come to Neighborhood House to place the food you've raised on the shelves directly into the hands of the families who need it most. Contact Riley to set up a time for your group of 10-20 to volunteer in the food shelf in March.

Volunteers Needed ASAP to Assemble Safer Sex Kits by February 15th

Come to Neighborhood House to assist our API Community Health Worker in packaging two thousand safer sex kits (condom, lube, information about program). Any group size welcome, the more help, the faster it gets done. Contact Wa Yang wyang@neighb.org or [651-789-2559](tel:651-789-2559) ASAP to get this project completed by February 15th.

Groups of 10 Food Shelf Volunteers Needed Every Day in March

Help us sort through the thousands of pounds of food donations we get during March. Shifts are available Monday-Friday 9:00am-12:00pm and 1:00-4:00pm. We can have up to 10 extra volunteers in the food shelf every day in March, sign up now! Under age 18 volunteers with adult supervision.

Interested in how to Get N-Volved?

Contact Riley Karbon, 651-789-3626 or rkarbon@neighb.org