

Spread Holiday Cheer to Those in Need: Holiday Food and Gift Basket Program Urgently Needs Sponsors

The Holiday Food and Gift Basket (HFGB) program is in **GREAT** need of sponsors to purchase gifts for low income families, adult singles, and seniors. This year the HFGB will serve **950** households, which represents more than 2,200 individuals. The program lost a couple businesses and school group that sponsored a large number of individuals last year.

As of now, we still have about **190** households to sponsor, which represents over **350** individuals. We have about 130 adult singles and seniors. Gifts need to be purchased, wrapped and dropped off between, December 3 - 8, so we need to recruit sponsors soon so they have time to shop.

Please consider sponsoring a family or one or two adult singles or seniors.

HOW TO SPONSOR IN 3 EASY STEPS!

1. CALL the Holiday Food and Gift Basket office at 771-6159 x 244 or email holidaybasket@hotmail.com and give us:

- Your first and last name
- Your address
- Your home phone number (and work # if applicable)
- Your email address
- Sponsor preference – number of people you can help
(e.g. **Family of 2 to ? – Single individual – Senior Citizen**)

2. SHOP and wrap the gifts in holiday paper!
(We will send you “wish lists” plus all the necessary information.)

3. DROP off your gifts between December 3rd and December 8th.
(We will tell you where and when!)

The Holiday Food and Gift Basket (HFGB) program is funded in part by grants from Youth Services of Oak Park and River Forest Townships. Monetary donations are also welcomed to defray the cost of food gift cards given at Thanksgiving. Checks made payable to Holiday Food and Gift Basket can be sent to PO Box 3365, Oak Park, IL 60303

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING THOSE IN NEED IN OUR COMMUNITY!