

Scouting for Food

Saturday, November 4
Drop off Door Hangers

Saturday, November 11
Pick up Food after 10:00 a.m.

After October 15

Make sure someone picks up your door hangers at the council office. We will bring any door hangers not retrieved to roundtable on Nov. 2.

Be sure you're clear on what geographic area you are covering. Don't assume it's the same as last year.

Pick up the Scouting for Food patch request form. Keep track of everyone that has earned the patch. Turn it in on the collection day or before Tuesday, 11/21. Patches will be ordered based on these forms.

Saturday, November 4—not before

Distribute door hangers. Distribution can be done on other days if need be; **however, do not distribute before November 4.**

Make sure you distribute to your entire service area but only in your service area.

Wear uniforms and enlist the support of your friends and families.

Door hangers should be hung around door knobs or handles. Do not put on or in mailboxes.

Saturday, November 11

Begin collecting no earlier than 10:00 a.m. to give people time to put food out. (The door hangers read 9:00 a.m.)

Make sure you cover the entire same area where you distributed the door hangers.

Do not bring food to the Food Bank earlier than 10:30 a.m. There will be no one to help unload or receive.

The Food Bank is at 75 Digital Drive, Novato. Drive in the driveway on the east side of the building, proceed all the way to the end, turn left, and come around the end of the building.

Because there are fork lifts and other vehicles active in the area, do not let Scouts wander loose or run around.

The Food Bank will be offering lunch after 11:30 as in past years.*

This year, we will **NOT** be collecting eye glasses.

It's a good idea to have someone pass through the neighborhoods you covered later in the afternoon to pick up any missed food or food that was placed outside later.

Do not arrive at the Food Bank after 2:00 p.m.

DO

Wear your complete uniform.

Travel in pairs with buddies.

Be courteous to anyone you meet.

Start your collection on time.

Complete your entire route.

DON'T

Wear non-Scouting items with the uniform.

Travel alone or in secluded places.

Start collecting before the designated time.

Do half your route and then quit.

At the Food Bank

Please be patient. Be prepared to wait in line to unload.

Make sure your unit receives credit for the food you bring.

Turn in your patch order form to someone from the council (not the Food Bank).

Listen to volunteers that are directing parking and traffic.

Stay with your vehicle.

Make sure someone supervises your youth.

If you are not sure what to do, then ask.

Take photos of your Scouts in action. It's the best PR you can do!

Questions? Call Tim at 415-454-1081 x104.

**We need two adult volunteers or one adult and one older Scout to help prepare and serve the meal. The Food Bank is short-handed this year, and they need to concentrate on receiving the food. Contact Tim if you can assist with that.*



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Patch Request

November 4 and 11, 2017



Submit this form on November 11 or any time before Tuesday, November 21.

Patches will be available hopefully by the January roundtable in the amounts specified below.

Order by unit (pack, troop, crew, or post), not individually nor by dens, patrols, and so on.

☐ Pack____ ☐ Troop____ ☐ Crew____ ☐ Post____ ☐ Other_____

Contact Name _____

Telephone _____

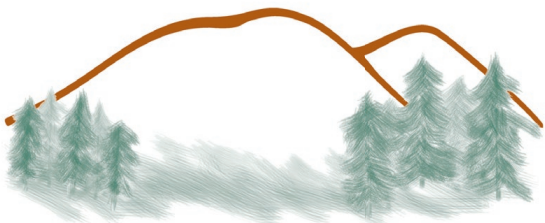
Email _____

To receive a patch, the youth or adult must have worked **at least one full day** of the service project (November 4 and/or 11). It is up to your unit to keep track.

Number of participating youth _____

Number of participating adults _____

Total number of patches needed _____



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