

# Orphan Grain Train

## Ohio Division

Your group/organization can help in many ways!

### Hygiene Kits:

1 bath towel	1 toothbrush	1 bath-size bar of soap	1 nail clipper
1 wash cloth	1 sturdy comb	1 small pkg. of facial tissues	Band-aids (1/2" or 3/4")

Linens should be in good condition and dark colors are recommended. Content items must be new, can be any brand and are wrapped in the washcloth.

#### Wrapping instructions:

- Spread towel flat
- Fold over about 5" on each long side of the towel
- Place everything in the center between folds
- Roll up the towel
- Use strong ribbon or cord and tie at both ends.

### Flood Buckets:

5 Gallon bucket	Mop
Paper towels	Broom
Latex gloves	Liquid Cleaner / bleach (mold control)

### School Kits:

Backpack	1 Ruler
2-3 spiral notebooks	2 Glue sticks
2 Pencils / 2 Pens	1 Blunt scissors
Construction Paper	Washable markers
Crayons (24 count)	Pencil sharpener

Place all items inside backpack

### Host an UNDIE Sunday:

NEW underwear and socks – all sizes    Children / Women / Men

### Items we collect at our warehouse: 500 Independence Dr. Napoleon OH 43545

[open the 1<sup>st</sup>. Tues. of the month 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. or by appointment only]

### **All items donated to OGT must be clean, usable, practical, and include the following:**

#### **Clothing (new or gently used: clean, no holes, tears, or stains)**

- Infant, children, men & women's clothing & coats
- Shoes – clean, in good condition and wearable
- No used underwear – NEW ONLY

#### **Non-breakable kitchen accessories: (clean, gently used, or new)**

- Pots & pans
- Plastic food storage containers
- Plates [no delicate china]
- Knives, forks, and spoons
- Appliances [stoves, refrigerators, microwaves] in good working condition and clean, with all parts, ready to go into a home

**Practical is the operative word in determining what is received, as the people who receive these items need basic items to re-establish their homes and lives.**

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**Quilts, comforters, blankets, sheets, towels** - all sizes are needed

New or clean, gently used, no holes, tears, or stains

**Furniture: Gently used, clean, sturdy** [basic, practical - no ready to assemble furniture]

**For Children: Bibles, Books, Toys** [clean, all parts/pieces and in working condition]

**Medical equipment and supplies:**

- Bandages, tape, and sponges
- Disposable gowns and gloves
- Hospital beds
- Prosthetic limbs
- Walkers, wheelchairs, crutches, and canes
- Stethoscopes, blood pressure cuffs and otoscopes

### **Items OGT will NOT take:**

Anything broken, dirty, or having holes; items like toys and games that are broken, incomplete, missing parts or pieces

No books, VHS, or DVD items, except children's

No Computers or computer/electronic games

No TV's

**OGT strives to serve the Lord by being good stewards. All are volunteers who wish to use their time wisely serving others. We are not able to refurbish, repair, patch, or clean items, thus the request for clean, usable, and practical items.**

**Pray** for God's blessings on this ministry and the work of Orphan Grain Train.

**Volunteer:** You can be a part of Orphan Grain Train's relief ministry, join the thousands of Christians already bringing Christ's name and character to needy people both far and near. Get on board today and experience the Lord's work first-hand!

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**Monetary Donations** are primarily used to pay for shipping/transportation:

The average cost to ship a box of donated goods is \$11.00

Shipping costs within the U.S. are on the rise due to increased gas prices.

Special collections are sometimes announced for special areas of need, you can make a note on check if you want donation directed to a specific cause. Mail to:

*Ohio Division Orphan Train: c/o Diann Meyer-Grieser  
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*"I will not leave you as orphans; I will come to you."* John 14:18 (NIV)