

Operation Snack Packs

www.operationsnackpacks.com

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Operation Snack Packs works to provide school-aged youth their basic needs in terms of food, with the intention that they will be able to function more effectively in school. Be there to help fill these backpacks and needs! You can pick-up, pack, or deliver the backpacks, take inventory of food supplies, help with recycling and box breakdown, or even serve as a Spanish translator!



Head Start

www.csc.gen.or.us/head_start.htm

Phone: 270-4984

Head Start addresses the need of early childhood education and enrichment in their preschool program for low-income families. They also do site visits to homes to help educate parents about healthy parenting and child brain development. You can help support by becoming a classroom helper, being a policy council representative who contributes to the rules and regulations of Head Start, or joining Friends of Head Start and helping with resource development!



Thanks for helping...
Provide Homeless Support

www.homelessinlincolncounty.com

Please visit our website periodically for updates concerning volunteer opportunities, donation centers and monetary contribution funds.

*Or call the Lincoln Commission on Children and Families for more information
574-3305*

Providing Homeless Support: *Volunteer Opportunities*



Working to make individuals and families...



in Lincoln County

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“A small group of thoughtful people could change the world. Indeed, it is the only thing that ever has.” - Margaret Mead

How can YOU contribute?

"I am of the opinion that my life belongs to the community, and as long as I live it is my privilege to do for it what I can." ~George Bernard Shaw

I invite you to get involved, to work together and help enrich the lives of those in our community living in poverty.

Food Share of Lincoln County

www.foodshareinlincolncounty.org

Joyce Thompson-Graham: foodsharejoyce@aol.com

265-8578

Come and volunteer with the county food share or at a local food pantry in your area! Opportunities include doing office work and taking phone calls, joining the Speakers Bureau to inform the community about Food Share, stocking and transporting food to and from the warehouse, or volunteering for the expanding hours at a local pantry. You could even join the staff as the volunteer Newport pantry manager!



Lincoln County
Food Share

All volunteers must apply through the county food share and attend a short training session.

Lincoln Habitat for Humanity

www.hfhlc.org

Laura Ireland-Moore: lincolnhfh@gmail.com

Help support low-income families working toward safe, decent and affordable housing with the Lincoln County chapter of Habitat for Humanity! Help with database development and website updates, construction builds, volunteer support and coordination, or working in the upcoming Habitat restore opening in January 2010. You can provide immeasurable support depending on your interests and talents!



Community Meals

There are several community meal, or soup kitchen, sites around the county. Before volunteering, you can call the site to see what their current needs are. This may include preparing or serving the food, joining the community for the meal, cleaning up afterwards, helping with fundraising and food pick up, or getting the word out there! The meal sites are listed below.

<p>Monday 5:30-6:30pm: St. Stephen's Episcopal, Newport 265-5251</p> <p>5:00-7:00pm: St. James Epis- copal, Lincoln City 994-2426</p> <p>5:30-6:30pm: Little Chief Restaurant, Siletz 444-2828</p>	<p>Tuesday 5:30-7:30pm; Evangelical Church, Lincoln City 996-2040</p> <p>Wednesday 4:30-5:30pm: Calvary Baptist Church, Newport 265-5232</p>	<p>Thursday 12:00-3:00pm: Agape Fellowship, Lincoln City 994-3166</p> <p>*Every 4th Thursday* 5:30-7:30pm Randy's Read and Feed, Atonement Lutheran Church, Newport 265-2554</p>	<p>Saturday 9:30-10:30am: Seashore Family Literacy Center, Waldport 563-7326</p>
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Homeless Awareness Partnership

Email: lcbuildingbridges@gmail.com

Become an advocate for children, individuals and families living in poverty by helping alleviate the stigma against homelessness. Participate in community meetings and forums, help develop outreach and awareness campaigns engaging the media and community members, highlighting the true faces and stories of homelessness. Together we can inform and shatter negative perceptions of people living in poverty so that we can help enrich the lives of our neighbors.

Literacy Centers & 21st Century After School Programs

- Toledo 21st Century After School Program
Amy Olsen Phone: 961-9017
- Lincoln City Family Literacy Center
Charla Guiwitz Phone: 996-4878

The Literacy Centers and 21st Century After School Programs work to enrich the lives and learning of youth and families with special skill classes and activities, and



the power of positive relationships. Come and be a positive role model and helpful volunteer by teaching a special skills class, tutoring, doing building operation and beautification work, or anything that matches your skills with the tasks that need to be done! Call for opportunities.

Samaritan House

www.samfamshelter.org

Bridget Dix: info@samfamshelter.org

The Samaritan House offers shelter and transitional housing programs for homeless families with children. Help support and provide life skills and other services to assist families getting back on their feet! Opportunities include volunteer management and coordination, office work, childcare for parents during weekly case management meetings, teaching a special skills class, joining the fundraising committee, planning a monthly recognition celebration, helping with maintenance and landscape beautification, and more!

