2012 Winter Holiday Resources

Other resources may be available. Call 211 or visit www.211info.org

HOLIDAY FOOD BOXES

St. Vincent De Paul Holiday Food Boxes
Pick up a ticket Wednesday 11/28 through Friday 12/14, 9-4pm M-F ; Multiple pick up locations ; 456 Hwy 99 North at the far south of Building; **541-689-6747**

Veneta/Elmira Kiwanis holiday Food Box
Pick up application at Tony Garcia Service Center or the video counter at Ray's; Application deadline is Dec 12th; Distribution Dec 15th; 88149 Territorial Rd, Veneta; Low income families in the Fern Ridge, Veneta, Noti, Crow & Elmira area

Cottage Grove Community Sharing Food Box
Sign up from 11 a.m. – 3 p.m. Mon-Fri until November 30th; 1440 Birch Ave, Cottage Grove; hotline at **541-942-2176**; For families living in the Cottage Grove community. Distributions is at Our Lady of Perpetual Help, 1025 N 19th St, Cottage Grove; December 20th from 1 p.m. – 6 p.m.

Soroptimist International Florence
Food Boxes distributed on Dec 22nd 9 a.m.- 1 p.m. and toys are distributed on Dec 22nd. Check your local newspaper.

Junction City Local Aid
In office; Regular food box distribution; 265 W. 6th Ave., Junction City; **541-998-3992**; Low income families may apply in person to do their monthly grocery shopping in the food pantry; must be Junction City resident. No sign up needed.

Food for Lane County
Call office for nearest location; **541-343-2822** Regular food box distribution

HOLIDAY MEAL SITES (dates vary)

Senior Holiday Dinner
Call office for ticket sale locations and times; Dec 25th; Eugene Hilton Hotel; **541-520-2698** seniorholidaydinner@gmail.com; $5 per person

Our Lady of Perpetual Help
Christmas gathering, December 25th; 12-2 p.m.; 1025 N 19th St., Cottage Grove; **541-942-4712**

Christmas Coffee

On Christmas Day, homeless persons and volunteers will gather together from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the Catholic Community Services (CCS) Eugene community service center for simple food, practical gifts, Christmas carols, and a warm and welcoming place to be on Christmas Day. All are welcome. Catholic Community Services Eugene Community Service Center 1464 West 6th Avenue . Eugene, OR . 97402

Junction City Moose Lodge #2238:

427 Front St, (541) 998-1164 *Please call to RSVP if able

HOLIDAY GIFT PROGRAMS

Toys for Tots — Eugene-Springfield

Distribution dates are December 15th and 16th, 2012. Tickets will be issued out December 14th, 2012 at 3106 Pierce Parkway for the Eugene/Springfield distribution. Tickets are issued out to minimize wait time at the distribution but are not required.

Distribution for the **Eugene/Springfield** area will be held at Maple Elementary School at 2106 J Street in Springfield from 8:00am - 8:00pm on Saturday the 15th and 8:00am - 6:00pm on Sunday the 16th.

Distribution in **Oakridge** will be at the Fire Dept on Saturday the 15th from 2 pm – 5 pm.

Distribution **Cottage Grove** will be on Sunday the 16th from 11:00am - 4:00pm at 628 7th Street which is the Cottage Grove Armory.

*Information required to receive toys is the following (NO PHOTOCOPIES):

- For Parents - Local Photo ID **OR** Photo ID with local mail (Proving residency in Lane County)
- For Children - Birth certificate ***OR*** Social Security Card and ONE of the following.
  - The First sheet of a Medical card showing both the parent's and child's names
  - WIC card
  - DHS paperwork the includes both the parents and child's names
  - Any other legal document that includes both the parents and child's name(s)

Salvation Army in Eugene and Springfield "Tree of Joy" program.

You can only access this program OR Toys for Tots, not both. You need to bring ID for all family members, kids need something with their birthdate. Bring proof of income, income limits are high, no one has been turned away yet to date. Bring a recent piece of document mail. Program is for kids ages 15 and younger. Gifts are chosen from a list. Food boxes also provided. **Applications taken from November 1st- 16th.**

Springfield 1275 Mill Street 541-747-6229 Hours 9-1:30

Eugene 640 W 7th St 541-343-3328 Hours 9-11:30 and 1-3 pm

S.A.N.T.A. Project (Sharing Among Neighbors Toy Appeal)

Give away Dec 15th 9 a.m. -4 p.m.; Veneta Elementary 88131 Territorial Hwy, Veneta; **541-935-1995** www.venetasanta.org ; No application, first come –first served. Children in need ages 0-17; Fern Ridge, Crow-Applegate-Lorane schools; Proof of residency (utility bill, I.D. or driver's license) and number of children living in home (such as report card with address, social security card or birth certificate).

Cottage Grove Tree of Joy

Sign up Community Sharing office or call **541-942- 2176**; 11 a.m. -3 p.m. Monday-Friday until **Dec 2nd**; 1440 Birch Ave, Cottage Grove; for low income youth or people with disabilities with income at or below the poverty level living in Cottage Grove; Proof of current address and income verification or government assistance. Distribution at Our Lady of Perpetual Help, 1025 N 19th St, Cottage Grove; December 20th from 1 p.m. -6 p.m.

Creswell Tree of Joy

Complete application by **December 3rd** and return to Creswell Library 64 W. Oregon Ave, Creswell; **541-895-3053**. Pick up Friday Dec. 21st 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. at Creswell Library. Up to $30 value of gifts for low income youth or people with disabilities with income at or below the poverty level living in Creswell; Proof of current address and income verification or government assistance. Only available to custodial parents/caregivers of children/people with disabilities (not available to visiting relatives/grandchildren, etc.)

Foster parents can also visit the Foster and Adoptive Parents Association (FAAPA) of Lane County website at www.faaapalane.org

HOLIDAY CELEBRATIONS (Community and Religious)

For lists of Lane County Holiday Celebrations check to local newspapers or visit www.eugenecascadecoast.org

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