

HOPE 4 YOUTH
Providing Pathways to End Youth Homelessness

Summer KICK-OFF

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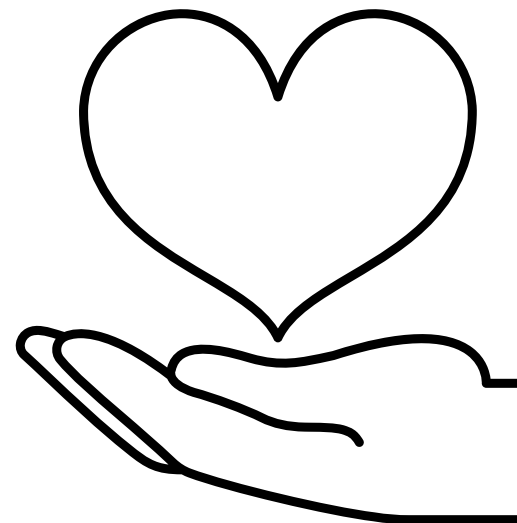
WHAT: A food and fund drive to support
HOPE 4 Youth this summer!

WHY: Summer is when we see the largest
number of youth but the lowest amount
of donations. Help HOPE 4 Youth
ensure all youth have enough to eat!

WHEN: Starts June 3rd!

HOW:

- Donate Food Items
- Donate Funds
- Host a Donation Drive
- Spread the Word!





Support our growing need by helping to raise **\$15,000** and collect **15,000 lbs** of food

WHY HOPE 4 YOUTH?

- For every food item and dollar you donate, you will provide critical support for youth experiencing homelessness.
- In 2023, youth made over **2,431** visits to our Food Pantry.
- So far in 2024, from January-April, we have had **895** visits to our food pantry.
- In 2024 we have seen the highest number of youth than ever before.
- Scan the QR Code to read our 2023 Annual Impact Report to learn more about the impact we made last year.



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TOP NEEDED ITEMS:

BEEF
JERKY

MICROWAVE
NOODLE
BOWLS

CEREAL
BOXES &
CUPS

MEAL SIDES:
RICE, PASTA,
POTATO

SNACK
CRACKERS

CANNED AND
PACKET CHICKEN
& TUNA

COMPLEATS
& DINTY
MOORE

CANNED
PASTA,
EX. CHEF
BOYARDEE

MAC &
CHEESE
BOXES &
CUPS

HOW:

- **DONATE FOOD ITEMS**

- Our Donation Center is open every Wednesday and the Second Saturday of the month from 9 am - 12 pm.
- You can purchase food items through our Wish Lists! Think of it like a registry, we pick the items, you pick what you want to donate, and it gets sent right to our door. Click [HERE](#) to view our Amazon, Walmart, and Target Wish Lists.
- You can schedule an appointment with Mari Dahlke, by emailing mdahlke@hope4youthmn.org or call 763.323.2066 ext. 118.

- **DONATE FUNDS**

- To financially donate, click "[DONATE](#)" on the Summer Kick-off page.
- You can also mail a donation to PO Box 48010 Coon Rapids, MN 55448

- **HOST A DONATION DRIVE**

- If you are interested in hosting a donation drive please fill out the form on the main campaign page or contact Mari Dahlke at mdahlke@hope4youthmn.org or call 763.323.2066 ext. 118
- We ask that you only collect food items or dollar donations to directly support our goal.
- Share on your social media and tag us so we can share!

- **SPREAD THE WORD!**

- Repost our posts on social media and share why you connect with our mission!
- Send to anyone who you think may be able to support the campaign with food items or financially.
- Feel free to make your own posts about the challenge or use the premade posts we have linked on the main campaign page.



SPEAKING POINTS & POST CAPTIONS

- Looking for a way to support a local non-profit in your community? HOPE 4 Youth is having a Summer Kick-off Challenge support their growing need by helping to raise \$15,000 and collect 15,000 lbs. of food items. Click the link to donate or see what food items they need: [CLICK HERE](#)
- Did you know the summertime is when HOPE 4 Youth sees the most youth but the least amount of donations? They need your support! Join me in supporting them through their Summer Kick-off Challenge. You can support the challenge by donating food items or financially. Learn more [HERE](#)
- I have been a supporter of HOPE for Youth for **BLANK** years, they are truly making a difference in the lives of young people. In 2023, they had over 3,000 youth visit their HOPE 4 Youth Center, learn more about HOPE 4 Youth by watching this short video: [VIDEO](#) I encourage you to support their Summer Kick-Off Challenge by donating food or financially - to participate [CLICK HERE](#)
- Youth homelessness is unacceptable. HOPE 4 Youth's mission is to provide pathways to end youth homelessness. I challenge you to participate in their Summer Kick-off challenge by donating food items, donating financially, hosting a donation drive, or sharing this post! Together we can end youth homelessness. Click [HERE](#) to learn more!



With questions about the campaign in general, please contact Abby Haubner, Marketing and Event Coordinator at ahaubner@hope4youthmn.org or call 763.323.2066 ext. 116

With questions about donation drop off/food drives, please contact Mari Dahlke, Community Engagement Coordinator, at mdahlke@hope4youthmn.org or call 763.323.2066 ext. 118



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HOPE 4 YOUTH DONATIONS

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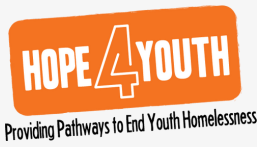


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SCAN TO DONATE



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Summer KICK-OFF CHALLENGE

HOPE 4 Youth's Mission is to provide pathways to end youth homelessness.

Support the growing need by helping raise \$15,000 and collect 15,000 lbs of food.

WE WILL BE COLLECTING:

- Food Items
- Hygiene Items
- Monetary Donations



Scan to donate,
learn more about
the campaign, and
learn how you can
get involved.

