

12.8 MILLION, OR APPROXIMATELY  
17.4 PERCENT, OF CHILDREN IN  
THE U.S. LIVE IN POVERTY.

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### **2012 Scouting for Food Unit Timeline**

† **Drop off bags** — Select an area in your district to drop off bags to encourage individuals to fill the bags with appropriate items. Be sure to go back to all of the houses to pick them up!

† **Door to door collection** — Go door to door in uniform trick or treat style and ask for food donations. Then deliver food to a Kroger store, local food pantry or a district turn in site if you have one.

*For an added experience (dates may vary)*

† **Pantry support** — dates vary — contact a local food pantry to see if how you can help.

† **Support program through a community or religious organization** — dates vary — Many groups have special collections or food basket programs during holidays that may be able to use volunteers.

By 4/30/12 Turn in completed SFF form at district Roundtables, Scout office, or email to [shbrady@bsa.org](mailto:shbrady@bsa.org) to receive free youth and adult SFF patches.



# 2012 Scouting for Food

## 2012 Scouting for Food Unit Commitment Form

Scout units: Please submit this form to your District Scouting for Food Chair or District Executive by February 29<sup>th</sup> to help coordinate your districts efforts to help those in need.

You have a choice of dates: drop off bags first Sat. pick up bags following Sat.

March 10/ March 17

March 17/ March 24

March 24/ March 31†

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† UNITS CONTACT YOUR LOCAL FOOD PANTRY TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS  
LARGER COMMUNITIES THIS MAY BE DONE FOR YOU

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District: \_\_\_\_\_ Pack/Troop/Crew # \_\_\_\_\_

Unit Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Anticipated number of adults: \_\_\_\_\_ Anticipated number of Scouts: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of bags to assist in collection: \_\_\_\_\_

Location of where you plan to collect your food: \_\_\_\_\_

### 2012 Scouting for Food Event Summary / Patch Order

Scout units: Please submit this form to your District Scouting for Food Chair at your district turn in location or email the day of the collection so we can share the drives success with the public and get your patches to you quickly.

District: \_\_\_\_\_ Pack/Troop/Crew # \_\_\_\_\_  
(choose one)

Number of adults: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Scouts: \_\_\_\_\_

Location of where you dropped your food off: \_\_\_\_\_

Approximate number of hours your Scout unit dedicated to SFF: \_\_\_\_\_  
(note – this is the total number everyone in your Scout unit spent on this – all of the Scouts and leaders, multiplied by the number of hours. EXAMPLE: 10 Scouts and four adults provided 6 hours = 84 hours)

Number of food items collected (ex: one can = one item): \_\_\_\_\_