THIRD QUARTER 2021 NEWSLETTER

HUNGER FIGHT'S BATTLE CRY

Third Edition

Hunger Fight Announces North Florida Pediatrics as Heritage Partner

Joining forces to end childhood hunger and illiteracy

Hunger Fight was delighted to announce North Florida Pediatrics as their Heritage Partner. North Florida Pediatrics, a Lake City, Florida headquartered practice, committed to providing the children of North Florida with quality, compassionate healthcare, has agreed to a lifelong partnership to end childhood hunger and illiteracy.

"Having the expertise and consultation of such caring and compassionate pediatricians to help further our mission of providing not only food to children in need, but nutritious foundational meals, is something we have been longing for," said Sherri Porter, Founder and Executive Director of Hunger Fight.

With 10 offices in the North Florida area, North Florida Pediatrics is a central resource for all of a child's healthcare needs. Part of that comprehensive care will be working with Hunger Fight to identify children in need and making sure they are provided with meals and books.

As a Heritage Partner, North Florida Pediatrics will have a room named after them at the current and future Hunger Fight headquarters. You will also start to see joint branding on meal pouches and the Feed the Need to Read book bags.

HIGHLIGHTS

- *New Community Partner*
- *Disaster Relief*



North Florida Pediatrics

Compassionate care close to home



Packing with Legacy Partner

Quarterly Packing Event

Hunger Fight holds a quarterly packing event at our warehouse to showcase the impact that our Legacy Partner, Fresh Jax, has on our community. This event, held on July 17th, allowed 31,920 meals to be packed and distributed to those in need in our community. Our mission to eradicate hunger and illiteracy here in our communities is an ongoing war and we would not stand a chance at furthering our mission without our partners like Fresh Jax.

"Overton and I love reading Little Blue Truck together, so we were so excited to read it for Hunger Fight's Feed the Need to Read program!" - Kyle Petty

4th Annual Asbury Automotive

Annual Event

The incredible individuals associated with Asbury Automotive are no strangers to our packing events. This quarter was the Fourth Annual Asbury Automotive packing event held at the Ritz Carlton. During this event, 52,752 meals were assembled and packaged for those families who face food insecurity and hunger. Also, as a result of this event, 700 books were purchased to be distributed to preschool children who attend daycare in low-income areas. The impact that these events have on the community is priceless and would not be possible without the folks at Asbury Automotive!







Haiti Relief Packing Event

Disaster Relief

Disaster Relief has always been an important aspect of Hunger Fight's mission. That's why we sprung into action as soon as we learned the impact of the 7.2 magnitude earthquake that devastated Haiti on August 14th. Together with our amazing friends from River City Church, we held a meal packing event to assemble and package meals to be sent to Haiti. These 28,224 meals will be distributed to those in need in Haiti with the help of the Convoy of Hope organization. This event was made possible by the generous donations of all of the individuals who participated in our Haiti relief fundraiser and the over 100 volunteers who showed up to pack meals.

11 MILLION MEALS

When Hunger Fight set out on its mission to eradicate hunger and illiteracy almost nine years ago, it was with a vision of helping as many people in our community as possible. Today, Hunger Fight announces that 11 MILLION meals have been packed and distributed to those in need, wherever they may be. Our meals go out to Title One students in local elementary schools, food pantries, churches, youth organizations, backpack feeding programs, disaster relief efforts all over the world, and of course anyone who faces food insecurity or hunger in our communities. These 11 MILLION meals would not have been possible without our community partners, volunteers, donors, and all the other individuals who share and support our mission. 11 MILLION meals is a huge milestone and the team here at Hunger Fight is incredibly grateful and proud of the progress we have made and the progress we will make in the years to come

Third Quarter Packing Events - 2021

April - June

Elevate Life Church

- *10,784 Meals*
- *350 Books*

Champion Brands

- *15,120 Meals*
- *500 Books*

Emmaus Church Packing Event

- *10,500 Meals*
- *350 Books*

2nd Annual North Florida Pediatrics Event

- *33,600 Meals*
- *350 Books*

4th Annual Alachua County Community Outreach Event

- *41,328 Meals*

Palm Coast SDA

- *40,152 Meals*
- *1,000 Books*