



FISH Newsletter

Spring 2011

Nesting Instinct



The days are longer, the air is warmer, and finally color is bursting through the thawed earth! The robins are busy chirping away, getting nests ready for their new arrivals, and everyone has a touch of Spring Fever! Here at FISH we are also busy getting our shelves stocked for the summer months when donations and food drives are down. Just like the mother robins, we too have many mouths to feed each week and the lines are not getting any shorter. If you or your organization would like to sponsor a food drive, please contact us or visit our website for items currently needed at the food pantry. **We appreciate your generous support!**



Happy 90th Joe!

Joe is one of our dearest & literally our "oldest" volunteer to date! He just turned 90 in March & has volunteered each week at FISH for 20 years!

Way to go, Joe!

Catches of the Day



Meet Judy & Brian...

Judy and Brian are just one of our married couples who volunteer at FISH. Judy has been with us for seven years and Brian for the past five years since his retirement. While Judy works directly up front with the clients, Brian is busy filling orders in the back or helping unload the truck from Northern Illinois Food Bank. They also help to distribute food every other month from the NIFB mobile Food Bank with the Johnsburg Retired Rescue Squad.

We are fortunate to have this "Dynamic Duo" at FISH!

Thank You,
Judy & Brian

Eggceptional Drives!

A BIG thank you to the Rotary Club of McHenry-Sunrise for the Non-Food Drive for FISH in conjunction with the St. Patrick's Day parade.

We are also very grateful to the local Boy Scout Troops and Churches for recent food drives and The McHenry Lions Club for your continued support.

Every little bit helps!

Happy Easter!

Special thanks to our bag suppliers for their continuous donation of recyclable bags to FISH. Also, thanks to Brian, "Our Catch of the Day," for picking up the bags each month!



In February & March of 2011
FISH helped a total of:
1096 Families
1888 Adults
1179 Children
\$11,875 Vouchers
4508 Bags of Food

Let's Hop To It! Stamp Out Hunger! Saturday, May 14th, 2011

Local Postal Carriers will be collecting non-perishable bags of food at your mailboxes. Please check for expiration dates before donating food!

The Food Pantry is open on
Tuesdays and Thursdays
9:00 – 11:30am
 in the McHenry Township Bldg.
 3703 N. Richmond Road,
 (Rt. 31) rear lower level.

Please contact FISH at:
815-344-4717

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