

# Kids Cafe: Volunteer to Deliver Meals

## Second Harvest Food Bank Greater New Orleans and Acadiana

The mission of Kids Cafe®, a program of Feeding America, is to help alleviate child hunger in America by providing hungry children with nutritious meals at times when other resources are not available, such as afterschool. This program provides free meals to low-income children participating in at-risk after school programs. In addition to providing meals, the program sites provide a safe place, where under the supervision of trustworthy staff, a child can get involved in educational, recreational, and social activities. The program also teaches basic nutrition education to the children. **Volunteers** are critical to the success of our programs and we need your help!

### Volunteer Drivers

#### Volunteer Job Description

Volunteers will use their personal vehicles to deliver prepared meals to Kids Cafe sites throughout Orleans Parish. The volunteer driver will pick up the meals at 700 Edwards Ave in Elmwood and deliver them to one of the participating Kids Cafe sites that are listed below.

Duties will include:

- Loading and unloading meals in and out of car
- Handling necessary paperwork
- Delivering meals on time to the site

KIDS CAFÉ SITES for MEAL DELIVERIES		
NFL YET Boys & Girls Club	1140 S Broad Street	70125
Dryades YMCA	2220 Oretha Castle Haley Blvd.	70113
Community Works (ISL)	1400 Camp Street	70130
North Rampart Community Center	1130 N. Rampart Street	70116
Community Works (RSD) (Arise Academy Program)	3819 St. Claude Ave.	70117
All Souls	5500 St. Claude Ave.	70117
McDonogh 42 Elementary School	1651 N. Tonti St.	70119

#### Sessions & Shift times

Volunteers are needed on weekdays, Monday – Friday. Volunteers are encouraged to commit to one full session at a time and sign up for at least one shift per week throughout each session. The volunteer sessions are each seven weeks long and the dates are listed below. **All shift times are Monday – Friday; 3:00PM – 6:00PM, shift times will vary depending on sites.**

Session 1: Jan 9<sup>th</sup> – Feb 24<sup>th</sup>

Session 2: Feb 27<sup>th</sup> – April 13<sup>th</sup>

Session 3: April 16<sup>th</sup> – Jun 1<sup>st</sup>

#### Requirements

- Must be 21 or older and able to commit to one full session, volunteering for one full shift per week.
- Should have average sized car, two door coupe, four door sedan, SUV, or van with sufficient space using seats and trunk to transport the meals.
- Should have reliable transportation, auto insurance and current driver's license.
- Should be able to follow directions and make deliveries on time, should be able to do some heavy lifting.

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