



The Purchase Community House Supports

The HOLIDAY PROJECT 2016

Sponsored by the Harrison Food Pantry

Yes Even in Harrison.

The number of Harrison families in financial crisis has increased from 72 families just a few years ago to an estimated 130 families today. Those in need comprise over (366) individuals including the elderly and over (140) children, ranging in age from infant to teen. Everyone likes to feel special during the holiday season, no matter his or her age.

(Six) years ago, the Holiday Project was started to spread holiday cheer to needy families right here in Harrison. This initiative has become the 'feel-good' project of the year that many look forward to contributing to and being a part of. It brings this wonderful community of ours together to help our neighbors in need.

Through the generosity of local merchants and with monies collected, each sponsored family receives a "Holiday in a Basket" that includes a grocery certificate, clothing, a toy for each child, a small gift for the parents, and a pizza gift certificate. A small portion of the monies collected will go towards stocking the food pantry shelves for the holidays.

In support of the Holiday Project The Purchase Community House will be accepting toys for boys and girls from infants to teens. Please when donating; make sure that the toy is NEW and unwrapped.

This is the perfect time of year to remember just how much better it feels to give than receive. With that in mind, please help us help our neighbors feel the joy of this year's holiday season. Let's generously demonstrate why it truly is Great to Live in Harrison by coming together as a community- neighbor helping neighbor.

Toys can be dropped off in our "Toy Box" located in the main hall. The last day to donate will be Friday December 16th.

*For more information on the Harrison Food Pantry's Holiday Project or to send a Financial Donation, contact: Sara Pirrello, C/O The Holiday Project, 40 Pleasant Ridge Road. Harrison, NY 10528
Or call (914) 708-8587*