

Purse - Operation Christmas Child

Once again, KHS Leadership Students have decided to focus on three ways they can spread compassion and kindness. We are committed to our school community, to the Kitscoty community and to the global community. For our global initiative, we are contributing to “Samaritan’s Purse” or “The Christmas Shoeboxes”. We have been part of Operation Christmas Child in the past and believe that it is something that we would like to continue.



“Since 1970, Samaritan’s Purse has helped meet the needs of people who are victims of war, poverty, natural disasters, disease, and famine.”

The start date for the event is today, November 4th, and the last day to bring items in is on November 20th. Please deliver items to Mrs. Krauss’ room. A group of leadership students will pack the boxes to be sent away. Some items that we will be collecting include hygiene products, small toys, toothbrush, hair brush, t-shirt, socks, doll, musical instruments, soccer ball and pump, toys, jump rope, hairbrush, socks, notebooks, books, and even underwear. **There are [lists](#) posted on the bulletin boards of items that you can bring.**

Please consider asking your families for a monetary donation to send, so that we can cover the shipping on each box. Each box costs \$12.00 to send. Write the cheque payable to Kitscoty High School. Also, please check out the Samaritan’s Purse Website for more information.

The two video clips are also great to introduce this campaign:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ReroclNA7eU>

<https://www.samaritanspurse.ca/operation-christmas-child-videos>

If you would like to participate in this great cause, please consider the following:

1. Set a plan and goal - Motivate one another to achieve the goal you have set.
2. Get the word out - Take home a brochure. Talk to people in the community.
3. Collect your items and bring them to Mrs. Krauss.
4. Write a letter to put into the boxes.
5. Come out and help the leadership students pack boxes on the 20th!
6. Have fun, and know that **you are making a difference!!**