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WEST MONTGOMERY COUNTY & GREATER MAGNOLIA eNEWS

225 Families Fed with Proceeds of 7th Annual SOS Golf Tournament

The 7th Annual Society of Samaritans Charity Golf Tournament was held Monday, October 7th at High Meadow Ranch Golf Club. With beautiful weather, fun and fellowship the community came together in an effort to fight hunger this Holiday Season. We would like to thank each Sponsor, Team and Volunteer for your continued support of the SOS Ministry. Proceeds from the days event will allow the ministry to fill 225 of the 1000 Food Boxes provided to families in need the Thanksgiving and Christmas Season.

THANK YOU SPONSORS

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TOURNAMENT HIGHLIGHTS









First Place Team Brett McBride Josh Kasprzak Joel Sopchak Charles Ellender

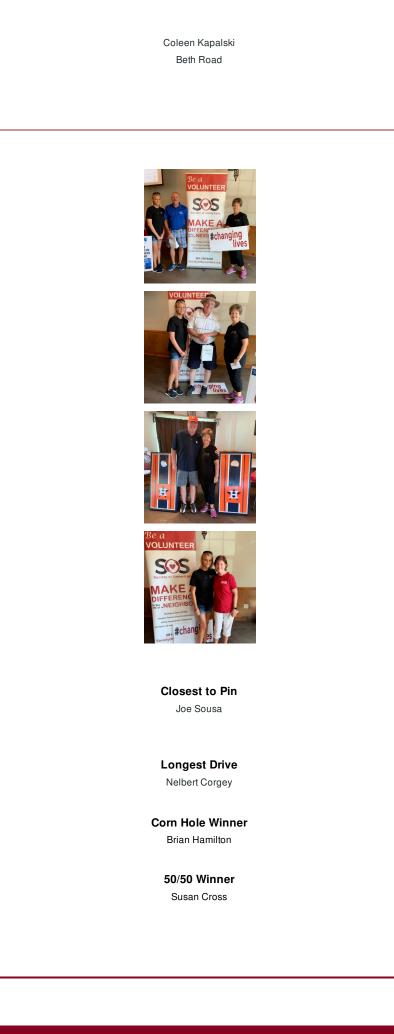
Second Place Team

Russell Bass Kirk Murray Adam Frey Brad Howell

Third Place Team

Joe Musgrove Justin Champion Josh Fowler Jose Acosta

Last Place Team Leslie Muzorewa Kim Hensley



SEPTEMBER PANTRY ASSISTANCE AT A GLANCE

FOR THE MONTH

OF SEPTEMBER 486 FAMILIES WERE SERVED WHICH MEANS 1,586 INDIVIDUALS RECEIVED FOOD, PRAYER, COMPASSION AND LOVE FROM OUR FOOD PANTRY AND VOLUNTEERS.

TACKLING HUNGER AS A COMMUNITY



Society of Samaritans has partnered with Magnolia ISD, Constable Chris Jones and Commissioner Charlie Riley in an effort to Tackle Hunger this Holiday Season! Bring your nonperishable food items to this year's Magnolia Bowl, Friday November 1st and join in on a great night of community fellowship. Donated food items will be used in preparing 1000 Thanksgiving and Christmas Baskets containing everything needed for a less fortunate family to create a

Holiday Dinner. Every food drive participant will be entered in a chance to win prizes! We are two teams, but will always be ONE TOWN coming together for the better of our community and fellow neighbors!

Look for Commissioner Charlie Riley or Constable Chris Jones Army Green 5 Tons at Magnolia West Stadium to drop of items or to make a monetary donation!

WELCOME TO OUR NEW LEADERSHIP TEAM



Society of Samaritans is pleased to announce the transition of Interim Executive Director and President Emeritus Shirley Jensen to Executive Director of Society of Samaritans. Shirley joined Society of Samaritans Executive Board in 2016 and served as President for 3 years. Shirley holds an extensive background in corporate human resources, administration and compliance for over 30 years. Shirley serves as chair for the SOS Job Fairs, SOS Yearly CAREfest, multiple fundraising initiatives and served as past Society of Samaritans Resale Shop Manager. She is a current board member and ambassador for the Greater Magnolia Parkway Chamber of Commerce. Shirley serves in her church, Magnolia's First Baptist, on the Fresh Start Committee (benevolence), Joy Sisters (leader of ladies Bible study), on the Welcome and Hospitality Team and served as past Personnel Committee chair for Magnolia's First. Shirley has been instrumental in the rapid growth and successful progress of Society of Samaritans' ministry as a whole, and we as a board are grateful to have her serve as a leader to our organization and ministry in her capacity as a volunteer. Shirley says, "I am excited about what God is doing in our community through the ministries of Society of Samaritans. We have such a giving, generous community who genuinely care about our neighbors who are less fortunate than we are. Every day business owners, law enforcement officers, Government and municipality officials, civic organizations, churches, residents, school and college leaders are looking for ways to help and serve. This unified bond enables SOS to fulfill our mission which is to communicate and model the love of Jesus Christ through committed partnerships to address the physical, financial, social, emotional and spiritual needs of our community with respect and compassion." Please join us as we welcome newly appointed Executive Director, Shirley Jensen.



Society of Samaritans is pleased to announce the appointment of Rebecca Conner to Assistant Executive Director. Rebecca began her career as a financial banker 20 years ago in the Tomball area before joining Woodforest National Bank- Magnolia in 2002. Rebecca has led in a management role within the financial industry for the past 15 years. Rebecca joined Society of Samaritans Executive Board in 2014 as Business Liaison, where she has fostered and developed many partnerships within the community. She served as a past executive board member for the Tomball based ministry, Resale With a Purpose. Rebecca has also served as past Treasurer for the Greater Magnolia Parkway Chamber of Commerce and is the current chair for Society of Samaritan's newest program, Unbroken and Empowered Youth Outreach. Rebecca has volunteered, chaired and participated in various events, fundraising initiatives and activities within our community over the past 17 years. Rebecca says, "My heart has been intertwined with the works of SOS for years. Watching the growth and community impact the ministry has experienced is nothing short of amazing. SOS roots continue to grow deeper by providing not only food, financial assistance and necessities but more importantly love, compassion, prayer and spiritual guidance. Society of Samaritans has been blessed by His hand and it is extremely heart warming to witness His work in the lives of all of those involved with the ministry." We are very excited to have Rebecca join Society of Samaritans as she brings an exceptional amount of energy, creativity, leadership and sensitivity in her new role. Please join us in welcoming Rebecca.

CHANGING LIVESJOULNEY Society of Samaritans

Are you interested in joining our **AMAZING** team of volunteers? If so, join us for the upcoming Changing Lives Journey Breakfast. Learn about SOS ministry, daily operations and our different outreach ministries where you too can help serve those in our community! To register for the November 7th breakfast please contact the office at 281-259-8452 or email shirley@societyofsamaritans.org

HELPING LESS FORTUNATE FAMILIES THIS HOLIDAY SEASON

Society of Samaritans Feed My Sheep Food Pantry will be preparing 500 Thanksgiving Food Baskets as well as 500 Christmas Food Baskets to be given to less fortunate families this Holiday Season. Last day to turn in the following items is Friday, November 15th. You may also sponsor a family of up to 6 for just \$40.00! Partner with SOS through the months of November and December in an effort to provide those less fortunate with a warm holiday dinner.



Non-perishable donation items being collected:

- Instant Mashed Potatoes
 Canned Fruit
- Stuffing Mix
 Canned Pie Filling
- Gravy Mix
- Chicken Broth
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- Green Beans
- Sweet Potatoes
- Canned Sweet Potatoes
- Cranberry Sauce
- \$10 Voucher for Meat Purchase

Boxed Jiffy Pie Crust

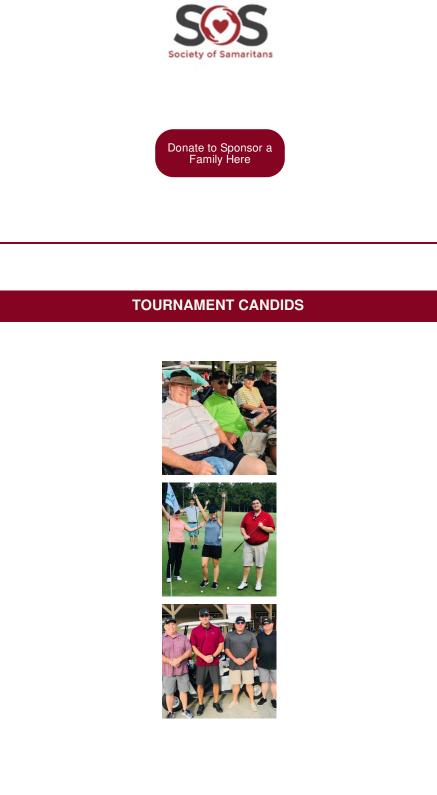
Boxed Brownie Mix

Marshmallows

Cookie Dough

The above items can be dropped off at the SOS Food Pantry Shop & drop off, or donate \$40 to feed a family of six!

Monetary donations accepted online, by mail, or in person. 31355 Friendship Drive, Magnolia, Texas 77355 | 281-259-8452 SocietyOfSamaritansTX.org/donate















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