

THE ST. CLAIR SHORES GOODFELLOWS (586) 980-0400
We start taking calls the day after Thanksgiving for Christmas Help

The St. Clair Shores Goodfellows are a local group of volunteers who try to fulfill our mission of “No Kiddie without a Christmas” with our Annual Newspaper Sale, which **is always the first Saturday in December from 6 a.m. to 6 p.m.**

Volunteers at city intersections sell our annual edition of The Goodfellows Newspaper for donations. Any and all volunteers are welcome! You can volunteer for one hour or as long as you want. You must be 18 or older to sell at street intersections. Younger volunteers can sell outside of local businesses.

With the money collected from the newspaper sale, we purchase food and gift cards. For our residents who ask for food baskets, we provide a turkey, stuffing, potatoes and 1-3 boxes of canned and non-perishable food, collected from our local scout groups and **a food drive through the public schools in early December.**

To apply for the gift cards to purchase gifts for their children, applicants must schedule an appointment with us and provide proof of residency, birth certificates or guardianship papers for each child, along with proof of income.

In December, we schedule those appointments with residents at the Central Fire Station for three days.

The number to call for Goodfellows help is (586) 980-0400 beginning the day after Thanksgiving.

On Dec. 23, local scout groups come to the North Fire Station to help sort and assemble the collected food into our Christmas food baskets. Finally, on Christmas Eve morning, volunteers deliver the food baskets to our residents from 9 a.m. to noon.

We welcome volunteers:

- **To sell newspapers on Newspaper Sale Day anytime from 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. at the Central Fire Station, and to deliver baskets on Christmas Eve from 9 a.m. to noon from our North Fire Station.**
- **To donate non-perishable food the first 2 weeks of December through local schools and area businesses.**
- **To buy a newspaper.**

Donations may be made anytime c/o the SCS Fire Dept.

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