



## Fallbrook Food Pantry

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### July-September 2016 Quarterly Newsletter



Happy 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Fallbrook Food Pantry! It is hard to believe we have been in service to the community for 25 years. Weichert Realtors held their 2nd Annual Golf Tournament with all proceeds benefitting the Fallbrook Food Pantry. We had many generous community members and companies sponsor Wounded Warriors in the tournament and everyone had a great time! We cannot thank Chris & Kim Murphy enough for their generous hearts and dedication to the Fallbrook Food Pantry. Our Volunteer Luncheon is coming up September 17, 2016 so mark the date on your calendar! Enjoy your summer. Barbara McLean. President Fallbrook Food Pantry.

**Thanks to all Volunteers:** Second Quarter 2016 we logged 2,694 volunteer hours.

**Thank you to all Donors:** Second Quarter 2016 we distributed 227,793 lbs. of food, serving 6,393 families in need.

Fallbrook Food Pantry relies on donations, fundraising, and grants to fund our operations. Funds given to FFP are used directly for basic operating expenses, the purchase of food, special projects to maintain or improve our equipment/facilities and additions to our Building Fund Reserve. Thank you for the generous support we have received. We would like to recognize several of our recent awards and donations.

**San Diego County Employees' Charitable Organization** -- \$2,500 for the purchase of nutritious food.

**Rotary Club of Fallbrook** -- \$3,090 to help cover overhead expenses such as utilities and van expenses and to purchase nutritional food.

**Legacy Endowment...The Community Foundation Elisabeth Wilson Endowment for Senior Citizens Grant** -- \$10,000 to support senior programs and expenses which include the cost of utilities, van expenses, and the purchase of nutritional food.

**Fallbrook Healthcare District** -- \$60,000 to cover overhead expenses such as rent and utilities and to purchase nutritional food.

**Feeding America San Diego** -- \$1,940 towards a new electric pallet jack purchase.

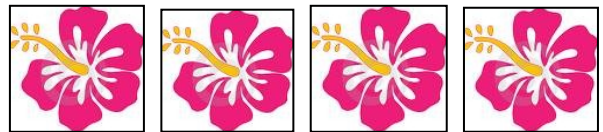
**Friends of Fallbrook Food Pantry** -- \$24,000 towards a new van purchase.

### Luau to benefit the Food Pantry



**August 6** – 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. – Fallbrook's annual Luau for Backpacks will be held Saturday, Aug. 6, from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. on the grassy patio at St. John's Episcopal Church, 434 Iowa St. This fun annual fundraiser finances backpacks filled with school supplies and books for kids designated by the Fallbrook Food Pantry. Tickets are already available but are limited, so early purchase is advisable to make sure of getting in

on the fun. Contact luau chairman Mike McCormick at (562) 505-1779 or St. John's Church at (760) 728-2908.



### Volunteers Appreciation Luncheon

**September 17, 2016**

Fallbrook Food Pantry is grateful to our wonderful and dedicated volunteers who are instrumental in carrying forth our mission of aiding those in the community in need of food. We cannot do this without you! Please contact to Jennifer at 760-728-7608 to RSVP.

## 2nd Annual Charity Golf Tournament a Swinging Success

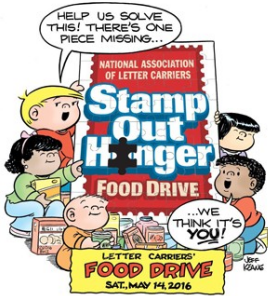


Our thanks to Weichert, Realtors Murphy & Murphy for a fantastic turnout at their 2nd annual event held at Pala Mesa Golf Resort. A fantastic display of the generous donations made by individuals and area business were offered by silent auction. All funds raised go to help those in need of nutritious food in our community. Don't be left holding the bag! Mark your calendars for Memorial Day weekend next year.

From left, Chris and Kim Murphy, owners of Weichert, Realtors – Murphy & Murphy, along with Fallbrook Food Pantry director Jennifer Vetch and president Barbara McLean take a moment away from the Second Annual Weichert, Realtors – Murphy & Murphy Charity

Golf Tournament dinner to stand with the tournament poster. Juan C. Cardenas photo.

## Letter Carriers Food Drive



In just a matter of hours 4,000 pounds of nonperishable food items were collected by Letter Carriers throughout Fallbrook on Saturday, May 14th. Volunteers on hand at the pantry to assist included the Rainbow Girls, Bonsall High students and youth group members from Fallbrook Apostolic Assembly.

## Composting Program



Would you like to recycle with us? We can use dry, clean egg cartons! We also collect Major Market Receipts as we receive 1% of the total receipts turned in.

As we strive to limit the amount of waste of precious food, we would like to pass on our fruits and vegetables to you that are no longer edible for your composting and animal feed needs. Please bring your own bucket for transport. Various amounts of composting material will be available Mon-Sat from 11:30 a.m. -12:30 p.m. or until it is gone.

## North County Communities Collaborative Health Initiative



As a partner of the NCCCHI, Fallbrook Food Pantry has created a new space for collaboration. California State University San Marcos nursing students helped customize the area to offer health screenings and nutrition education. Volunteers

added a steel frame and outdoor shade fabric to improve the space. Our thanks to Joe's Hardware for donating a portion of the needed materials and to those who helped complete the project.

## 2016 Upcoming Events

Please visit [www.fallbrookfoodpantry.org](http://www.fallbrookfoodpantry.org)

- Sept 17 Volunteers Appreciation Luncheon
- Nov 12 Thanksgiving 5k Walk/Run to Feed the Hungry
- Oct-Dec 2016 Adopt a Family at Christmas

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**Your Tax-deductible Donation is always Appreciated**

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