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# The Apple Newsletter

News and Highlights from  
Community Help Network, Inc.



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### New This Summer

**Crockpot Cookery Program** –  
*Freezer to crockpot meal prep  
class. Changing to Saturday  
mornings.*

**Community Vegetable Garden  
Help is needed.** *Come check out  
what is being harvested. Bonnie's  
been making good use of squash  
and cucumbers.*

### Fall-Winter

#### **Honey Sale**

**Cookie Walk December 17<sup>th</sup>**

**Buddy Bag Family Holiday  
Celebration December 18<sup>th</sup>**

### Fling into Spring

**Fundraiser and Celebration.**  
Friday April 21<sup>st</sup> 2023. More  
information soon.



Ladle of Love returned Saturday,  
September 17<sup>th</sup> with great success.

**Please join us on October 1<sup>st</sup>  
11:00 am until 1:00 pm.**

We will be serving garden squash soup, tomato basil  
soup, bread, desserts, coffee, tea and soft drinks.



## Crockpot Cookery

**Freezer to Crockpot Meals**  
**Our next class will be Saturday  
October 8<sup>th</sup> at 11:30 a.m.**

**Use the Main Entrance.**

**\$15 fee per participant.**

**(Can be waived, scholarships available.)**

**A limit of 10 participants.**

**RSVP** via email

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## Our Sweetest Fundraiser Ever

Available Beginning October 1st

Raw, Unfiltered and Pure Honey from  
Shady Hill Honey, Noblesville, IN

Pint Bottles	\$12.00
12 oz Bottles	\$ 8.00
8 oz Flavor Bottles (vanilla, orange or jalapeno)	\$ 8.00
Honey Scrub	\$ 5.00
Honey Soap (honey, shea butter/honey or goats milk/honey)	\$3.00 per bar or 2 for \$5.00

Pay and pick up at Community Help Network  
550 East Burrell Drive, Crown Point, IN  
Call 219-805-3717 or see Facebook page to order.

Get your orders in.

Honey will be available beginning  
**October 1<sup>st</sup>.**

Don't miss out!

Call 219-805-3717 or email  
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**Buddy Bags** – serving over 700 students in 22 schools in 4 school districts throughout South Lake County, IN. The 2022-2023 school year has begun and it's sure to be another busy year. We hope you can join us. Please check on [www.signupgenius.com](http://www.signupgenius.com) for volunteer opportunities and be sure to follow us on Facebook.



**Thank you to all the golfers, sponsors, donors and volunteers who helped make our 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Buddy Bag Best Ball Golf Scramble a success. We netted approximately \$18,000!!**

**Household Pantry** – Providing hygiene items, paper products and cleaning supplies to low-income families in South Lake County. Open Tuesdays 9:00 am until 1:00 pm and Saturdays 9:00 am until Noon. Let us know if you would be able to place a collection bin in your place of work or business.

**Little Free Library** – A large selection of books for all ages. All books are free. Open any time there are people at the warehouse.

**Coats for Kids** – Cold weather will be here before we know it. We are once again working with **Coats for Kids** to help provide winter coats for low-income families. You can bring your lightly used or new coats to the warehouse beginning the middle of October.

**Many, Many Thanks to Franciscan Alliance and their SIPP Program for granting CHN \$10,000.**



*Tuesday, September 20<sup>th</sup>, Bonnie had the pleasure of attending the 2022 Women's Giving Circle Event at the Crown Point Library. Community Help Network's Buddy Bag Program was one of only three organizations chosen to receive a \$2,000 Crown Point Community Foundation Grant, for which we are extremely grateful!*

**Buddy Bag Update**

At this writing we are serving **769** food insecure South Lake County students in **22** schools in **4** school districts.

Contact us if you or your organization would like to have a **food drive**. Call Bonnie at 219-805-3717 or email [communityhelpnetwork2020@gmail.com](mailto:communityhelpnetwork2020@gmail.com)



*This is a sample of the weekly inspirational notes that are placed in every Buddy Bag.*



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