

# **March Pack Activity**

## **Scouting for Food**

### **Before Outing**

- Decide whether Pack will be participating in a Physical or Virtual Food Drive.
- Sign-up and Safety Guidelines found here:
  - https://seattlebsa.org/scouting-for-food/

#### **Physical Food Drive**

- Choose a day to go out and leave door hangers on people's doors in the neighborhood assigned to your units.
- The next week, go back to the same area and look for food bags on their doorsteps or at the end of driveways. Collect the bags and bring them to your local food bank.
- If you choose to do a physical food drive, please make sure that they are able to collect physical donations and let them know when you plan to drop off the food so they can be prepared.
- Door Hangers can be printed off the Scouting for Food webpage.
- Afterwards, report how your pack did on the Scouting for Food webpage.

#### **Virtual Food Drive**

- A Virtual Food Drive options allows you to collect monetary donations in place of actual food.
- Choose a day to go out and leave door hangers on people's doors in the neighborhood assigned to your unit.
- The door hangers include a "grocery list" with food staples and the cost of each item so that people can choose to donate the amount equal to the food that they would have otherwise donated.
- All donations will go to Northwest Harvest and the fundraiser will be run through GoFundMe Charity.
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