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### **Big 33 Food Drive Provides Food for Hungry Families in PA 14 local schools participate in food drive competition to benefit Central PA Food Bank**

*(Harrisburg, PA)* – In partnership with the Pennsylvania State Corrections Officers Association, Big 33 recently organized their annual food drive to benefit the Central Pennsylvania Food Bank. This year, a record 14 schools participated in the area-wide effort to collect non-perishable goods.

Thousands of local students helped reduce hunger by donating canned food items, totaling 16,254 pounds of donated food. \$134.30 and one turkey coupon were also collected. Individual school donations are as follows:

North Side Elementary – 1,135 lbs  
Camp Hill High School – 5,166 lbs  
Susquehanna Township High School – 125 lbs  
Linglestown Elementary – 989 lbs  
Central Dauphin East Middle School – 820 lbs  
Cumberland Valley High School – 1,589 lbs  
Trinity High School – 456 lbs  
Bible Baptist School – 482 lbs  
East Pennsboro High School – 356 lbs  
Cedar Cliff High School – 1,720 lbs  
Paxtang Elementary – 1,004 lbs  
Middletown High School – 145 lbs  
Palmyra High School – 1,121 lbs  
Hershey High School – 1,146 lbs

Members of the Pennsylvania State Corrections Officers Association helped The Big 33 coordinate school food drive pickups and deliver the food to the Central Pennsylvania Food Bank.

The Big 33 Scholarship Foundation was founded in 1957 and provides academic scholarships to college-bound students. Big 33 is also the producer of the annual PNC Big 33 Football Classic. The organization's primary mission is to showcase excellence in youth. Visit [www.big33.org](http://www.big33.org) for more information.

The Central Pennsylvania Food Bank is a not-for-profit organization that is able to reduce hunger in 27 counties across Pennsylvania, by working with nearly 500 local agencies to provide food to 35,000 people in need every week. For more information on the Food Bank and its mission to reduce hunger in Pennsylvania, visit [www.centralpafoodbank.org](http://www.centralpafoodbank.org)

