

Dear Member of District 196,

Did you know that more than 500 students in district 196 battle food insecurities every week? The Sheridan story program has been utilized in 18 schools throughout the district to meet the needs of these students. We invite you to partner with us in our efforts to fulfill the needs of these children within our own neighborhoods and schools.

Chapel Hill Church is seeking donations (both monetary and in-kind for the silent auctions) for our upcoming event "The Sheridan Story Festival," taking place Saturday, August 13, 2016. It is a Carnival style event which will include a live music, silent auction, various games of chance, food trucks and more! The anticipated attendance is 500 people. To register or learn more about the event, visit festivalforsheridan.com.

The Sheridan Story (TSS) is an ever-growing network of weekend food programs, commonly called backpack programs, operating in multiple schools, including district 196. TSS is currently serving 3,900 children across the Twin City metro area. The TSS organizational model is unique in that The Sheridan Story provides logistical expertise and project execution while leveraging community partnerships for funding and volunteers. TSS works right here locally in many school districts - in Minneapolis, St. Paul, Anoka-Hennepin, Columbia Heights, St. Anthony, Bloomington, Westonka, Wayzata, Richfield, and more.

As a sponsor of the event, you or your business will receive:

- Recognition in the event program
- A tax deduction for a donation to a 501(c)(3) organization Donations greater than \$350 will receive verbal + website recognition as well as signage throughout the venue

Your donations make a difference and together we can stop Child hunger in Apple Valley - Rosemount - Eagan!

For questions or more information, please contact Peter Herzog, President via phone: (651) 681-1658 or email: pherzog@chapelhillchurch.com. We are looking forward to partnering with you to create a successful event and raising money and awareness for food insecurity in Dakota County!

Regards,
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