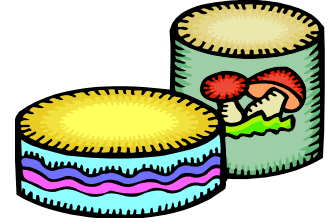


**The Great Food Fight
Sun Valley High School
Penn-Delco School District**



- **Food Drive Starts:** February 15th
- **Ends:** March 2nd
- **How many other Schools involved:** 22 from the Greater Philadelphia region. A number of the schools competing are Conestoga, Lowe Merion, Harriton and Marple-Newtown to name a few.
- **Goal:** To surpass the 24 tons of food Penncrest collected last year, which garnered them the top prize of \$10,000. There is also a second place prize of \$5,000 and several \$1,000 prizes as well. **Specifics are attached for your review(PDF file).**
- **Who is involved:** The entire Penn-Delco School District, including the elementary schools, and both the middle and high school.
- **Collection:** Please note that National Honor Society students can drop off collection boxes and flyers to your schools this week. Please e-mail Mr. Page at jpage@pdsd.org if you need any flyers or collection boxes.
- **Philabundance will be picking up the donated food from all the schools involved in the competition. The people at the Shire Group have let me know that , if at all possible, you hold onto the food until the conclusion of the competition,**
- **Noah Swistak is the contact for all things pickup related so feel free to reach out to him if you have any questions at all. 215-339-0900 ext 1306 or nswistak@philabundance.org**

To All:

The Sun Valley National Honors Society is sponsoring this year's annual food drive. However, this time we plan to do things a bit differently. This will no longer just be a high school event; it is now going to encompass the entire school district community. And we are reaching out to you for HELP!

Philabundance, the region's largest hunger relief organization, in conjunction with their corporate sponsor, the Shire Group, is hosting this year's "Great Food Fight." For the past 28 years, Philabundance has raised millions of pounds of food to help fight hunger throughout the greater Philadelphia region. Last year, the Philabundance food fight competition raised over 21 million pounds of food. This past week several students representing the Sun Valley National Honors Society went to Penncrest High School for pep rally that kicked off "The Great Food Fight." It was a terrific display of school pride by all the schools involved. There were a number of media outlets including television stations that covered the event. That night all the major local news stations broadcasted several minutes of the fun-filled festivities held at Penncrest High School. The following day Sun Valley's very own mascot A.J. Newman, was featured prominently in a photograph in the Daily Times.

As the festivities were drawing to a close, the superintendant of the Rose-Tree Media School District spoke passionately about his school district's commitment to this wonderful cause. He reiterated that Penncrest won the competition last year and said they were going to win it again this year. And in closing, pointed out to the audience and challenged every other school district involved to just try and beat Penncrest. By copy of this email, we are asking you to kindly help us in this very worthy cause and in the process help feed thousands of hungry people everyday throughout the region.

Please Note: The Sun Valley National Honor Society would like to thank [Anna Marie Guille](#), science teacher at the high school, for bringing this wonderful event to our attention.