

NEWS RELEASE

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Parksville Fire Department - Annual Food and Toy Drive... Every Little Bit Helps

Parksville, BC - It's that time of year when Parksville Volunteer Fire Department members will once again collect food and toys, door-to-door throughout Parksville and the areas served by the Parksville Fire Protection Area. The annual food and toy drive will take place this year on Saturday, November 17 and Sunday, November 18 from 9 am to 4 pm.

The week prior to the food drive, Quality Foods will kindly provide, through the local newspapers, paper bags for groceries. If residents are not able to be at home, they should leave the bag in a carport or by their door and it will be picked up by firefighters.

Members of the public may also drop off any non-perishable food items and/or new, unwrapped toys at the Parksville Fire Hall or the Salvation Army Food Bank at 886 Wembley Road. Cash donations are also accepted.

In past years, Parksville residents have generously supported the Parksville Fire Department's annual food and toy drive and are the reason this drive is such a success. Any support that residents are able to give is appreciated by the Parksville Fire Department. Every little bit helps and will make the world of difference to a family this holiday season.

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