

Swoop's Food Pantry

Challenges you to

March Madness 2020

Swoop's Food Pantry is hosting our 4th annual March Madness Food Drive! Swoop's is averaging around 30 shoppers each day (sometimes as many as 50 in a day!) We rely heavily on your contribution to keep the shelves stocked. We have decided to switch things up a bit this year. Smaller buildings will be paired in teams to level the court. There will be an overall point goal of **10,000 points for each building or team of buildings** for the overall competition. Each team is encouraged to set their goals for the pick up days which are below. A collection cart will be placed in each building to collect the items and you will be given a chart to keep track of your progress throughout the competition.

Here are the rules:

1. Beginning Tuesday, 3/3/2020 after 11 AM, we will be delivering donation carts to your building captain along with the competition materials
2. 1st round donations will be accepted starting 3/3 and picked up on 3/13
2nd round donations start on 3/14 and will be picked up on 3/20
Final round donations start on 3/21 and will be picked up on 3/27
3. Donations will be picked up starting at 11:00 AM on the final day of each round. Any donations dropped off to the pantry (104 Pierce) before Friday should be clearly labeled as to which building to count the donations toward.
4. Buildings will earn points for the number of items donated and each item will be worth varying point values. If a food item is donated in bulk, it will be worth multiple points. For example, if granola bars are worth 1 point and there are 12 granola bars in a pack, one package would be worth 12 points.
5. Point values are non-negotiable and will remain consistent throughout the competition. We will be featuring bonus items (worth 10 points each) each round, and an updated point list will be emailed at the end of each round. Be sure to check with your "team captain" or building administrator weekly to see which items are worth the most points in the next round. If something is not on the list and you are donating it, please feel free to email to inquire how many points it will be.

If you have any questions about donating items that are not listed on the suggested donation list, or about the competition, please email us at swoops_pantry@emich.edu.

Elite 8 Teams

Team 1: McKenny

Team 2: Student Center

**Team 3: Halle Library & Honors
College**

**Team 4: Convocation/Athletics &
Fletcher**

Team 5: Welch & Boone & King

Team 6: Pierce & Hover

Team 7: Dining & Physical Plant

**Team 8: DPS & CAPS/Psych
Clinic**