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St. Charles North High School students recruiting volunteers for Feed My Starving Children packing event

800 volunteers are needed

October 11, 2018 - St. Charles, IL – Student organizers from St. Charles North High School are seeking volunteers to help pack meals during *Make a Difference in St. Charles*, a Feed My Starving Children Mobile Packing Event. The event will take place at Aquascape, Inc., 901 Aqualand Way, St. Charles IL 60174 on Sunday, November 4 from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Students are working tirelessly to reach their goal of raising \$36,000 that will enable them to pack 163,000 meals on the day of the event. Much of the funding has come from the generosity of St. Charles businesses and community members.

Feed my Starving Children is a non-profit organization, founded in 1987, that tackles world hunger by sending volunteer-packed, nutritious meals to 70 countries. They also operate orphanages, schools, clinics and feeding programs to break the cycle of poverty. The Minnesota-based charity spends more than 90% of total donations directly on feeding the hungry and has earned the highest four-star rating from Charity Navigator for 11 consecutive years.

In 2017, the Feed My Starving Children volunteers raised \$32,000 and packed 124,848 meals that fed 342 children for a year. Community members who are interested in helping this year can [sign up online](#) to volunteer or donate to this worthy cause.

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