



Scoring & Most-Needed Donations

Your weekly points will be calculated based on the **pounds of food and dollars** you bring in and the **size of your business**. Part-time workers will count as .5 employees each.

Number of Employees	Business Size	Pounds + Dollars Divided by...
1-10	Small	4
11-49	Medium	6
50+	Large	8

For example, a business or organization of 14 people would fall into the medium category, so if they bring in 300 pounds of food and \$60 in a week, they will earn 45 points that week. ($360/6 = 60$. One dollar equals one pound).

What happens if my team is eliminated?

You will be invited to participate an additional week in our Second Chance Shoot Out! This year both eliminated teams and any business that wishes to drop in will compete in a weekly competition. The Second Chance Shoot Out will not use the point denomination system. Instead, teams will be competing pound-for-pound, regardless of team size. This is considered a friendly side competition and is completely optional. Teams who wish to participate in the Second Chance Shoot Out should email us before noon on the Monday following elimination. Each week, the winner from the Second Chance Shoot Out will be announced.

Most-Needed Food Donations

Serving Sized Items (no bulk food items)

- Canned meals (chili, ravioli – pop top preferred)
- Canned meat (tuna, chicken, salmon)
- Fruit (canned, fresh or dried)
- Pasta
- Peanut Butter
- Canned Fruit
- Hearty Soups & Stews (pop-top preferred)
- Canned Tomato Products
- Vegetables (corn, carrots, peas)
- Cereal & Oatmeal
- Healthy pre-packaged snacks (not bulk)

Additional non-food items:

- Size 4-6 diapers & wipes
- Hygiene Items

Please note:

Although bulk and restaurant size foods could contribute many pounds to your total, we kindly ask that you do not include it in your weekly donations. Additionally, bottled water will not count towards your weekly weigh-ins.

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