

**UPPER TOWNSHIP MIDDLE SCHOOL**  
**NATIONAL JUNIOR HONOR SOCIETY**  
 SCHOLARSHIP - CITIZENSHIP - SERVICE - LEADERSHIP - CHARACTER  
**BIRTHDAY BAG DRIVE INFORMATION**

Our November Food Drive was so successful that the National Junior Honor Society wanted to partner with Branches again to help our local families in need. Every child should feel special on his/her birthday! In order to help accomplish that, we will be collecting birthday supplies so that we can put together birthday bags with everything needed to celebrate. We are asking for donations of the following items:

- 6th Grade – Boxed Cake Mix and Icing
- 7th Grade – Candles and Decorations (balloons, banners, etc)
- 8th Grade – Party Plates and Gift Bags

We will be collecting for the whole month of February. Thank you in advance for your support!

**\*\*If you are not a current NJHS member, are planning to donate to the Birthday Bag drive, and wish to receive community service hours for doing so, you will need to follow the steps listed below, *carefully, completely, and correctly.***

1. Before bringing in your donation, you should print and fill out the attached slip.
2. Each item you donate will equal 15 minutes of community service.
  - a. You may submit the below form for up to 8 items and a total of 2 service hours.
    - i. *If each item is donated with its pair, you will earn an additional hour. (ex: 2 boxes of cake mix and 2 cans of icing)*
    - ii. *If you donate a completed birthday bag (all items) in addition to your 8 items, you will earn two additional hours*
  - b. We would love for you to donate more than 8 items! However, we are only able to give a maximum of 5 service hours per student (2 for items and 3 for special donation directions).
3. When you bring your donation in to your homeroom teacher, have them sign your Birthday Bag Donation Slip where it says “Homeroom Teacher Signature.”
4. The completed and signed form must be uploaded into Genesis under the Community Service tab. (More specific directions for this process can be found in the slideshows on our NJHS website.)

**BIRTHDAY BAG DRIVE DONATION SLIP**

STUDENT NAME		
GRADE		
DATE		
# OF DONATIONS	___ Items (NOT IN BAGS)	___ COMPLETE BAGS (6 DIFFERENT ITEMS)
DONATED ITEMS IN PAIRS?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO
HOMEROOM TEACHER SIGNATURE		