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District 1285 Meal Pack Hosted by Bolton Lever Rotary



April 14th 2018

Sharples School, Hill Cot Rd,

Bolton BL1 8SN





District 1285 50k Meal Pack

The Rotary Club of Bolton Lever and Rise Against Hunger are joining forces in the fight against hunger. More than 250 volunteers, Rotarians and community groups will pack 50,000 meals for the world's hungry on 14th April at Sharples School, in Bolton.

Rise Against Hunger meal packing events are volunteer based programmes that package highly nutritious dehydrated meals, comprised of rice, soya, vegetables and 23 essential vitamins and minerals.



The Rotary International theme for 2017/18 is "Making a Difference". Dr Ravi Mene President of Bolton Lever Rotary said *"This will be the 3rd Rotary sponsored Rise Against Hunger meal packing event in the North West. Of England. It builds upon the success of the previous meal packs in Warrington and at the Rotary in Great Britain and Ireland conference in Manchester."*

Rise Against Hunger gets food and life-saving aid to the world's most vulnerable people, and works to end global hunger in our lifetime. Established in 1998, they have provided over 225 million meals in 73 countries.

For more information visit www.riseagainsthunger.org

The Bolton event will help meet the Rotary in GBI goal of distributing 1 million meal packs over the next 2 years.



How to get involved

The meal packing will take place on Saturday 14th April 2018. We need pledges of either

- volunteers to cover 2 or 4 hour packing shifts.
- And / Or donations (suggested £50 pp to cover ingredient costs)

Plus each attendee is asked to bring a food item (like tinned beans, tinned / packet soup, pasta etc) for distribution to local food banks within our district.

We would welcome involvement from Rotary Clubs in the North West and can come and talk to your club about how to get involved.

This is an ideal team building event for local businesses, with employees who want to get involved in a hands on humanitarian project. Donations can be made via

<https://mydonate.bt.com/events/rotarymealpack/447482>

The event is open to volunteers from Church groups, Youth organisations, Community groups, Clubs and Service organisations. Individual volunteers and family groups are also very welcome to join us. Children are welcome, (age 5 and above) when accompanied by an adult.