



**We Invite You to Get Involved in the
16th Anniversary of the
CP Holiday Train-Cottage Grove Stop**



DATE: Monday, December 10, 2018

TIME: 5:15 Arrival, 5:30 Performances

Come early to enjoy the decorated Holiday Wreaths, delicious food, stop in the RE/MAX warming tent and shop for Holiday Train Merchandise!

Location is at West Point Douglas Road, just south of the 80th St. Bridge / Belden Crossing
(across from the Youth Service Bureau)

Our goal is to raise \$90,000 in 2018 for Friends in Need Food Shelf

Become a Name Sponsor or Participate in Pre-Stop Fundraising Events

<p>Hold a Sale Holiday Loaves \$5.00 each Specially baked by SuperMom's</p>	<p>Organize a Group to Bag Groceries at Cub on Sunday Nov 18th</p>
<p>Buy a Ticket or donate a Silent Auction Item for the Spaghetti Dinner Saturday, November 3rd, 2 to 8 pm American Legion Post 98, St. Paul Park http://www.spaghet.tiforfin.eventbrite.com/</p>	<p>Sell Holiday Train Cut-Outs At Your Business</p>
<p>Collect Cash or Personal Care Items at Your Business or Organization</p>	<p>Sponsor A Wreath For \$125, sponsor and decorate a wreath to display at the Cottage Grove Stop. Visit http://bit.ly/HTwreath for details</p>

To Participate in the Pre-Stop Fundraisers and Other Opportunities

Contact the Holiday Train Committee Co-Chairs

Randy Bachman, RFBachman@merchantsbank.com, (651) 438-7385 or

Chelsea Swaggert, chelsea.swaggert@yahoo.com, (952) 240-3793

Please see the attached Sponsorship Packages and details on "How to Participate"

Sincerely,

Holiday Train Committee 2018
Supporting the Friends in Need Food Shelf
501(c)3 # 41-1794212

in cooperation with the cities of
Cottage Grove, Newport, St. Paul Park and the
Cottage Grove Area Chamber of Commerce

Sponsorship Packages

All Aboard Sponsor (\$10,000+)

- Opportunity to present check on Werner's Truck Stage at Holiday Train Event
- (2) Designated Parking Spots at Event
- Logo on Thank You Ad in South Washington County Bulletin
- Name on 2018 Donor Wall Plaque at FIN Food Shelf
- Logo on FIN Website
- Thank you on Holiday Train – Cottage Grove Stop Facebook Page
- Logo on Banner at Event
- (4) NEW Holiday Train Stocking Caps

Golden Spike Sponsor (\$5000+)

- Opportunity to present check on Werner's Truck Stage at Holiday Train Event
- (1) Designated Parking Spot at Event
- Logo on Thank You Ad in South Washington County Bulletin
- Name on 2018 Donor Wall Plaque at FIN Food Shelf
- Logo on FIN Website
- Thank you on Holiday Train – Cottage Grove Stop Facebook Page
- Logo on Banner at Event
- (2) NEW Holiday Train Stocking Caps

Silver Spike Sponsor (\$1000+)

- Opportunity to present check on Werner's Truck Stage at Holiday Train Event
- Name on Thank You Ad in South Washington County Bulletin
- Logo on FIN Website
- Name on 2018 Donor Wall Plaque at FIN Food Shelf
- Thank you on Holiday Train – Cottage Grove Stop Facebook Page
- Name on Banner at Event
- (1) NEW Holiday Train Stocking Cap

Bronze Spike Sponsor (\$500+)

- Opportunity to present check on Werner's Truck Stage at Holiday Train Event
- Name on Thank You Ad in South Washington County Bulletin
- Name on FIN Website
- Name on 2018 Donor Wall Plaque at FIN Food Shelf
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Little Engine That Could Sponsor - contributes in-kind support with pre-stop fundraising or volunteers or logistics

- Name on Thank You Ad in South Washington County Bulletin
- Name on FIN Website
- Thank you on Holiday Train Facebook Page

How to be a Sponsor - Send a check to the Friends in Need Food Shelf, P.O. Box 6, Cottage Grove, MN 55016. Please note "Holiday Train" in the memo line. Questions or to pledge a donation, please contact the Holiday Train Committee Chair, Randy Bachman: rfbachman@merchantsbank.com

How to Participate in the Pre-Stop Fundraisers and Other Opportunities – details available on our Facebook Page at www.facebook.com/pg/CottageGroveHolidayTrain or contact the Holiday Train Committee Co-Chairs.

All cash and personal care item donations collected at our "Stop" go directly to our local Friends in Need Food Shelf; serving the residents of Cottage Grove, Grey Cloud Island, Newport and St. Paul Park.