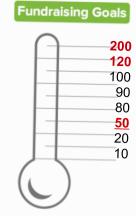


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# appeal for the local homeless @santaslittlehelper2016 find us on Facebook

Christmas is a time of joy, hope and love, but not everyone has the opportunity to feel this way. For some Christmas is a time full of sadness, isolation, depression and for some, a time when some feel unable to cope with life. A shoebox represents a person's thoughtful gift to a perfect stranger, a sign that love and thoughts are with them during the festive season. A helping hand by the way of a practical gift to help them through the cold weather.



If you wish to fill a shoebox please get into contact via the Facebook appeal page

### "Christmas Shoebox appeal for the local homeless @santaslittlehelper2016"

or see the attached suggestion list and drop off points around Peterborough.

**Deadline** for drop of all shoeboxes is the 8<sup>th</sup> December

#### Suggestion list

Following our 2016 appeal, can all shoeboxes be made **unisex** rather than male/ female.

**Toiletries:** shampoo, conditioner, shower gel, wet wipes, toothpaste, tooth brushes, mouthwash, Vaseline, lip balm, face cloth, hand cream, hairbrush or comb

**Treats:** chocolate, sachets of hot chocolate or coffee, cup of soup, biscuits or snack bars

Essentials: hat, gloves, scarf, silver foil blanket

Others: small towel, a book, a notepad & pen, a torch with batteries, travel first aid or tissues

Anything practical for a homeless or less fortunate person will be greatly appreciated.

And most importantly a **Christmas Card** with a little message

## **Drop off points:**



Road

The Harrier Pub Gunthorpe



Bourges Boulevard Peterborough



Linchfield

NatWest

**Cathedral Square** Peterborough

#### Winkworth

Market Depping High Street

**Primary School** 

Gunthorpe Road Peterborough

Community **Primary School Deeping St James** 

Peterborough

Peterborough Soup Kitchen Feeding the homeless and disadvantaged since 1983

During July **1140** were fed 570 cups of tea 2280 cups of coffee 3420 sandwiches 2280 cups of soup.

# Recipients for 2017 appeal.....



Fair View Court a supported housing project in Oundle Road, Peterborough, which provides modern temporary accommodation for up to 18 people

The New Haven a short stay hostel situated in Towler Street, Peterborough. It provides temporary supported accommodation for up to 19 people

#### Peterborough Foyer is situated near Peterborough Regional College. It provides accommodation for up to 49 young people and young parents