

Treats For Troops Collection- (November 20th- December 4th)

Each day, thousands of our fellow citizens are stationed far away from their homes and their loved ones. Day-after-day-after-day, many of them find themselves in very dangerous and very difficult situations. Would you like to do something to help them?

The students and staff at the elementary schools of LMSD are joining together to collect items needed by these men and women, from November 20th-December 4th, which will then be sent to them in care packages that will arrive just in time for the holidays. Attached is a list of items for our troops. Please find your grade, choose some items, and send them to school. These items will be collected and packed into boxes for shipment overseas on December 4th. Everyone can participate, and everyone who participates will feel good about contributing. Below is an excerpt of a thank you letter from a soldier who received a care package from Treats For Troops filled with items collected by LMSD students. Over the past few years we were able to pack and ship over 250 care packages with the donations collected at our schools. As you read, imagine the difference you can make again this year for our troops serving overseas. This year, our collection will be honoring Fallen Warrior Michael J. Strange of Philadelphia.

My name is Msg Kenneth Schaeffer serving overseas with the 728th CSSB. I would like to take this time to thank you and your organization for the special package you sent to me. I shared this package among all the soldiers that work for me on our special mission. It's organizations like yours that keep the morale of the soldiers high. I would also like to thank the young students and faculty from the Harriton High School and Lower Merion High School for the treats they sent and the kind words in letters that I appreciate more than words could ever say. I read every letter and would like to thank every student for taking time out to do this for soldiers like me. I'm proud to serve my country and it's people like you and your organization that keep me in good spirits. May God Bless you and your organization for being so kind to all the soldiers serving this great nation.

*Sincerely Grateful,
Msg Kenneth Schaeffer*

Let's all work together to
make a difference in the lives of
our American service men and
women overseas!

