## **BackPack Program Opt-In Form**

Dear Parents:

We would like to invite your child to participate in the BackPack Program. This program is a partnership between the School District of Solon Springs, Second Harvest Northern Lakes Food Bank, volunteers, and generous funders from throughout our region.

The BackPack Program provides a small bag of nutritious, non-perishable food for your child to eat during the weekend when school is not in session throughout the school year. Each bag contains a variety of items including main entrees, breakfast items, fruit, vegetables, snacks and often juice or shelf-stable milk.

Once enrolled in the BackPack Program, your child will receive a small bag of food at the end of the day, before school dismisses, at the end of the school week. Teachers and school staff will help remind students when and where to pick up their items. The food will be packed in a bag which will be easy to put in a backpack or book bag. The food is intended to be eaten by your child during the weekend.

## The BackPack Program will be provided at no cost to your child.

If this program would be helpful to your child(ren), please complete and return the bottom of this sheet to Lisa Balcsik Every effort will be made to keep program use discreet. In addition, if your circumstances change after you have enrolled, you may opt out of the program at any time during the school year by letting your school contact know.

## s, please enroll my child(ren) in the Backpack Program for the upcoming school year (please print)

Child's First and Last Name	Grade	Teacher
(The child must be a student currently enrolled in the school district named above)		

Parent/Guardian First and Last Name (Please Print)

**Parent/Guardian Signature** 

Date

## For More Information:

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