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## **63,000 Meals for Second Harvest All City Swim Teams Compete to Fill Neighborhood Food Pantries**

**Madison, August 2, 2008**—Second Harvest Foodbank of Southern Wisconsin was a big winner during the 2008 All City Swim Meet which wrapped up today at the West Side Swim Club, 5533 Odana Road.

On one of the most beautiful days this summer, representatives of Second Harvest were on hand to hear All City Co-director Connie Chesnik announce the results of the 12 swim clubs food drive competition.



### **2008 All City Food Drive**

Total Dollars Raised: \$7,937.43

Total Pounds Raised: 9,012

For every \$1 donated Second Harvest provides the equivalent of seven meals.

The All City donation will provide 63,000 meals.

The West Side Swim Club won the competition collecting an amazing 201.2 pounds per swimmer. West Side is one of All City's smaller pools with 126 swimmers competing at All City this year.

Below are the swim clubs involved in All City and their chosen food pantries:

<b>Swim Club</b>	<b>Pounds per Swimmer</b>	<b>Food Pantry</b>
1. West Side	201.20 pounds	Neighborhood House
2. Hawks Landing	164.05 pounds	Verona Food Pantry
3. Middleton	80.02 pounds	Middleton Outreach Ministry
4. Monona	62.57 pounds	St. Stephens
5. Seminole	19.67 pounds	Verona Food Pantry
6. Hill Farm	18.82 pounds	River Food Pantry
7. Nakoma	18.18 pounds	Good Shepard Lutheran Church
8. High Point	15.06 pounds	Bashford Pantry
9. Maple Bluff	12.95 pounds	St. Vincent DePaul
10. Ridgewood	10.73 pounds	Good Shepard Lutheran Church
11. Parkcrest	9.74 pounds	Neighborhood House
12. Shorewood	8.43 pounds	Allied Dunn Marsh Food Pantry

**About All City:** One of the largest outdoor meets of its kind in the nation, the 2008 All City Swim Meet was hosted by West Side Swim Club. 1,515 participants took to the water to in All City's 48<sup>th</sup> year.

**To learn more about West Side Swim Club visit:** <http://www.westsideswimclub.com>

**To contact Second Harvest Food bank of Southern Wisconsin:** [www.secondharvestmadison.org](http://www.secondharvestmadison.org)