

MILWAUKEE BONECRUSHERS



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Milwaukee Bonecrushers Partner with Hunger Task Force to CRUSH Hunger

Milwaukee — The Milwaukee Bonecrushers are teaming up with the Hunger Task Force to boost food pantry supplies in Milwaukee this summer with a “CRUSH Hunger” event. The event will take place in conjunction with the Bonecrushers’ final regular season home game, Sat., May 31 at 7:30 p.m. against the Saginaw Sting at “The Boneyard” (the U.S. Cellular Arena).

Bonecrushers fans are being asked to bring non-perishable food items to the arena for the Continental Indoor Football League (CIFL) match-up. Collection boxes will be set-up at all fan entrances. The goal is to collect one ton of food (2,000 lbs.) through this one-day event and the generosity of the Bonecrushers’ fans and business partners.

Fans will receive a raffle ticket for each donation of four (4) items or more that they bring to the game and a drawing will be held at halftime where fans will have a chance to win fantastic prizes.

About the Milwaukee Bonecrushers

The Milwaukee Bonecrushers were founded in 2007 by A. A’ron Williams, III, Shaun Totulis, and John Burns, building an organization unlike any other Wisconsin has ever seen: One that tears down the boundaries between front office, field and first row. Their motto has become their battle cry and is a perfect summation of the team and the city that houses it — “Blue collar football in a blue collar town.”

About the Hunger Task Force

Hunger Task Force is a nonprofit organization with a mission to end hunger. For over 30 years the Hunger Task Force, has been unique in its role as a food bank in *never charging fees* to charities for receiving, storing or delivering food. We strive to assure access to emergency food supplies while limiting ongoing reliance upon charity for food.

According to a 2007 report by the US Census Bureau, Milwaukee is the 9th poorest city in the country--26% of city residents live at or below the poverty line. On average, 30,000 people need emergency food each month.

In addition, Hunger Task Force meal programs serve over 60,000 hot meals for the hungry each month.

The Hunger Task Force gives away FREE food to 80 local charities that directly feed the hungry in Milwaukee County. In addition, they offer these charities technical support, training, and grant monies to improve the services offered to the hungry.

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About the CIFL

The Continental Indoor Football League is a professional developmental indoor football league designed to deliver fast-paced action-packed football to markets where it can be enjoyed by fans that would otherwise not have a professional indoor football team. It is a fan-friendly league, committed to making the fan experience second to none.

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