1) Stockings are for children between the ages of 6 \& 14. Sample items include:

Small calendars<br>Color books \& Crayons<br>Card games \& Jacks<br>Hygiene products<br>Socks<br>Hair accessories

| Small books | Jump ropes |
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| Water bottles | Memo pads |
| Watches | Stickers |
| Chalk | Puzzles |
| Address books | Gloves |
| Key chains | Hats |

2) Choose goodies that allow us to distinguish boy's stockings from girl's. The stockings you receive will be labeled Girl or Boy and the age of the child.
3) Stockings will be handled multiple times. Help keep them intact by not overstuffing them or attaching items to the outside. Also securely staple the cardboard topper.

## Lynnhaven Shores Service Unit

## Salvation Army Fill a Stocking Community Service Project

For those unfamiliar with this activity, the Salvation Army supplies the empty stockings to the SU. We than give them to you the troop leaders. The girls in participating troops then fill the stockings. The stockings are then returned to the SU who then returns them to the Salvation Army for distribution to those in need at the holiday time.

A list of suggested items is above. Some troops take 2, 3 or 10, 12 stockings to fill as a troop; others have each girl fill 1 stocking individually. Many troops make it a shopping outing and purchase the items with either troop funds or with each girl bringing her own money.

Patches are available for purchase and must be pre-ordered. The cost is $\$ 2.50$ each.

## Pick Up Empty Stockings the November 7th, location TBD

The filled stockings must be returned to location TBD
on November $26^{\text {th }}, 27^{\text {th }}, 28^{\text {th }}$ weekend
To participate send the below information by October 25 th via email to the SU.

## Troop \#

 Number of StockingsPatch order due by December 1st. Make payment via paypal or check made out to GSCCC
Number of patches you will need $\qquad$ Salvation Army Patch cost is $\$ 2.50$ per patch

Patch payment \# of patches $\qquad$ @ $\$ 2.50$ each = $\qquad$ \$

