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**2018-19 Back Pack Buddies Food Program: Program Facts:**

\*The Back Pack Buddies Program, now in its 12<sup>th</sup> year serves an average of 250 children per week.

\*The program is on track to provide over 12,500 food packs during the FY 2018-19 school year.

The program serves children during the school year from early September through the last week of school and in the summer food packs are delivered directly to students homes. During the summer of 2018, 182 students were provided food packs along with fresh apples and potatoes

\*Due to regional demands, Manna Food Bank is limited in the number of food packs they can provide to Transylvania County.

**\*Without local support some students would not receive a weekly food pack.**

**\*Without local support NO students would receive Holiday food packs which go out for ( Thanksgiving, Christmas and Spring Breaks )**

\*The Program is coordinated by the Transylvania County Schools- School Nutrition Services. Sponsors include Manna Food Bank, Local Donors, Change the World Relief Org., a individuals from a variety of community organizations. Summer Deliveries in 2018 were made by the Town of Rosman, and First United Methodist Church in Brevard.

\*You can sponsor a child for **\$150.00 dollars** per school year. ALL Donations are appreciated.

\* Donations should be made to "Change the World Relief Org."

**Change the World Relief Organization is a locally operated 501 (c)(3) tax exempt organization. Donations are tax deductible.** Change the World – Does Not charge any type of Administration Fee(s) for purchasing or packing food packs for this program.

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