



Glenbard Township High School District 87

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Glenbard South teacher taking donations to hurricane survivors

Glenbard South High School math teacher Tom Nussbaum will drive a “Raider Relief truck” filled with supplies for Hurricane Katrina survivors to Louisiana this weekend.

The school is collecting goods and monetary donations through Friday, Sept. 16. They are collecting items such as canned foods, toiletries, baby food, bottled water, diapers, first aid supplies, batteries, flashlights, blankets and toilet paper. Donations may be dropped off at the school, 23W200 Butterfield Road in Glen Ellyn. Further information is available by calling (630) 469-6500.

Students will sort and box the supplies after school each day. The Glenbard South staff is covering the cost of the truck, as well as donating items.

Nussbaum has never been to the affected area, but he has a good friend who grew up in a community north of Lake Pontchartrain, and like so many people he is moved by the devastation seen along the Gulf Coast. Nussbaum will drive a 24-foot truck filled with supplies donated by the Glenbard South community to Covington and Pogalusa, Louisiana, which are north of Lake Pontchartrain.

Glenbard South is trying to address the immediate needs of those in the affected areas. Contributions have been made by, among others, the National Honor Society, individual classes and Briar Glen School in Glen Ellyn.

While in Louisiana, Nussbaum will work to make connections with school officials in Louisiana and return with ideas for continued support for the hurricane survivors.

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