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Steubenville Football Diaper Drive

STEUBENVILLE, OH – The Jefferson County General Health District is partnering with the Steubenville High School Key Club to collect diapers for the Jefferson County Diaper Bank. The

Steubenville Football Diaper Drive will take place at the game against Dover on Friday, September 20. The Diaper Drive will kick-off National Diaper Need Awareness Week which is scheduled for September 23 – 29. The National Diaper Network estimates that one in two U.S. families struggles to provide enough diapers to keep a baby or toddler clean, dry, and healthy.



In the first year of the Diaper Bank, the JCGHD has had 251 families apply for diaper assistance. Out of the 251 Jefferson County Diaper Bank applicants, 45% of the residents reside in Steubenville. In all, 299 individual children have received diapers for a grand total of 14,460 diapers. Therefore, fans of Steubenville Big Red will be making donations that will positively impact children and families in their city. Fans are asked to bring packs of unopened diapers to the JCGHD tent at Harding Stadium. All diaper sizes will be accepted as well as monetary donations. The JCGHD and SHS Key Club invites everyone to get involved to help support the community.