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BackPack Program to Feed Youngstown Elementary Students

The United Way of Youngstown and the Mahoning Valley, Second Harvest Food Bank, and Ronald McDonald House Charities of Mahoning Valley and Western PA will hold a press conference **Tuesday May 13 at 10 a.m.** at the **McGuffey Elementary School, 310 S. Schenley Ave.** Youngstown, OH, to announce the start of a BackPack Program in the Youngstown City Schools.

McGuffey Elementary School will pilot the program for the district during the 2014-2015 school year. Each week, Second Harvest Food Bank will provide 200 students with food to take home on the weekends. United Way of Youngstown and the Mahoning Valley and Ronald McDonald House Charities of Mahoning Valley and Western PA will fund the program.

Representatives from the United Way of Youngstown and the Mahoning Valley, Second Harvest Food Bank, Ronald McDonald House Charities of Mahoning Valley and Western PA and the Youngstown City Schools will be available for interviews.

When: Tuesday May 13, 2014
Time: 10:00 A.M.
Where: McGuffey Elementary School
310 S. Schenley Ave.
Youngstown, OH