



Spirit of Shankly
Help is Here
Thank you for your support



March 2017



A message from **Joe Blott**



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In addition, we have provided food parcels for staff at over 12 NHS sites as a token of thanks to those on the front line for the unbelievable work they are doing during this crisis.



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I would personally like to record my thanks to SOS committee members Kieth Culvin and Ste Monaghan for their drive and determination in making this happen. I would also like to thank Carol Kelly, James North and their team at Morrisons in Speke, Liverpool, who spent hours collating and bagging all of the food.

Finally thanks to our intrepid taxi drivers, Tony Caveney, Frank Doherty, Philly Taylforth and (Evertonian) Phil Hardwick who volunteered their time to make all of the deliveries.

These are worrying times but these acts of human kindness and compassion amply demonstrate the values of our union and football fans in general.

Unity is Strength.

Joe Blott, Chair Spirit of Shankly



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@spiritofshankly

If SOS members know of any friends or family who are struggling & would benefit from a FREE food box being delivered, get in touch & we'll arrange.

Thanks to Morrisons + local taxis for help.

Email: clubliaison@spiritofshankly.com

More: bit.ly/2WCbFKd

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Monday 23 March 2020 at 13:35

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If you know anyone who could use a helping hand, email clubliaison@spiritofshankly.com and we'll do the rest.

Please include name and address of recipient, what items they need or items they can't have. Due to logistics this is available only to those in Merseyside.

You'll Never Walk Alone



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-  **Steve Smith** @SteveSm27154296 · 6d
Replying to @spiritofshankly and @Ste_Mono
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-  **@LOIS_** · 23/03/2020
Replying to @spiritofshankly
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-  **Kop On! An LFC Podcast** @kopon... · 6d
Replying to @spiritofshankly and @SpionKop1906
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-  **iKopite** @iKoppie · 6d
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Following our Help is Here plan, we've begun delivery of 100+ food bags to our community's most vulnerable.

12 NHS sites will also receive parcels as a thank-you for all they are doing.

Thanks to the volunteer taxi drivers + to Morrisons staff for their support & discount.



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Thank you so much for my parent's food parcel, they were very surprised as I hadn't told them just in case one didn't get to them.

They were overwhelmed.

I have had symptoms this week so I haven't been able to get them anything, so hopefully this will stop my dad from having to go the shop for essentials.

Many thanks, keep up the amazing work.

I was passed a message from my husband who is an SOS member regarding the SOS food parcels for elderly people on Merseyside.

My parents are both in their late 70s, my mum has a heart condition and my dad is diabetic, I am a key worker in school so I can help although time is tight to get to the shops for them.

I am sure they would be immensely grateful and happy to receive a food box if there is enough to go round. Well done for the support you are giving to all these vulnerable people.

Many thanks



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-  **Rocky Maporak** @rockymaporak · 2d
Replying to @spiritofshankly
@SFoodbanks and @Morrisons
Brilliant work, respect to everyone involved
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-  **andthesunshinesnow** @astewart72 · 2d
Replying to @spiritofshankly
@IanByrneMP and @Morrisons
May I ask is this a delivery service for people who cannot get out??? I work in Social Housing and speaking with a tnt yesterday who is vulnerable and unable to shop.
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-  **Spirit of Shankly** @spiritofshankly · 2d
Yes mate. Drop us an email with the details.
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-  **andthesunshinesnow** @astewart72 · 2d
Cheers I'll check in with her tomorrow 🙌
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Thank you so much for the delivery of food to Harry.

He's just rang me and he's absolutely thrilled.

He said he was running out of food and going out tomorrow and now he doesn't have to.

I'm in tears here and I know he's now safe.

Thank you all again, you are real life angels

x

Thank you for the food bags, they have all been distributed.

If you manage to get any more please keep us on your list as I have lots of families who live in extreme poverty who would greatly benefit.

Thank you again, you have made such a big difference x



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More food parcels delivered today as part of our Help Is Here initiative.

Thanks once again to the volunteer taxi drivers making deliveries and to @Morrisons and their staff for their support.

Read more: bit.ly/2UpEbNY



15:46 · 27/03/2020 · Twitter for iPhone



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-  **Joe Blott** @JoeblottJoe · 2d
Replying to @spiritofshankly and @Morrisons
just want to say a massive thanks from me personally and on behalf of the Union for all the work of our volunteers and staff at Morrisons. This is making a real difference to people just when they need it most. So proud to know such a fantastic compassionate people 😊
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-  **Cllr Anna Rothery** @CllrAnnaRoth... · 2d
Replying to @spiritofshankly and @Morrisons
Fantastic job you are doing
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-  **Dave Kelly** @DavefcKelly · 3d
Replying to @spiritofshankly and @Morrisons
Well done @spiritofshankly
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-  **SARSY L12** @LfcSarsy · 3d
Replying to @spiritofshankly and @Morrisons



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-  **SARSY L12** @LfcSarsy · 3d
Replying to @spiritofshankly and @Morrisons
Boss job you're doing to support the local community 🙌
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-  **Steve Smith** @SteveSm27154296 · 3d
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-  **Nick Kearns** @kearnso67 · 2d
Replying to @spiritofshankly and @Morrisons
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-  **steven metcalf** @stevenm641813... · 3d
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A couple of days ago, my Mum received what she described as 'two big bags of shopping' on her doorstep.

She is very independent as you know. But as a 79 year old she is self-isolating and finding this difficult to get used to.

I just wanted to send some heartfelt thanks from myself and the rest of the family for this incredible act of kindness.

You will be aware that Arthur has been pretty unwell recently.

He is now in a care home and we are currently not allowed to visit.

So this food delivery is just another indication that many people are thinking of us at this time.

Please pass our thanks on to all your incredible members. YNWA.



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-  **George Bevan** @bevan_george · 3d
Replying to @spiritofshankly and @Morrisons
Great effort and as always doing exactly what is needed when it's needed as the great man would have
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-  **Kglfc96** @kgf96 · 2d
Replying to @spiritofshankly and @Morrisons
If you need a driver with a vehicle to deliver parcels dm me I'm available I have an 8 seater bus and can fit plenty of parcels in would like to help 🙌
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-  **Ben Webb** @BenWebbLFC · 2d
Replying to @spiritofshankly and @Morrisons
This is quality. How society should be.
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-  **Kev** @chalkr · 3d
Replying to @spiritofshankly and @Morrisons
Brilliant stuff 🙌

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Cllr Anna Rothery
@CllrAnnaRothery

@spiritofshankly a huge thank from Me and L8 community you little stars
❤️🙏 @PrincesParkBLP



16:05 · 28/03/2020 · Twitter for iPhone

14 Retweets 66 Likes



An Hour for Others
@anhourforothers

Huge massive thanks to good friends @spiritofshankly for the donations of 32 bags of shopping! This is helping families and elderly right across #Liverpool. Thanks everyone at SOS and @Morrisons Speke for helping #togetherwearestrong #unityisstrength



15:58 · 28/03/2020 · Twitter for iPhone



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More food parcels delivered to people in isolation who can't get out. Thank you to @spiritofshankly for organising and @Morrisons for supplying the food. #StayHomeSaveLives #Covid_19 #communityspirit



15:57 · 28/03/2020 · Twitter for iPhone

8 Retweets 33 Likes



@spiritofshankly @Morrisons Thank you for the food parcels that we delivered to people in isolation. These made such a huge difference and it was lovely to see big smiles #StayAtHomeAndStaySafe



12:27 · 28/03/2020 · Twitter for iPhone

9 Retweets 35 Likes



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Becky @LfcBecky

Massive shout out and thank to the @spiritofshankly .. I'm unable to get out and my 82 year old dad is on his own in isolation.. these guys turned up with 2 bags full off essentials yesterday for my dad and he was chuffed ... you guys are amazing 🙌🙌🙌🙌

13:58 · 28/03/2020 · Twitter for iPhone

86 Retweets 626 Likes

Friday Nights Chippy Night @Th... - 11h



Friday Nights Chippy Night @The... - 8h

Replying to @LfcBecky @spiritofshankly and @anfieldste

Boss , up the Union

Stephen Monaghan @Ste_Mono - 2d

Replying to @LfcBecky and @spiritofshankly

Your welcome, stay safe

Crazy Razor Headlock @RazorHe... - 1d

Replying to @LfcBecky and @spiritofshankly

That's brilliant Becky , anyone who knows some of the @spiritofshankly people won't be surprised. The city and its fans should

Tweet your reply



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I run a charity for disabled children and their families, I know some of our families are really struggling and don't have money to do a big shop, they also have very vulnerable children at home.

We would need 8 parcels currently if that is possible.

Me Grandma got a food parcel off use before , she's 94 and was proper made up with what she got.

Nice one for that.

Boss what use r doing.



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-  **lizzie** @sixtieslizzie · 2d
Replying to @LfcBecky and @spiritofshankly
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-  **Roy Walker** @RoyWalk16335358 · 2d
Replying to @LfcBecky and @spiritofshankly
Restores your faith in humanity, doesn't it!
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🗨️ ↻️ ❤️ 4 📤
-  **Michelle Smith** 🇬🇧 @Michelle_htimS · 1d
Replying to @LfcBecky and @spiritofshankly
It is great to hear you've received excellent support especially as you'd be the 1st to help others if you could. Take care Becky x
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-  **Nick Kearns** @kearnso67
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Great to see so many smiling faces as food parcels were delivered today.

Our #HelpisHere initiative has now managed to deliver 150 parcels to people.

Read more: bit.ly/2UpEbNY



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Thank you for drop off to me mum yesterday she hasn't a clue who it was from and if just seen a post by an AHFO.

Y.N.W.A mate

Once again thanks

I've just phoned her she said to tell you thank you and god bless you all x

Hope you are all keeping safe and well as best we all can at the moment x



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LHCH @LHCHFT · 5h

We have been overwhelmed by the kindness shown to our staff @LHCHFT during this time. Today we have already become aware of food donations for our outstanding staff from LFC Spirit of Shankly in conjunction with @Morrison's and @walkers_crisps. Thank you -it is much appreciated



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LHCH @LHCHFT

Huge thanks to @spiritofshankly #LFC for supporting the hospital and our

joe sant @joesant14

Me Grandmar got a food parcel off use before , shes 94 and was proper made up with wa she got , nice one for that boss wa use r doin



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ajcaveney @Anthony29624583 · 1d @spiritofshankly #welldone

Spirit of Shankly @spiritofsh... · 1d

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Jan Thomson @JanThomson1 · 1d

Replying to @spiritofshankly and @TheFarm_Peter

Community care. Lovely

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As part of our Help is Here initiative we have delivered over 120 food parcels to staff at Hospitals & Health Centres to thank them for all they are doing.

- Edge Hill Health Centre
- Arrowe Park Hospital
- Alder Hey Children's Hospital
- Aintree Hospital
- Royal Liverpool Hospital



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On behalf of Merseycare Phlebotomy service I would like to thank you for the lovely surprise of supplies received today as arranged by yourself.

It was a lovely thought and was a welcome surprise for the staff.

On behalf of myself and the team "thank you for thinking about us."

Breeze Hill done made up sent a big thankyou.

Alder hey more than happy, there going to send SOS an email thanking them.

The women's said unbelievable gesture, thank you.

Whiston said we've made there day, thank you very much



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-  **Keeley Griffiths** @KeeleyGriffit16 · 2h
Replying to @spiritofshankly
Thank you from everyone on the Ventilation unit Aintree - so thoughtful 🙏
-  **Healthy Together** @HealthyTget... · 44m
Replying to @spiritofshankly
These life saving heroes thoroughly deserve all the support we can give.
-  **neil russell** @neilr6466 · 3h
Replying to @spiritofshankly
@BBCTheOneShow thought u should see this as dr Jarvis was talking about feeding the nhs
-  **Ged Stamper** @gedstamper · 26m
Replying to @spiritofshankly
1 Wallow in doubt about the season or 2 act positively for the common good. Choose community choose solidarity choose 2. YNWA
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A message from  .


Link: bit.ly/2UMn73A

Message from the Chair
Monday 30 March 2020 at 21:11

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Replying to @spiritofshankly
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Steve Smith @SteveSm27154296 · 23m
Replying to @spiritofshankly and @Ste_Mono
Done well there lads 🍌🍌🍌

JP @VerdierLFC · 1h
Replying to @spiritofshankly and @Ste_Mono

Healthy Together @HealthyTogether · 1h
Replying to @spiritofshankly
It warms the cockles of my heart.

chef dave critchley @DaveJCrit... · 36m
Replying to @spiritofshankly
Amazing if there's anything we can do to help @LIDSdelivery to continue this

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James Pearce @JamesPearceL... · 1h

Spirit of Shankly @spiritofsh... · 1h
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