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Molloy College BoxTown IX to Benefit Homeless Families of Bethany House

Molloy College will host its annual BoxTown event on April 3, 2008, beginning at 8:30 p.m. BoxTown enables members of the Molloy community to express solidarity with the homeless, and helps to provide food and shelter for the homeless on Long Island.

Volunteers, participating in BoxTown, will spend the night in a cardboard box on the campus of Molloy College. Sleeping in the cardboard box will allow the volunteers a small glimpse into life on the streets.

Sponsors support the volunteers' efforts by pledging money to help end homelessness on Long Island. Funds raised through the BoxTown pledges will be donated to Bethany House of Nassau County.

Bethany House is an organization dedicated to improving the lives of homeless women and children on Long Island. It provides safe and supportive emergency housing for families, as well as a comprehensive range of programs and access to much needed resources.

During the BoxTown event residents of Bethany House will be on hand to share their first hand accounts of homelessness.

If you have questions about the event, or to make a donation please contact Sister Diane Capuano, Associate Campus Minister, Molloy College, at 516.678.5000 ext. 6935 or dcapuano@molloy.edu.

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