Somers Back to School Backpack Program seeks donations of school supplies

SOMERS: The Somers backpack program, sponsored by the Salvation Army, is seeking donations of school supplies prior to the start of school. Children from low-income households in the town may qualify for a backpack full of school supplies,
plus a Payless Shoes voucher for new shoes. Jenifer Charette, Director of Human Services and Ann Procopio, Social Services Coordinator
for the town of Somers will be accepting donations for the program at the Somers Senior Center, 19 Battle Street.
All types of school supplies, such as notebooks, binders, paper, calculators, dictionaries, pencils and pens are being accepted.
The department will also accept monetary donations to purchase supplies.
The backpack program benefits children from kindergarten through high school.
For questions about the program, you may contact the Social Services office at 763-8224 or the Senior Center at 763-4379.
Donations of supplies may be dropped off at the Senior Center during regular business hours M-F 800-400pm.
The staff of the Social Services office and the Town of Somers thank you in advance for your support of this program.