

Community Action Ministries (CAM) is teaming up with Norman Network of Youth Ministries (which represents several local churches) to present its 6<sup>th</sup> annual

## “1-Night in a BOX”

**Location:** Hobby Lobby Parking Lot, 2417 W. Main St. [If we have inclement weather (rain or snow) or is below 30 degrees we will move to University Christian Church, 616 Bud Wilkinson Dr where we will be allowed to use their gym]

**Date/Time:** Friday, February 26 at 7:30 PM- Sat., February 27 at 7:30 AM

**Contact Person:** Donna Hooper 329-8041 or 887-1787, [cam-inc@cox.net](mailto:cam-inc@cox.net)

**Forms may be down loaded** <http://www.communityactionmissions.com>

### Things to bring:

- **Permission slip**
- **Press release form**
- Money collected (**\$30.00 minimum to participate.**) will go to Compassion Pointe and other local non-profit organizations that work to prevent homelessness. Anyone that brings more than \$150.00 will have his or her name put in a drawing for a chance to win a gift certificate. There will be a larger gift certificate for the person who raises the most amount of money over \$150.
- **1-Large cardboard box to sleep in/or an individual tent**
- **1 roll of duct tape** to put your box together
- **a canned vegetable** (to make soup for the night)
- **1 sleeping bag or blanket** ( wear layers of clothes, plastic bags will be allowed)
- **participants are asked to refrain from eating anything that day** (They will appreciate the soup line much more, plus they get a more accurate feeling of what it might be like to be homeless and receiving only one meal per day)

### Things not to bring:

- Electronics
- Pillows

### Tentative agenda:

7:30-8:00 PM check-in time, turn in forms and money, build the “homeless” community with the boxes you bring.

8:00-8:45 PM Guest Speaker

8:45-10:00 PM group activities

10:00-10:30 PM dinner-soup made from the canned goods brought

10:30-11:30 PM game centered on homelessness

11:30 PM -7:00 AM sleep in the boxes

7:00 -7:30 AM clean-up & pick-up time

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To Parents and Participants of “1-Night in a Box”:

**Press Release:**

Welcome and thank you for being willing to participate in “1-Night in a Box.” You and your child may be videotaped and /or photographed. Would you be willing to allow us the privilege of using your photo/video of “1-Night in a Box” through rebroadcast via television, radio, or through our website at [www.communityactionmissions.com](http://www.communityactionmissions.com)? Please sign below:

Name of Participant\*: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Must be signed by a parent if younger than 18 years.

Please turn this into the registration table the night of the event.

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## **Parental Consent Form** for “1-Night in a Box”

I, the parent, or legal guardian of \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of participant

understand that, by attending an educational program hosted by CAM and the Norman Network of Youth Ministries, he/she is being provided with an opportunity to learn about a unique community of individuals with a wide variety of experiences and backgrounds.

I understand the inherent risk that may be associated with my child's attendance at a drop-in. I am confident in the ability of the local youth groups leaders, as the host /leader/supervisor of this education program, to keep my child under their direct supervision, and to take all reasonable precautions while he/she is in the drop-in.

**I release Community Action Ministries & Norman Network of Youth Ministries leaders of any liability from this event.**

**I understand that there is to be no pillows or electronic devices.** (If you feel that your child needs to have a phone, they will be asked to turn it in during registration for safekeeping.)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Participant's signature Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\* Under 18 years old must be signed by a parent

Emergency phone number: \_\_\_\_\_