ATEP Hosts Canned Food Drive

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Cal State Fullerton’s Athletic Training Education Program kicks off a canned food for the needy this spring semester.

ATEP students have been collecting and making charitable donations since 2002, said Robert D. Kersey, professor of kinesiology and program director. The tradition began when an alumnus and fellow students began collecting blankets for the homeless. Each year, they donate hundreds of blankets. In December, they donated more than 230 pounds of canned food, and aim to collect more this spring.

“We continually try to instill a sense of charity and sharing with our athletic training students, but they initiated the canned food drive last fall to add to our ongoing blanket drive,” Kersey said. “They appreciate their good fortune and, like athletic training professionals, our students truly enjoy helping others in need.”

To make a donation, call 657-278-3430.

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