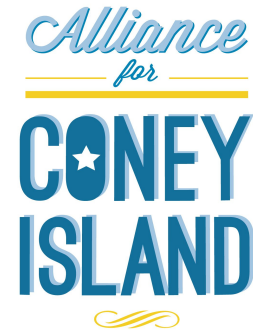


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#### Alliance for Coney Island Continues to Give Back for the Holiday Season

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Coney Island, December 18, 2017 – The Alliance for Coney Island is happy to announce a successful holiday season canned food drive. In partnership with local community organizations, businesses and schools including Coney Island Prep, P.S. 188, Brooklyn Community Services, Coney Island YMCA, Fine Fare Supermarket, Mane Attraction, and Urban Neighborhood Services; The canned food drive will enable the collected food to be donated to a variety of Coney Island organizations and faith based institutions this holiday season including Coney Island Lighthouse Mission, Coney Island Gospel Assembly, Fellowship Baptist Church and Rachel’s Joy Maternity Home.

“We are proud to have worked with local businesses, organizations and schools to launch our first annual canned food drive and successfully collect over 300 non perishable goods for the holiday season. We are grateful to be able to work with local partners to give back to our community and those who need it most,” said Alexandra Silversmith, Executive Director of the Alliance for Coney Island.

To plan a trip to Coney Island and stay up-to-date on all Coney happenings, make sure to visit [ConeyIslandFunGuide.com](http://ConeyIslandFunGuide.com), sign up for our weekly newsletter and follow us on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram, @ConeyIslandFun.

## Alliance for Coney Island

The not-for-profit Alliance for Coney Island, Inc. is a private-public partnership dedicated to continuing the year-round revitalization of Coney Island. The Alliance represents local businesses, nonprofits, and the community, with support from the New York City Council, the Brooklyn Borough President and New York City Economic Development Corporation. More info at [www.AllianceforConeyIsland.org](http://www.AllianceforConeyIsland.org).



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