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U.S. Taekwondo Academy Holds Donation Drive for Hurricane Sandy Victims

BEL AIR, Maryland (December 3, 2012) – U.S. Taekwondo Academy (USTA) organizes a donation drive for Hurricane Sandy victims. The donation drive was open to students and families of the Taekwondo studio the week of Thanksgiving. USTA collected clothing, gloves, scarves and non-perishable food items.

New and gently used items have been collected. Donations have been dropped off at Nazarene Compassionate Ministries (NCM) located at 5300 Fawn Grove Road in Pylesville, MD on Tuesday, November 26, 2012.

Master Jennifer Chang said, "Some of our students' families live up in New York and New Jersey, and because we traffic so many families, I figured any little bit would help. When I came up with the idea of a 3-day Donation Drive, I had no idea how much of a positive response we would get from our students. I was overwhelmed by the amount of donations from both Bel Air schools, with over 56 extra large trash bags and 16 large boxes. We are so thankful and honored to be a part of this great family deed to the families impacted by Hurricane Sandy. A special thank you to all of our students and families for their contribution in making this a huge success... just in time for Thanksgiving!"

U.S. Taekwondo Academy (www.USTACHANG.com) is a family-owned and operated Taekwondo chain with locations in Bel Air, MD, Churchville, MD, Baltimore, MD, Johns Hopkins University, and Fairfax, VA. USTA offers high-caliber Taekwondo instruction to students of all ages: children, teens, adults and families. It was founded by Grandmaster Se Yong Chang in 1982.

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