

Bernick said Keeneland suggested the FoodChain and Nourish Lexington initiatives, so the Lavin Foundation made a donation that initially went to help provide lunches for Fayette County School children who would have typically received free school lunches.

With help from others in the community, the two programs have expanded markedly over the past several weeks to meet rising needs.

“They’re good programs,” Bernick said. “They’re taking displaced service industry workers--people who might have worked the Keeneland meet, or who work in hotels, the convention business, or at Rupp Arena--and they’re bringing them into a kitchen to prepare boxed meals for

members of the Lexington community.”

“The workers are earning a stipend to come in and work, but not so much that they can’t apply for unemployment benefits,” Bernick explained. “Any donation is a double donation, because

you’re not only helping to feed hungry people, but your donation goes to pay for helping displaced workers.

“It’s a difficult time because the world is at a standstill,” Bernick said. “That means the economy is at a standstill. All of

the charities that people traditionally support are going to be even more in need now.”

Keeneland president and chief executive officer Bill Thomason said, “Keeneland is so fortunate to be part of the central Kentucky community, and sharing our team’s talents and our resources to benefit the community is key to our mission. It’s who we are.

“These hospitality workers and local families who find themselves in need right now, they are our fans, our colleagues and our friends who support Keeneland

year-round,” Thomason continued. “Keeneland will do whatever we can to help them and strengthen this community that we love so much.”



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