

# CALGARY FOOD BANK

Thank you for supporting the Calgary Food Bank by hosting a food drive!

First and foremost, we want your group/team/organization to HAVE FUN! The most successful food drives either have an element of competition - i.e., one department tries to outdo the others by collecting more food – and/or you have a specific theme. Some examples:

- ♥ Spread the Love: ask everyone to donate peanut butter or nut butter.
- ♥ Battle of the Breakfast Cereals: bring in a box of your favourite cereal.
- ♥ Mac and cheese, if you please: collect as much Mac and Cheese and create a giant KD domino, make sure you film the dominos falling!
- ♥ Juiced in time: bring in as many shelf stable juice containers.
- ♥ You're all soup-er stars: bring in cans and cans of soup.
- ♥ Loonies for Lunches: create a fun donation box to collect your loonies in. The Calgary Food Bank will use all loonies collected in support of our [Weekends and More program](#).
- ♥ Formula One: Collect Baby Formula every Friday. Last year the Calgary Food Bank had 4574 baby formula requests from our clients.
- ♥ Fill a Truck, Fill the boss's office or another designated area with food.
- ♥ Yee Haw! Get your Spaghetti Western on by rounding up pasta and pasta sauce and collect funds for meatballs

For best results:

- ♥ Create a custom donation page specific to your fundraiser, we provide the link to share with family and friends. [Click here](#) for an example.
- ♥ Ask your employer to match the funds you raise.
- ♥ Connect with us on social media, be sure to tag us @calgaryfoodbank in your photos. You can find us on [Twitter](#), [Facebook](#) and [Instagram](#). Don't forget to use hashtag #FeedYYC as well as #CalgaryFoodBank.

The Calgary Food Bank can provide donation boxes, they measure 2' x 2' wide x 3' tall. We have volunteer drivers that can drop off and pick up donations. Donors can also drop off or pick up at our main warehouse, receiving door 7, located at 5000 11th Street SE. The hours for receiving door 7 are: Monday to Thursday 8:00am to 7:30pm, and Friday and Saturday 8:00am to 3:00pm.

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