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Summer Gleanings 2025

The spirit of summer is about more than sunshine... it's about connection, compassion, and caring for one another. Help us build a stronger, hunger-free Edmonton this season.

Thank you & Reflections from the Executive Director

Dear Friends,

We are fortunate to live in Alberta and experience the vibrancy of distinct seasons. Summer is my favourite time of year. I love Alberta's long, warmer days, the beautiful green trees, and the sound of birds singing. I hope you're enjoying the season too!

Poverty and hunger are complex. The reasons why an individual or family may need our services vary from household to household. Some people are seeking educational opportunities to secure better-paying jobs. For others, safe and affordable housing is the priority.

At Edmonton's Food Bank, we are proud to work with more than 380 agencies, soup kitchens, shelters, schools, and food depots. These partners provide food hampers to low-income families, meals and snacks to the disadvantaged, and essential services and support to those in need. We work hard to supply quality, nutritious food to these groups in an effort to reduce food insecurity and make our community a better place.

Many of our community partners also offer specialized or comprehensive services. As part of our services, we continue to expand our programming in food literacy and preventative opportunities with our Seed Bank, Community Gardens, Collective Kitchens, and the Beyond Food Program.

This work matters and true, meaningful change is only possible through a collective WE.

WE coordinate food drives.

WE volunteer.

WE work together to make our community stronger.

At the Food Bank, progress happens can-by-can and dollar-by-dollar. Our vision is a hunger-free community and we're grateful to have you on our "WE" team.

Wishing you many pleasant days this summer,

Marjorie Bencz, CM
Executive Director



CONNECT YOUR PASSION TO OUR MISSION

Please consider making a gift in your will to
create a kinder community.

THANK YOU!

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PLANT, GROW, SHARE A ROW FOR THOSE IN NEED.

Love gardening? This season,
grow an extra row for Edmonton's
Food Bank and donate fresh
produce to help those in need.



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HEARTFELT THANKS FROM CLIENTS:

*"For the first time, I don't
feel like I have to figure
everything out alone.
You're helping me
believe in what's
possible. Thank you."*

-JORDAN

*"We just needed a bit of
breathing room. Thank you
for giving us that."*

-JASMINE & MARCO

GIVE LOCAL, MAKE A REAL IMPACT

Like local buying, local giving ensures your contributions directly benefit Albertans and your community. Giving directly to Edmonton's Food Bank and local charities strengthens our work and ensures your contributions impact those around you.

Increasingly, there are organisations running significant fundraising campaigns including commercials and social media posts that sound like they are helping local organizations including Edmonton's Food Bank. To quote two campaigns: *"Your support will help keep local food banks stocked to help those who need it the most"* or *"Now, more than ever, we must stand together in the fight against hunger."* Very little if any of your donation will be used in Edmonton or Alberta. To be frank, frequently these fundraising campaigns are in competition with local charities and services.

Additionally, local charities and non-profits often have lower overhead costs meaning that more of your donation goes directly to its intended cause. By donating locally, you can witness the impact of your giving first-hand building a better community.

If you would like more information on this topic, our monthly donation program options or the work of Edmonton's Food Bank, feel free to contact us at info@edmontonsfoodbank.com.

Thank you for supporting Edmonton's Food Bank!



MONTHLY GIVING IS EASIER THAN EVER!

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UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENTS

Help make giving fun and join us at these awesome events supporting Edmonton's Food Bank. Please remember your monetary or food donations! Food donations can also be left at any City of Edmonton fire station or at all major grocery stores throughout Edmonton. For more details and information on upcoming events, visit: edmontonsfoodbank.com/events/



SOUNDS FROM THE VALLEY RETURNS!
Tuesdays, July 8 to August 26 at 7:00 pm at Snow Valley
This event is FREE but please bring non-perishable food donations.



AMA CAR CARE
Sunday, September 7 at 9:00 am at Millwoods Town Centre
Sign up to get your vehicle winter-ready with a free 30-point inspection. Book your appointment at ama.ab.ca/events/car-care



HERITAGE FESTIVAL
August 2-4 at Edmonton Exhibition Lands and Borden Park.
Please bring a non-perishable or monetary donation to this festival. Visit heritagefest.ca for more details.



EDMONTON FOOD DRIVE
Saturday, September 27 at 10:00 am throughout Edmonton
Neighbourhoods will have food drive bags delivered in advance with coordinated pick-ups.



THE EDMONTON ANTIQUE CAR CLUB MEMBER'S SHOW AND SHINE
Join the EACC on Sunday, August 10 on the John Walter Museum Grounds from 11:00 am to 3:00 pm.



HARVEST LUNCHEON
Thursday, October 23 at 11:30 am Edmonton's Food Bank Annex (11434 120 Street)
Details and tickets available at edmontonsfoodbank.com

If you are in need of a pick-up or delivery of resources, please contact our Resource Development Team at 780.425.2133. Please allow a 3-business day window for our trucks to dispatch.