



Food For Thought

With the school year coming to a close, one would think that things would slow down a bit. What is important for everyone to remember is that hunger does not take a summer vacation. So while children were able to get fed for breakfast and lunch at school, families must now figure out how to add two additional meals into their daily expense. And don't forget, that is two meals multiplied by the number of children in the household! So what is a family to do? Families are always welcome to visit our pantry once per month, and in addition to that, there are local summer food programs. Free meals are provided locally for youth through age 18 by calling 2-1-1, texting FOOD to 877-877, or by visiting www.summerfoodoregon.org. Please help us to pass the word out so that each and every child in Douglas County gets enough food to eat and goes to bed every night with the feeling of fullness in their stomachs.

Did you know???

- Roseburg Food Project has a new Facebook page! Check us out and Like us!
- April's Roseburg Food Project results = 11,051 pounds of food and \$200.00 were collected by 70 Neighborhood Coordinators & 648 Food Donors! Great job everyone!
- The staff at JC Penney held a food drive and collected 39 pounds of food. Everything helps and we are so grateful for their hard work and dedication! Thank you.
- Our local Fred Meyer store held its first ever \$5.00 buy a bag food drive. They donated a total of 578 pounds of food to the FISH Pantry through this program, and due to its huge success, will be looking forward to providing this outstanding service again in the future. Thank you for your team efforts! They really paid off!
- We would like to thank the Woolley Center for their fantastic, hard work they provided during the Greater Douglas United Way's Day of Caring. We are so lucky to be supported by outstanding community partners like you. You make such a difference to others.
- Keep your eyes out! July 27th is our annual food drive. We will be collecting food at Sherm's, Fred Meyer, Grocery Outlet, Safeway, and Albertsons. Don't forget to stop by.
- According to the Oregon Food Bank, \$10 = 40lbs = 30 Meals. We can stretch a dollar very far by purchasing wholesale items through UCAN and the Oregon Food Bank. Every penny counts. Donate yours to The FISH Pantry today!

As always, thank you for all you do!

*Kim Jasper,
Executive Director*

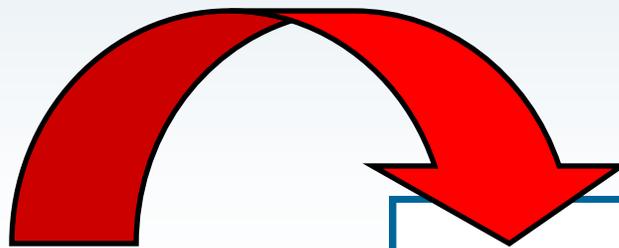




OUR AWESOME VOLUNTEERS DO GREAT THINGS & HAVE FUN!



I would like to invite you to be a part of our volunteer team this summer. We are looking for a driver to pick up food from UCAN, and deliver it to our pantry 1-2 hours on Tuesdays. If you or someone you know owns a truck and could volunteer one Tuesday per month, two Tuesdays per month, or every Tuesday, give us a call! You will be glad you did! We believe in having fun while giving back to our community. Our answering service is available 7 days a week, 24 hours a day. Let them know why you are calling, and ask for Kim. 541-672-5242



It's that time of year again to remember to leave our pets at home, not in the car. We deal with this on a constant basis at the FISH Pantry, as more and more clients are bringing their pet dogs with them when picking up food. While we will always allow access to the pantry for clients with service animals, we cannot allow pets into the pantry. This poses a problem when the temperatures are soaring and we have to let our clients know they are unable to come inside with their pets, but also unable to keep their pet in their car. Remember, it is against the law to leave a pet in a hot car in Douglas County.

ASPCA

It's Hot Out!

Don't Leave Your Pet in the Car!

120°
Within 30 minutes, the car's interior can climb from 85° to 120°.

102°
On an 85° day, it only takes **ten minutes** for the inside of your car to reach 102°.

90°
Even if the temperature outside is only 70°, the inside of your car may be as much as 20 degrees hotter!

Pets most at risk for overheating are young, elderly or overweight animals, those with short muzzles and those with thick or dark-colored coats.

A car may overheat even when the windows have been left open an inch or two.

Shade offers little protection on a hot day and moves with the sun.

Many states and local governments have laws that prohibit leaving an animal unattended in a motor vehicle under dangerous conditions, which includes hot days. Your car could be damaged or you could be charged with a crime.

If you see an animal in a car on a hot day, try to locate the owner, or call 911! Stay by the car until help arrives.

I know ... I'm one 'hot' Chihuahua, but cars are too hot!

PLEASE ... leave your pets at home!

APRIL SERVICE SUMMARY

The FISH Pantry was open
17 times for 34 hours during the month of April

<u>Totals for April:</u>				<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2019</u>	
# of Families:				866	901	884	
# of Persons:				3252	3233	3111	
<u>Family Size</u>		<u>Age Group</u>					
1	226	5	129	0-5	178	24-44	858
2	143	6	72	6-11	278	45-54	355
3	112	7	55	12-17	334	55-69	543
4	99	8+	47	18-23	311	70+	254

Areas of Service: Roseburg Households = 590 (67%)
Surrounding Areas = 294 (33%)

North = 121 South = 72 East = 7 West = 49 Homeless = 44

Misc. Information: Homeless Persons: 234 New Pantry Applications: 69
Pantry Volunteers: 75 Volunteer Hours: 751

Retail Purchases: Total \$566.40, 480lbs includes 480lbs of Hotdogs = \$566.40

Wholesale Purchases: Total \$3,842.80, 5,906lbs (eggs 1,536lbs, chicken chili 442lbs, ground chicken 100lbs, peanut butter 182lbs, canned fruit 1,275, canned vegetables 836, chicken ravioli 104lbs, and shelf stable milk 1,43lbs)

UCAN/OFB Donations: 30,993lbs = \$1,400.53

USDA (Federal Food Program): 26,834lbs

Total pantry Food Expenditures: **\$5,809.73**

Food Donations Direct to FISH: Total 12,418lbs includes Churches: 888lbs, Other/Community: 627lbs, and The Roseburg Food Project: 10,903lbs

Total Food Purchases and Donated: **76,631lbs**

Pediatric Medication Service: April 2019 Prescriptions = 0 paid for by The FISH.

Shelter Service: During April 2019 The FISH provided 13 person nights (5 rooms total) of emergency shelter.

Transportation Service: During April 2019 The FISH provided the following assistance with transportation: Gas Vouchers: 10 for \$100.00.

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Hours of Operation:

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THE FISH OF ROSEBURG SERVICE SUMMARY

The FISH Pantry was open
18 times for 36 hours during the month of May

<u>Totals for May:</u>		<u>2017</u>	<u>2018</u>	<u>2019</u>			
# of Families:		911	897	1002			
# of Persons:		3398	3285	3471			
<u>Family Size</u>		<u>Age Group</u>					
1	286	5	140	0-5	207	24-44	993
2	150	6	95	6-11	336	45-54	405
3	122	7	60	12-17	381	55-69	587
4	98	8+	51	18-23	314	70+	248

Areas of Service: Roseburg Households = 620 (66%)
Surrounding Areas = 342 (34%)

North = 137 South = 77 East = 11 West = 63 Homeless = 54

Misc. Information: Homeless Persons: 227 New Pantry Applications: 95
Pantry Volunteers: 70 Volunteer Hours: 858

Retail Purchases: Total \$592.32, 1,478lbs includes 144 Gallons of Milk = \$357.12, and 240lbs of Hotdogs = \$235.20

Wholesale Purchases: Total \$3,509.04, 5,548lbs (eggs 1,200lbs, pasta sauce 120lbs, peanut butter 338lbs, canned fruit 1,828, canned vegetables 1,420, quick rolled oats 306lbs, chicken ravioli 65lbs, and shelf stable milk 270lbs)

UCAN/OFB Donations: 28,773lbs = \$1,586.35

USDA (Federal Food Program): 28,776lbs

Total pantry Food Expenditures: **\$5,687.71**

Food Donations Direct to FISH: Total 1,897lbs includes Churches: 415lbs, Other/Community: 1,118lbs, and The Roseburg Food Project: 364lbs

Total Food Purchases and Donated: **66,472lbs**

Pediatric Medication Service: May 2019 Prescriptions = 1 paid for by The FISH.

Shelter Service: During May 2019 The FISH provided 6 person nights (2 rooms total) of emergency shelter.

Transportation Service: During May 2019 The FISH provided the following assistance with transportation: Gas Vouchers: 13 for \$150.00.

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