

Help With Food

Don't go hungry in the holidays.

If you need help to access food for you and your family, the following agencies can help:

Local Welfare Provision team

They can help you to access food parcels through the *Welcome Centre*.

They can also give you advice to alleviate longer term problems (e.g debt advice, benefits advice, budgeting awareness), help with fuel and accessing white goods etc. There may also be other types of help if you are suffering hardship due to COVID-19

Eligibility for help is discretionary and is based on an individual's circumstances at the time.

Contact: 01484 414782 (10am to 4pm, Monday to Friday excluding Bank Holidays)

E: lwp@kirklees.gov.uk

There are several pantry / food share schemes in the wider Colne Valley. These are community organisations where you can access food for a small donation, if you can afford to. You can choose pantry staples (such as toiletries, tinned foods, fresh foods etc.) that have been donated or short date items saved from landfill.

These agencies aim to help you in accessing affordable food:

Cowlersley Community Food share

Every Wednesday Afternoon 1:30pm-2:30pm

£2 donation suggested/appreciated

Contact: cowlersleycs@gmail.com

Cowlersley Community Out of School Club, 156 Cowlersley Lane, Cowlersley, HD4 5UX

Paddock Community Food share

Friday afternoons 1:30 – 2:30

£2 donation suggested/appreciated

Contact: 01484 212551 helpline

The Branch: Jubilee Centre, Market Street, Paddock, HD1 4SH

Slaithwaite Community Food share

Friday afternoons 1:00 – 2:00 pm

£5 donation suggested / appreciated

team@slaithwaitemutualaid.co.uk or message our facebook page

Slaithwaite Mutual Aid group, Slaithwaite Fire Station (back left of building) New street, HD7 5AB

For further information, please contact the agencies listed or Lisa Scully, Colne Valley and Aspire Coordinator

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