



Yavapai Food Bank



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HALTING HUNGER & MALNUTRITION IN YAVAPAI COUNTY — SINCE 1992

One of the busiest places in town



Ann Wilson
executive director

Other than many of the local food stores, Yavapai Food Bank's parking lot is one of the busiest places in town.

Four days a week, Tuesday through Friday afternoons, the parking lot is overflowing into the street out front.

Everyone needs food, 365 days of the year, regardless of their circumstances.

I'm sure that any of the people coming here would rather be purchasing their food from Fry's, Safeway, Albertsons, WalMart, COSTCO, Sam's Club, or any other retail merchant selling food.

The truth is, that many of these people have purchased food from those locations in the past but have suddenly found themselves out of a job, and now have to go to food banks for assistance.

A lot of them either have no money or have very limited amounts of money coming in. They can no longer provide one of the most basic needs of life – food for themselves and their family.

The holidays brought in large quantities of food and there is still a little left at this writing, but our shelves are fast becoming bare each day.

Yavapai Food Bank distributes about 35,000 lbs. of food per week throughout Yavapai County.

We distribute approximately 2,000 food boxes per month from our location in Prescott Valley to people living in the surrounding areas, including Prescott, Dewey, Mayer, Humboldt, Spring Valley, Cordes Junction, and some from Chino Valley.

The outlying food agencies in the County come in and pick up food once a week to take back to their communities for distribution.

Altogether, we estimate that about 5,500 families per month are being fed throughout Yavapai County, including the 2,000 here in Prescott Valley.

Your help is desperately needed to help keep food on our shelves to be able to continue feeding those less fortunate.

When you go to the store, just pick up one or two extra cans or packages of something to help your neighbors. Your contribution could make the difference whether some child goes to bed at night with or without something in their tummy.

Thank you so much for your support!

TOGETHER WE DO MAKE A DIFFERENCE!



15th Annual Million Dollar Challenge

FEINSTEIN FUNDRAISER/FOOD DRIVE

ONGOING NOW DURING MARCH & APRIL, 2012

**S-T-R-E-T-C-H
YOUR
DOLLARS**



All monies or food donated during March and April will apply toward matching funds from Alan Feinstein's Million Dollar Challenge.

Alan Feinstein has committed himself to fight hunger throughout our United States and has challenged Food Banks all across the land to fight this problem in their own areas.

All monies or food donated will go to help residents in Yavapai County, but the best part of all is that when we turn in our results at the end of April, we will also receive some of Alan Feinstein's million dollars to help our efforts. (For reporting purposes all food counts at the rate of \$1.00 per lb.)

Hunger and poverty are growing in our County.

The numbers are increasing on a regular basis. Many of these individuals are children. Children have a hard time learning in school when they are hungry or sick.

Our goal is to not only fight hunger but malnutrition as well.

Monies raised during this fundraiser will go to help supply additional nutritional food in quantities that are not donated so that all our boxes have a good nutritional value.

Following is a list of some of the most commonly needed foods: fresh or canned vegetables, fresh or canned fruit, cereal, bread, meat, milk, peanut butter, cheese, eggs, pasta, juice, soup, miscellaneous boxed meals, noodles, and spaghetti. (We have large walk in coolers and freezers for perishable items, so we are able to handle all kinds of foods.)

**To make a donation you can send a check or money order to
Yavapai Food Bank, P.O. Box 4151, Prescott, AZ 86302**

or

you can call 775-5255 and make a donation on your credit card over the phone

or

you can go online to our website at "www.yavapaifoodbank.org" and click on DONATE

or

you can come by and see us at 8866 E. Long Mesa Dr., in Prescott Valley.

Please call 775-5255 for more information or for food drop-off locations nearest you.

Thank you so much for your support in helping to end hunger in our County.

THIS COUPON IS PROVIDED FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE TO INCLUDE WITH YOUR DONATION. THANK YOU.

Yes! I would like to help Yavapai Food Bank continue to make a difference in our County with the following cash donation:

\$500 \$200 \$100 \$50 \$25 Other _____ In memory of _____

or charge my
VISA, MASTERCARD, AMEX or DISCOVER     Amount _____

Name (as it appears on your card): _____ Phone: () _____ - _____

Address: _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

(Please check box if new address)

Card Number: _____ Expiration date: _____ / _____

Signature: _____

email: _____ (Fill out and check box if you would like us to send you a receipt by email)

Donations can also be made on line through PayPal. Go to: <http://www.yavapaifoodbank.org>

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Your continued support is vital to the ongoing operation of Yavapai Food Bank.



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