Struggling to feed the family?



Help is at hand.

The end of the Universal Credit uplift and rising food and heating costs has made life tough for many - thousands of families across Perth and Kinross are having to make do with much, much less than before. We know that this can make life difficult.

Feeding your children can be a challenge. Perth & Kinross Council wants to help. Together with our Community Planning Partners we can ensure **no child goes hungry**, ever.



We will:

- take a Cash First Approach and help families maximise income from benefits;
- provide free school meals;
- support a network of food banks, foodshare outlets, community larders and Give & Take boxes.

We ask that you:

- seek help at the earliest possible moment;
- donate to food banks and community larders when you can;
- join up to your local Foodshare Scheme or outlet to reduce food waste;
- use food banks, community larders and Give & Take Boxes when you need to.

If you are struggling to feed your family, here's where you can get help to increase your income and get help with feeding your family:

Benefits Support and Advice

If you are struggling and need help with welfare benefits or access to a food bank or other support call **01738 476900 (Option 1)** or visit **www.pkc.gov.uk/wrt** You can apply for a Crisis Grant which aims to provide a safety net in an emergency. Apply online at **www.pkc.gov.uk/scottishwelfarefund** or call the Scottish Welfare Fund Team on **01738 476900 (Option 2)**.

Housing Costs

If you are a Council tenant please call your Locality Housing Team if you are struggling to pay your rent or bills. We offer a wide range of help and you may even qualify for financial support towards your housing costs. Call your Housing Team on **01738 476000 (Option 2)** or visit **www.pkc.gov.uk/arrearsadvice**

Citizens Advice Scotland Helpline 0800 0281456 is open Monday to Friday, 9.00 am to 5.00 pm. You can also visit www.perthcab.org.uk/home

Highland and Strathtay	
Aberfeldy, Glen Lyon and Kinloch Rannoch	
Free help-yourself food larder	Breadalbane Community Larder Rear of Aberfeldy Church Centre, Taybridge Road, Aberfeldy, PH15 2BH
	All day, every day
Reduced price food shop	Breadalbane Community Larder Offizone, Kenmore Street, Aberfeldy Saturday 11.00 am - 12.30 pm
Emergency food parcel	Breadalbane Community Larder
	Can request any time by calling 0345 30 111 00 (Monday - Friday, 9.00 am - 5.00 pm) or emailing breadalbanecommunitylarder@ btinternet.com
Free emergency	Rannoch Food Bank
food parcel delivery	Any time
	For more information, please contact Rannochcoordinator@gmail.com
Pitlochry, Blair Atho	ll, Calvine and Ballinluig
Free help-yourself food larder	Atholl Centre Community Larder Atholl Road, Pitlochry, PH16 5BX <i>All day, every day</i>
Free food bank	Atholl Centre Food Bank
	Atholl Road, Pitlochry, PH16 5BX Tuesday & Wednesday, 10.00 am - 5.00 pm or for emergencies
	For more information, please contact admin@athollcentre.org.uk

Perth City	
Free and very low-cost food Free sanitary products	Letham4All Community Fridge 119 Rannoch Road, Perth, PH1 2DQ <i>Open 7 days a week 10.00 am - 1.00 pm</i> For more information, please contact chair@letham4all.org.uk
Emergency food parcels	Perth and Kinross Food Bank 11 Cutlog Vennel, Perth, PH1 5HY <i>Tuesday & Wednesday 12.00 noon -</i> <i>4.00 pm, Friday 12.00 noon - 4.00 pm</i> Please note if you do not have a voucher and require food support, please phone 0345 30 111 00 for help and advice or email CommunitySupport@pkc.gov.uk
Free of charge Can also purchase up to 10 items/ packages at a cost of 20p	Muirton Community Food Share Shop located at 111 Dunkeld Road, Perth Monday, Thursday & Saturday 11.00 am - 1.30 pm For more information, please contact secretary@letham4all.org.uk
Free food and signposting support	Perth Centre Support Food Share Giraffe Café, Mill Street, Perth Monday & Thursday, 10.30 am - 1.30 pm For more information, please contact help@checkin-giraffe.uk
Free and very low-cost food & other items	South Perth Community Food Share Moncrieffe Community Hall, Glenlyon Road, Perth <i>Thursday & Saturday, 11.00 am - 1.00 pm</i> For more information, please contact liz@kildonan.co.uk

Perth City continued	
Free help-yourself food larder	Tulloch and North Muirton Give & Take Boxes These are green wooden boxes attached to lamp posts around the area: there are 10 in total that can be accessed anytime, including ones outside Tulloch Co-op and North Muirton Co-op, outside Riverside Church and also the North Inch Community Campus.
Free help-yourself food larder	Luncarty Give & Take Box Luncarty Village Shop <i>All day, every day</i>

Eastern Perthshire	
Alyth	
Independent local food bank	Alyth Food For Thought Airlie Street, Alyth Monday 3.00 pm - 6.00 pm Tuesday 11.00 am - 2.00 pm Thursday 3.00 pm - 6.00 pm Friday 9.00 am - 4.00 pm Saturday 9.00 am - 1.00 pm Food for Thought operates a take what you need, pay what you can model open to anyone. For more information, please contact Foodforthought19@outlook.com
Balbeggie	
Food larder located in the phone box - open to give and take	Balbeggie Village Community Larder Phone Box <i>All day, every day</i>

Eastern Perthshire continued

Blairgowrie and Rattray	
Good quality in-date food at vastly reduced prices or pay what you can afford	Blairgowrie and Rattray Independent Food Project Keep up-to-date with the BaRI Store on the BARI FOOD Facebook page or by emailing barifood@discoverblairgowrie.co.uk Also shop online at www.discoverblairgowrie. co.uk/shops/bari-food
Provides 3-day emergency food support	Blairgowrie Food Bank St Catharine's Centre, George Street, PH10 6EY <i>Tuesday 10.00 am - 11.30 am</i> <i>Thursday 2.30 pm - 4.00 pm</i> Please note if you do not have a voucher and require food support, please phone 0345 30 111 00 for help and advice or email CommunitySupport@pkc.gov.uk or infoblairgowriefoodbank@perthkinross. foodbank.org.uk
Community larder - give, take or swap	Give & Take Community Larder Outside Blairgowrie Bowling Club; Blairgowrie Guide Hut; Rattray Community Connect, Rattray; Ashgrove Road, Rattray
Burrelton and Wood	side
Community café	Burrelton Community Cafê Open every Tuesday between 12.00 noon – 2.00 pm in the Church Hall. You can come and eat for free or leave a donation.
Fareshare food parcel	A fareshare food support package can be pre-ordered by calling Kirsty Cluff on 07923 809001 on a Wednesday. These will be delivered to the community hall on a Friday where you can come and collect them.

Eastern Perthshire continued	
Carse of Gowrie	
Community food larder	Madoch Centre, St Madoes Monday - Friday, 9.30 am - 4.30 pm For more information, please contact anthea@madochcentre.com or call 01738 861023

Kinross-shire and Almond & Earn	
Local food bank and advice hub	Broke not Broken The Beacon, St Paul's Church, The Muirs, Kinross
	<i>Tuesday & Thursday, 10.00 am - 2.00 pm</i> For more information, email admin@ brokenotbroken.org or call 07518 913107

Strathearn & Strathallan	
Food bank	Blue Door Foodbank APC Church Centre, 24 High Street, Auchterarder, PH3 1DF <i>Tuesday & Friday, 10.00 am - 2.00 pm</i> Please email info@bluedoorfoodbank.org for more information or call 01764 660965
Food share	Crieff Connexions 19 High Street, Crieff, PH7 3HU Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday & Saturday 10.00 am - 12.00 noon For more information, please contact admin@crieffconnexions.org.uk
Free emergency food parcel	Crieff Foodbank Kings Centre, King Street Crieff, PH7 3SA Monday and Friday, 10.00 am - 12.00 noon Wednesday 1.30 pm - 3.30 pm For more information, please call 0345 3011100 or email crieffcommunityfoodbank67@gmail.com

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