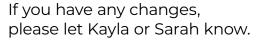


AGENCY UPDATES

Updated Internal Programs Guide

An updated programs guide is now available. Scan QR code to familiarize yourself with all our offerings:







CLIENT SERVICES

We want to welcome Shannon Cooley, the new Case Manager.

EDUCATION

The Adult Education Department is in full swing! HSE students are trying to complete all five tests by June. Enrollment into the HSE program continues throughout the year. ESOL classes started the Spring term on April 23 and will continue through June 11th. Now registering ESOL students for the summer session that will start July 9th.

Please join us to celebrate the achievements of our High School Equivalency Program Graduates! on June 13 from 6-9pm at Saint Peter's Episcopal Church, 4 Ocean St, Beverly.

FOOD ASSISTANCE

The month of April proved to be the busiest ever for food pantry with 1,915 visits.

What does that mean?

It means that in 18 distribution days, pantry saw an average of 106.4 people. In April, 728 households were served and 34 were new clients.

Have you seen the construction happening out front of the 35 Park Street entrance?



This is the

location of our second Food Locker site. Construction is ongoing and lockers are hoping to open in June.



Stamp Out Hunger food drive was Saturday. We received close to 5,000 pounds and are thankful to TD Bank for their team of volunteers!

FOOD DRIVES

Lots of food drives happening during May, including the Praxis Fitness' Toiletry Drive, Touch-a-Truck, Manchester Essex High School and the Beverly High School Spring Sports Teams. The BHS Music Dept will be hosting a Food Drive for us at their spring concert on Thursday, May 21, 2024. Middle Schooler's are also running Food Locker

Food Drives for Community Service Hours.

On Friday, May 24, 47 - 5th grade Cutler Elementary School students will tour, build snack bags & sort/hang clothing in Thrift. Thrift, Case Management, Marketing & Development have also joined forces to support students in need of prom clothing. We're working with school counselors in our service area to help students get what they need for their special night!

SEASONAL PROGRAMS

Tax season has ended and thanks to an amazing team of volunteers and staff, nearly 500 clients were helped and almost \$840,000 in tax returns this year.

Book Fair will be held on Saturday, June 20 from 11 am - 3pm at Beverly Middle Schools Courtyard. This year, book drive partners include Book Shop of Beverly Farms, Copper Dog, Paper & String and Paper Asylum. New date & location. BTSB planning is underway & Community Drop off are at (can you include the google sheet link with locations) Do you know a group or company that would like to collect new backpacks or school supplies for us, contact Deb.

VOLUNTEERS

Thank you to all the staff that made last month's Volunteer Appreciation Open House such a great event. The volunteers had a great time, and even the volunteers who couldn't come really appreciated the effort that was made to thank them.

THRIFT SHOP UPDATES

Thrift Perks Club

Introducing the Thrift Perks Club! With every purchase, you're not only getting great finds, you're earning points towards fantastic discounts. It's simple: for every dollar spent, you earn one point. Once you've reached 50 points, you can start redeeming them for savings – \$5 off your next purchase!

To sign up, simply inquire at the register during checkout.

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