CHRISTMAS 2017

oodbank UPDATE



As we approach the Christmas Season we want to thank all our Volunteers, Donors, Referrers and Supporters for all you have done to enable Larne Foodbank to meet the requests for Food and Toiletries to help those in food poverty in our community. It could not be done without you so a huge Thank you.

CHRISTMAS HAMPERS

We have begun our preparations to supply Christmas Hampers to families and individuals in Larne who will struggle this Christmas. We are delighted to Partner with other local agencies including CAP, Salvation Army and Good Morning Larne. We are grateful to P&O Ferries and Port of Larne for their support and enthusiasm in assisting us. Already items have been donated and this gives us a really good start. We would appreciate Christmas items, such as Mince pies, Shloer, Christmas puddings, chocolates etc. to be donated on Monday 11th or 18th December 2017.



HELP TO PACK AND DELIVER

Arrangements have been made to wrap the boxes for the hampers on Saturday 16th December at Craigyhill Baptist Church, then Packing will take place on Tuesday 19th December 9.30am, again in Craigyhill Baptist Church. Delivery of the Hampers to families and individuals who have been referred to us by the various agencies will take place on 20th and 21st December. Thank you to those who have already offered to help out and if anyone else is available please contact Larne Foodbank office on 028 28277530 or email to info@larne.foodbank.org.uk.

HALIFAX FOUNDATION for Northern Ireland SUPPORT LARNE FOODBANK

The number of people needing support from Larne



Foodbank continues to grow and consequently the administration needed to run the foodbank has increased. It is of enormous benefit that the Halifax Foundation for Northern Ireland is funding for one year an Administrative Assistant allowing us to focus on our main function of supporting those in crisis in our community through the generosity of the people in Larne who continue to donate food, toiletries and financial support.

LOCAL SCHOOLS SUPPORT

Larne Foodbank is grateful to the following schools who recently supported Larne Foodbank by donating food, toiletries and Christmas food items at their Harvest

Assemblies. Roddensvale Cairncastle PS Corran IPS Larne and Inver PS Olderfleet PS Carnlough IPS



LARNE FOODBANK CHRISTMAS DATES :-

Larne Foodbank will be closed from Saturday 23rd December 2017 to Monday 1st January 2018 We are open again for distribution on Tuesday 2nd January 2018 at 1.00pm to 3.00pm. We will be able to provide emergency boxes throughout the Christmas holidays even when the Foodbank is closed. The Emergency Phone number is 07443435404. (Please note this is for emergencies only)

