

The Community Cupboard

As one of the team of volunteers at The Community Cupboard, I would like to thank Claire from the Editorial Team for the opportunity to provide more information about our charity.

May I start with letting you know how you can donate. There are two places in our Stansted, Fairseat and Vigo area. The first is a donation point within the outer porch of 11 The Paddock, Vigo. This is with thanks to Sheila and Alastair Oag. The second is in front of the tills at Culverstone Stores. This is with thanks to Pete Juty.

The Community Cupboard was founded in 2019 and based in converted premises at Gamecock Meadow, West Kingsdown TN15 6EL We are a registered charity [1185331]. We now also have second foodbank in Swanley at St Mary's Road BR8 7BU.

Our byword is 'more than a just a foodbank'. We offer a helping hand to anyone who walks through our doors. We do not require paperwork and that way we offer a non-judgmental service that can respond quickly to a need. As well as a food parcel, we offer advice and a signposting service to link with other relevant services and charities.

Our web-site address is www.thecommunitycupboard.co.uk

Each foodbank opens different days and times and these are displayed on the web-site. Should you wish, you would be welcome to bring your personal donation to the foodbank and someone will receive you and offer a hot drink and explain how we operate.

Bob Wright, Volunteer at The Community Cupboard



This photograph is of most of our team on the occasion of our fifth anniversary where The London Golf Club kindly hosted us for a coffee morning.