

# The Pantry Door



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#### So Much Gratitude...

Alices Champagne Palace and Metis Riley have hosted the Thankful Market for three years now. It is an Arts and Craft Fair where the entrance fee is Food for the Holidays! Folks brought shelf sustainable foods or a monetary donation. This year along with numerous holiday donations we were also gifted over \$700. We are so grateful!

The *Homer Foundation* had it's 2023 Annual Meeting. The *People's Choice Awards* had 3 audience members nominate their favorite nonprofit and gift it \$500. HCFP received 2 out of the 3 nominations! Thanks to *Paul and Collen James* and Bill Baily we were awarded \$1000! Many thanks to you and the Homer Foundation!

#### **Ongoing Fundraisers...**

The **Great Pumpkin Pantry** is collecting canned goods in schools.

'Tis the Giving Season! Nonperishables at Gear Shed, Down East Saloon, Alibi, Nomar, Kraken, Homer Public Library, Kachemak Bay Campus & The Homer Methodist Church.

**Don't Let the Grinch Steal Christmas** Donation jars are in various bars!



Who's a
Turkey?
Debbie Vantrese

and Marilyn Hess
Strut their Stuff
while giving out
Thanksgiving
Tidings thanks to
The Homer Lions
Club and HCFP!

### **Andy Armstrong We Are Humbled!**

Thanks to **Andy Armstrong** and a group of folks, who choose to remain anonymous, we now have a fabulous new Community Free Fridge! **Anthony Roberts**, the manager at **Air Land Transport** approved the donation of delivery! Andy spent numerous hours this weekend installing it along with the help of our generous volunteers. Once we have a heater installed we'll be up and running! What an amazing **Community!** 





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## We Had a Soup-er Bowl!

Thanks to the dedication of **Sherry Stead** and **Tracy Asselin** along with numerous volunteers, the <u>Empty Bowl Fundraiser</u> was a Soup-er Success!
Ten individual potters, the Homer High School and the Council of the Arts



created the beautiful artisan bowls. Sixteen restaurants and numerous others provided the homemade soups, breads and the delicious desserts! With outstanding monies coming in we raised over \$10,000! Soup-er Bowl Scores... as did HCFP!



Providing food and emergency assistance, with compassion, to those seeking our services.