The Pantry Door

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The Coordinator's Corner.

an you feel it? The days are getting longer and the first day of spring and daylight saving time are both scheduled for this month. We all welcome the additional sunshine and the promise of warmer days.

With the changing season also



comes the changing needs of our community. Seeing well beyond the need for simple nutrition, the Food Pantry

also provides short-term housing, gas vouchers, shower and laundry vouchers, heating oil, payments for prescriptions and eyewear, electricity and referral to Haven House for long-term housing needs.

The list continues to grow. And, so do the needs.

A Special Thanks...

..to Jane Dunn of Homer High School and the Students in Transition Program.

We partner regularly with Jane to provide nutritional support to Homer students

We thank her for her diligence in providing this critical service.

A Big Thanks to Petro 49.



Susie Quinn, Thomas McDonough and David Webb gather to present the checks.

Tn a check award ceremony Learlier this month, Petro Marine, Manager David Webb and Chevron Manager, Susie Quinn presented five checks to Thomas McDonough, Homer Community Food Pantry President.

The first check was for \$5,022.06 for their 'nickel a gallon' fundraising promotion held from November 15th through December 15th of last year.

The remaining four checks were a matching donation from the Lindsey family...also for \$5,022.06.

The Food Pantry could not be more thankful for this generous donation of \$10,044.12 to support our work in service to the community. (#

The Coast Guard Gives Back.

VJe owe such a debt of gratitude to our local Coast Guard for their many services to our community. Last month, they cleaned out



It's a very good day when the Coast Guard arrives with a truck load of food.

their pantry of donated foods, after the recent government furlough. MST2 Andrew Keenan, MST1

Steven Hirsch and MST3 Aaron Ray from the Marine Safety Detachment (MSD) arrived at the Food Pantry with a truck loaded with some of

our most needed non-perishable food items.

A big Food Pantry shout out!



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