



# The Pantry Door

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## The Coordinator's Corner.

I never cease to be astonished by the overwhelming generosity of this community. Whether it is the Little Fireweed Academy, or the Cub Scouts, Uncle Herbs, the Coast Guard MSD, the list goes on and on.

And, as the saying goes, "some give by serving and some serve by giving"



Dennis Weidler

That is especially true at the Homer Food Pantry. I want to wrap up the

year of 2021 by expressing my most sincere thanks to all the volunteers who tirelessly serve. Some drive to pick up donated groceries. Others make the Monday distribution possible. Still other call seniors to remind them their Senior boxes have arrived. It takes a team...and we have a dandy! 🌐

## A Special Thanks...

...to the U.S.Coast Guard Marine Safety Detachment here in Homer for their help in unloading 780 holiday turkeys.

That was a big truckload of frozen birds!  
The Homer Community Food Pantry could not be more thankful.

## Fireweed Academy Holds First Of Two Food Drives.



45 Little Fireweed students assemble at the Food Pantry.

The students from the Little Fireweed Academy spent several weeks conducting a food drive and wanted to make the presentation of the collected donation the Friday before Thanksgiving.

At 1 o'clock on the 19th, 45 students formed a caravan across

East End Road to make the delivery. We also took some time to show them around the Food Pantry. There are already plans in the works to do it all again just in time for Christmas. We are blessed by the kindness and hard work of the staff and students. Thank you! 🌐

## Thanks To AlaskaUSA Staff For Their Contribution.



Manager, Adam Stover presents the check to the Food Pantry.

It is the season of giving...and thanks to the staff and management of AlaskaUSA and the AlaskaUSA Foundation for their recent gift of \$2,000. Each year the employees make individual donations through the Foundation. Then, during the holiday season, a

check is presented to the Homer Community Food Pantry. This helps to support our

ongoing efforts to provide both food and non-food services to the community. Thanks to our neighbor, AlaskaUSA for their generous support! 🌐

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

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