

2021 Christmas Resources

Please contact individual programs for additional information.

Space and quantities are limited.

- **St. Vincent De Paul – Vancouver:**

*2456 NE Stapleton Road, Vancouver WA, 98661 (Clark County)
360-694-5388*

Monday - Friday, 10:00am-1:00pm

- **Free Christmas Food Boxes (Gifts to families with children age 16 years old and under)**
 - Call for an appointment beginning Monday, November 29, 2021 from 10:00am-1:00pm.
 - For households with youth who reside within the Vancouver school district & the Evergreen school district. Proof of residency required.
 - Donations of food and gifts are also being accepted.
 - Boxes will be distributed on Saturday, December 18, 2021.

- **Downtown Vancouver-Old Fire Station:**

900 West Evergreen Boulevard, Vancouver WA, 98660 (Clark County)

**For more information or questions contact Mark at Beaches by phone at 360-699-1592 or by email at beaches1995@outlook.com.*

WALK IN'S WELCOME. Reservations are not required.

- **Free Christmas Day Meal**
 - *Pick up or eat at location.*
 - Christmas Day, Saturday, December 25, 2021 from 11:00am-2:00pm.
 - **LIMITED SEATING**
 - To go: Limit 1 dinner per person present
 - Delivery available to Senior or Veterans facilities, shelters, or other locations with at least 20 occupants. (Call Mark at Beaches, 360-699-1592, *by November 20, 2021*. Meals will be dropped off and individual facilities would handle distribution).

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- **Santa's Posse – Clark County Sheriff's Office and Rotary Clubs of Clark County:**

564-397-3380 (Main phone, Volunteers/Donations)

Website: <http://www.santasposse.com>

- **Free Christmas Food and Gift Baskets**

- *****Families must check with their children's school to see if they are referring families. ** NO SELF REFERALS*****
- Program limit of 1200 families. Children 0-17 are eligible.
- Gift delivery will be Sunday, December 19, 2021 from 8:00am-2:00pm to the homes of the referred families. ******FAMILIES MUST BE HOME FOR DELIVERY******
- Donations of new toys and clothing, non-perishable food, gift cards, money and volunteer time are also accepted. To volunteer or make a donation, please call.
- **Families residing in Clark County ONLY.**

- **Share House:**

1115 W 13th Street, Vancouver WA, 98660 (Clark County)

*****Meals served from the dining room door off the Lincoln Street parking lot.*****

360-448-2121

Open to the public, WALK IN'S WELCOME, no reservations needed.

- **Free SHARE Hot Meal Program**

- No inside seating will be available. People will be encouraged to take the meal to go for all meals offered. Meals will be hot and ready to eat.
- Christmas Eve, Friday, December 24, 2021
 - Breakfast from 9:00am-9:30am
 - Dinner from 3:30pm-4:00pm
- Christmas Day, Saturday, December 25, 2021
 - Breakfast from 9:00am-9:30am
 - **Dinner: TBD**

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- **Salvation Army of Camas/Washougal:**

1612 I Street, Washougal WA, 98671 (Clark County)
360-835-3171 (Main phone)

Tuesday - Friday, 9:30am-4:00pm

- **Free Christmas Food Boxes and Gift Boxes**

- Walk-in November 16, 2021 – December 15, 2021 during the business hours noted above to fill out an application.
- Once an application is completed you will be given a time to pick up food boxes and/or gifts. Distribution date is December 22, 2021.
- Holiday gift boxes available for households with youth age 14 and younger who are living in their household at least 50% of the time.
- Open to residents of the cities of Camas, Washougal, and Skamania County. Identification for all household members required. Examples are: social security card, school record, state issued ID, medical ID, etc..
- Donations of food and gifts are accepted.

- **Children's Home Society of Camas/Washougal:**

1702 C Street, Washougal WA, 98671 (Clark County)
360-835-7802 (Main phone)

Monday – Friday 10:00am – 4:00pm

- **Free Holiday Giving Bags**

- Sign up by calling the number above starting November 1, 2021 during the business hours noted above.
- Bags will be handed out the week before Christmas. Lobby is closed, so knock on door and bags will be brought out.
- Once an application is completed you will be called to pick up your Holiday Giving bags when they are ready.
- Holiday Giving bags are available for households with youth age 0-18 and who are not signed up with any other organization.
- Open to residents of the cities of Camas and Washougal.
- Donations of food and gifts are accepted.

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- **Skamania County Christmas Basket Fund:**

Hegewald/Rock Creek Center

710 SW Rock Creek Drive, Stevenson WA 98648 (Skamania County)

- **Christmas Dinner Baskets (includes a gift for each child)**

- Families and individuals in need of a basket may sign up or be nominated NO LATER THAN Thursday, December 9, 2021.
- Sign-ups or nominations WILL NOT BE accepted by phone or in person and **MUST** be done online at <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSe-fUdcSbhjmRZ0AeuhWSFcoyoyYh2qil8mUWiWyS4bESzjVA/viewform>
- Basket delivery date will be Friday, December 17, 2021.

- **Camas-Washougal Fire Department CAROL Program:**

616 NE 4th Avenue, Camas WA 98607 (Clark County)

360-834-2262 ext. 2 (Unit Secretary)

- **Free Christmas Food Baskets and Gifts for Youth**

- Open to anyone living in the Camas or Washougal School District boundaries.
- Households w/youth age 16 and younger.
- Sign-up begins Friday, November 26, 2021.
- Distribution details will be provided upon sign up.

- **Wahkiakum County Health and Human Services:**

1-800-635-5989, Dial 0 or 360-795-8630 (Wahkiakum County)

- **Free Christmas Food Baskets**

- Call Wahkiakum County Health and Human Services to sign up. Sign ups start December 1, 2021.
- Distribution date and pick up location will be provided upon sign up.
- One basket per household. Must provide proof of Wahkiakum residence by showing current utility bill with your name and address.

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- **Salvation Army:**

1500 NE 112th Avenue, Vancouver WA, 98684 (Clark County)
360-892-9050 (Main phone, Questions ONLY)
360-448-2894 (Holiday Hotline)

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, 10:00am – 3:00pm

- **Free Christmas Food Boxes**

- Drive thru pickup December 1 – 23, 2021 during business hours listed above. Closed December 16, 17, 21, and 24.
- Food basket can be picked up 1 time per month per family. May not necessarily get the traditional Christmas Day foods, depends on the donations that are received.
- For all of Clark County. Photo ID & proof of residency required.

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Emily Straw - emily.straw@clarkcountyfoodbank.org

There are two others we know of that may be good additions click on clark county food bank link for more info. www.clarkcountyfoodbank.org/get-food)

Christmas Food Boxes

- Clark County Food Bank Drive-Thru. No registration required. Dec 21st 3:00-4:00PM
- North County Community Food Bank. No registration required. Dec 1-Dec 23rd during regular hours Mon-Thurs 9-11:15 & 1:30-3:15, Fri 9-11:15.

Tosha Big Eagle

Thank you for inquiring about our resources. Here is the information regarding the Penguin Pantry and the link: <https://www.clark.edu/campus-life/student-support/penguinpantry/index.php>

The website details who is eligible, how it works, how to sign up, and the upcoming distribution dates. Students can receive one box each month of the quarter. The boxes are filled with non-perishables and bread. Depending on the month, the students also receive fresh baked goods and food from our Culinary department.

We also have an Emergency Grant which students can apply for winter and spring term. Here is the link to the website and our application page: <https://www.clark.edu/forms/emergency-grant-application/index.php>

Clark College offers emergency assistance to students who experience a financial emergency or unanticipated expenses that cause financial hardship. These funds are not loans and do not need to be repaid. When you fill out the universal emergency grant application, your application will be reviewed by the Student Emergency Assistance Grants Committee and, whenever possible, matched with the grant(s) best aligned with your needs/eligibility. The emergency grant will re-open for winter term on December 20th.

Thank you and please let me know if you have any questions or need additional resources,

Tosha Big Eagle
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Holiday Resources

Katrina Alderman

Here at ESD 112 we have ESIT (Early Support for Infants and Toddlers) they provide development screenings for Birth-3 and services if children qualify.

I am happy to connect with them to see if they would like to identify someone on their team to participate.

Also – we have our Employer Group SELF (Support for Early Learning and Families) they hire for the Early Learning Programs for a variety of positions – I'm not sure that you want this as a jobs fair but let me know if you would like me to connect with them as well.

Thank you,
Katrina

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