



Happy Holidays to all of YOU from all of US here at Feed My People! We wish you good health and much happiness as 2024 comes to a close, and the new year begins.

### An UPDATE for PARTNERS of FEED MY PEOPLE

#### Reminders for our Partners...Please note:

- -Annual Agency Agreements for 2025 are DUE Monday, December 16th After you sign it, you can either send it back to us in the mail or scan it and email it back to Ashley Olson at ashleyo@fmpfoodbank.org. Thank you for your attention to this deadline.
- **-Feed My People will be CLOSED** for **Christmas** December 24-25 and for **New Years** December 31-January 1.

The ordering portion of our website will shut down for **Inventory** in the Warehouse Friday, December 27, late afternoon through Monday, December 30 around noon.

Please note this on your calendars. If this affects your ordering window or delivery, you have been sent an email from Ashley Anderson (any questions, email her at <a href="mailto:ashleya@fmpfoodbank.org">ashleya@fmpfoodbank.org</a>). Please mark your calendar with any changes to avoid your order being cancelled.

-New FoodShare household gross monthly income requirements announced. FoodShare helps participants stretch their budgets by depositing money on a debit-like card once per month to help buy food. If you would like more information on this for your

guests, you can call the toll-free FoodShare Helpline with any questions at 1-877-366-3635, go online at GetAQuestCard.org, or reach out to the Partnership Team at FMP to request flyers to distribute.

### FREE - Produce

A reminder we will be continuing to subsidize the cost of all produce to our partners through the end of this year. Please continue to take advantage of this wonderful opportunity. More to come if this will be continuing into 2025. Stay tuned!



### **FREE - Plastic Trays**



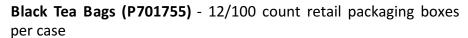
Do you have any use for some small plastic trays? We have several we'd love to share with you. They are 14 inches x 11 inches. Please reach out to Lisa at <a href="mailto:lisa@fmpfoodbank.org">lisa@fmpfoodbank.org</a> if you are interested. First come, first served.

## Highlighted Products from the Warehouse

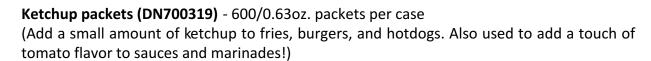
Jalapeno Cheese (DN701710) - 48/6oz. packages per case (Use on nachos, burgers, grilled cheese sandwiches, quesadillas, tacos, and burritos!)

Non-dairy Halloumi Cheese (DN701331) - 8/7.05oz. packages per case

(Use in place of mozzarella cheese, grill it, or fry it like mozzarella sticks!)



(Health benefits include: improved focus, heart health, and reduced risk of stroke!)





### Partner Proud!

# Featuring: The Community Table in Eau Claire

In recent years, food insecurity has affected up to 11% of residents in Eau Claire County, and this number has been growing.



Much more than a soup kitchen, The Community Table is Eau Claire's only meal service center. They serve nutritious meals - no questions asked - to 80-100+ guests, 365 days per year. They do this by bringing together a vast network of local businesses, civic and faith-based organizations, volunteers and private donors.

Thank you for all you do to feed our neighbors in need. We couldn't do what we do without you, Community Table!

### Meet Our Team!

This month, meet Joel Crandall. Joel is our Warehouse Manager. He oversees the warehouse activities from receiving to shipping and all points in between, as well as scheduling, routing, and staffing. Joel loves the people around here - everyone from our volunteers to our Agency Partners and staff. The people he has interacted with over the last (nearly) 9 years have had a huge impact on not only our communities, but also his life in general.

Two **Fun Facts** about Joel are he has a 1973 Ford Bronco that he enjoys spending time on and almost 2 years ago he took up a new hobby - axe throwing!

Pop-Up Schedule







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