

Mission Statement

The mission of the volunteer organization, Friends Sharing Food, is to help reduce hunger in Jackson County families through regularly scheduled projects. Our recipients are treated with compassion, dignity and respect.



Individuals and families in Jackson County may find these resources help stretch the food budget:

- Supplemental food from food distribution sites
- Food preparation ideas
- Food safety guidelines
- Local Produce
- Opportunities to participate in the Community Garden

Transportation to FSF sites may be provided by Interfaith Volunteer Caregivers. Please call 715-284-7058 to see if you qualify. Initial services may take up to 48 hours.



Monetary Donations Welcome

Friends Sharing Food, a 501(c)3 organization, is funded through donations from individuals, civic and church groups, foundations and grants. Gifts may be sent to:

Friends Sharing Food
P.O. Box 344
Black River Falls, WI 54615



How Can You Help?

For volunteer opportunities or food donations please call any of the numbers listed in this brochure.

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Friends Sharing Food, Inc.

411 Gehardt Rd, Black River Falls, WI
Located in Gehardt School (Hwy 27 South)
Entrance & parking available on fenced playground.

- Friends' Food Shelf
- Jackson County Food Pantry
- Neighborhood Food Pantry
- Food for Kids
- Essential Needs Program



Friends' Food Shelf

Distributes perishable food weekly to Jackson County residents. Only name, address and household size are required. Food may include produce, dairy, meat and bakery.

Open every Monday from 3:00 to 4:30 p.m. or as long as food is available.

Please bring your own containers.

Contact: Lois 715-284-5598



Essential Needs Program

Providing personal care items, such as, shampoo, conditioner, soap, razors, kleenex, toothpaste and toothbrushes, diapers, feminine hygiene, etc.

Contact: Kathy 715-299-1992



Jackson County Food Pantry

Distributes perishables and non-perishables to county residents meeting income guidelines.

One member per household may apply and will be asked to declare income for all household members (photo I.D. and proof of address - rent or utility bill required).

Jackson County Food Pantry is an Equal Opportunity Provider

Open the last Tuesday of each month from 4:30 to 6:00 p.m.

Contact: Jon 715-896-3601

**For Emergency Food Only
Call 715-670-8489**

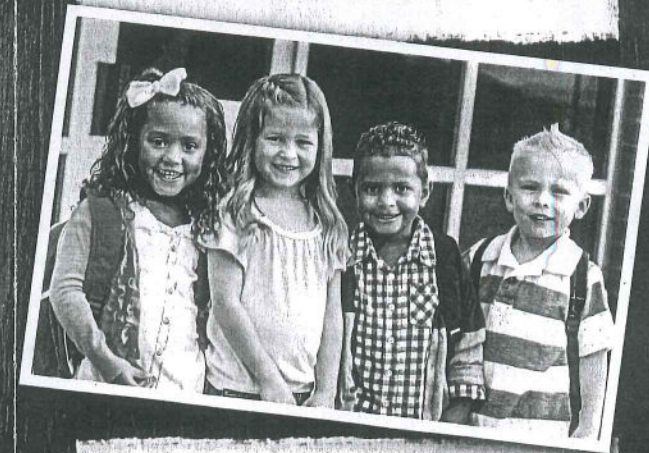
Neighborhood Food Pantry

Distributes perishables and non-perishables to Jackson County residents. Only name, address and household size is required.

Located at sites in Alma Center, Gebhardt School, Hixton, Melrose, Merrilan, Millston and Taylor.

Open the second Tuesday of each month from 9:00 to 10:00 a.m.

Contact: Chuck 715-284-3346



Food for Kids

Provides food bags in each elementary school and the Boys and Girls Club the last day of the school week and during the summer.

These are to supplement families with limited weekend food supplies.

Contact: Wanda 715-896-8480