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FOOD INSECURITY PROJECT

The Tribury Rotary Club was introduced to Matthew Martin and the Outreach Program at the 2024 President – Elect Training Seminar (PETS) at the Boston Marriott in Newton, MA in early March.



The Outreach Program is based in Union, Iowa. It is a non-profit 501 (c)(3) corporation with a goal to address food insecurity and to empower people and communities by connecting individuals and organizations with volunteer engagement opportunities.

TWO PROGRAMS

1) Packaged Meals Program

The Tribury Rotary Club coordinates this program where the pre-packaged meals are provided by End Hunger New England, the regional office of the Outreach Program. The Tribury Rotary Club distributes the meals to food banks based on fund-raising activities.

2) Meal Packing Event Program

The Outreach Program has an event agreement that event sponsors fill out. The agreement is due one month before the event, along with 65% of the payment (the remaining 35% is due 10 days prior). This event agreement is available by contacting Tribury Rotarian John Monteleone at triburyrotary4@gmail.com or by calling his cell 203-565-6100.

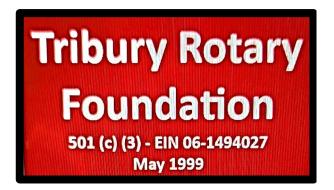
The Outreach Meal Packing Event Program agrees to provide:

- Meal Ingredients and packaging supplies (bags, boxes)
- Meal packaging equipment (funnels, stands, scales, tubs, cups, and sealers)
- Event facilitator and support during the event
- Support in event advance to train volunteers and community leaders on hunger facts
- Examples of fliers and news releases to assist in the promotion.

The Meal Packing Event Sponsor agrees to provide:

- Payment of the agreed upon donation amount in full, on or before the event date, to cover the cost of ingredients, packaging materials, staffing if requested, and transportation.
- A secure and qualified event site, including tables and access to the electricity needed for packaging equipment.
- Volunteers
- Unloading the truck when ingredients and supplies are delivered to the event site
- Setting-up meal packaging equipment, according to the setup schedule
- Re-supplying packaging lines with ingredients and supplies
- Loading the truck at end of the event, including all finished meal boxes, materials, and equipment
- Cleaning up the event site following meal packaging event
- Event promotion throughout the community, including flyer's, posters, social media, and news releases
- Coordination and distribution of finished meals





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