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**EXTRA helpings** Newsletter

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## Sponsored Sleepout!

White House Boarders from Kimbolton School presented a cheque for £460 to the Foodbank following their sponsored sleep-out in the School grounds on the first weekend of term.

Dr Roger Peppiatt, our Chair of Trustees, pictured below receiving the cheque from the students, said: “Please convey our heart-felt thanks to all at the school who contributed to the magnificent total”.

## You can donate food in the following ways:

- Into the ‘drop boxes’ in Tesco Extra (Eynesbury), Waitrose and the Co-op (Eaton Ford)
- Bringing it directly to our warehouse
- At various churches which have collection boxes



## What We Still Need Please

Items in most need are: Milk (long life), Fruit Juice (long life), Tinned Custard, Jam, Biscuits, Coffee (small jars), Teabags, Tinned Meat and Toiletries (Shampoo, Shower Gel, Deodorant, Toothpaste and Toothbrushes.

**Thank You.**

## IN OTHER NEWS

### Cheque received

Thank you very much to **Biffa** for their very generous donation of £500!

### Food received

A very big thank you to the local schools who donated very generous amounts of food from their Harvest Assembly Appeals. A special mention must be made of **Priory Juniors** who gave us a massive 164kg of food!

### More than food

We are about to launch "Moneylife" - a Trussell Trust national initiative supported by Money Saving Expert **Martin Lewis**. This is another way of 'signposting' people in need to other sources of help.

**Our warehouse is open from 9.30 to 12.00 on Monday, Tuesday and Friday mornings**

## Meet the St Neots Foodbank Team



At the Foodbank Warehouse we have 3 teams of volunteers led by Lynda (Mondays), Pat (Tuesdays) and Peter (Fridays).

***Pictured above is Monday's Warehouse Team***

We collect the food donated at the local supermarkets and receive donations from churches and others. Of course we cannot use any out of date food so we carefully check use by dates. All the food is weighed, sorted and sent in crates to our distribution centre. During the accounting year 2016-2017, we provided a total of 15,244 kg of emergency food.



***St. Neots Foodbank is very grateful for the support of these two companies***

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