

Ancaster Community Food Drive 2020

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On Saturday March 2, 2019 with another year of planning and eager anticipation for the 27th Ancaster Community Food Drive completed; hundreds of volunteers came together in celebration of community. The mission, to help replenish the empty shelves at the food bank agencies resulted in a new record of **107,000 pounds** of food donated on Saturday March 2, 2019.

Hundreds of volunteers congregated at the Ancaster Fairgrounds and like a fine symphony worked together with all performing the many tasks from the collection, unloading, sorting, boxing, weighing, stacking and loading on the agency trucks of thousands and thousands pounds of donated food.

The generous spirit of the residents in Ancaster has resulted in a **cumulative 1,754,500 lbs**. of food collected since our first drive and has in a very meaningful way supported the community service and food bank agencies serving our neighbors throughout our city of Hamilton.

This message to our schools and community partners, the hundreds of volunteers and our residents who call Ancaster their home, we ask you to mark these important dates and location in your calendars now to ensure your availability and participation. We need your help on <u>Saturday March 7, 2020 at</u> the Ancaster Fairgrounds 630 Trinity Rd S, Jerseyville, ON L0R 1R0 especially taking a route and going door to door.

Key Dates In 2020

- Distribution of Flyers- Saturday Feb 29, 2020 (St John's Parish Hall)
- School Pick Ups- Thursday March 5, 2020 (Ancaster Fairgrounds)
- Food Drive Date- Saturday March 7 2020 (Ancaster Fairgrounds)

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With thanks

The Organizing Committee