

Manning Area Christmas Hamper Program



The Community Christmas Hamper Program

CCH program is an opportunity to help our neighbours in need.

Our area covers Manning, Deadwood north to Keg River.

Christmas Meal Program submissions starts November 1- early submission is encouraged!

Individuals/families must submit their own application.

Applications are reviewed and approved according to the guidelines.

***Drop by Manning Community Resource Center or Family Community Support Services to apply for a hamper

MCRC - #112 -2nd Ave SW / Georgina Supernault @ 780-836-4329

FCSS - #413 Main Street/Town Office Building / Arlene Henitiuk @ 780-836-2170

Donations



Food Items (non-perishable)

Reminder: please check the best before date

Gift Donation for children/youth 17 years and younger – sponsor a “Christmas Moose”



In past years, we have been able to add a special item to hampers. This year our theme is "**Cold Weather, Warm Heart**" so we would like to include outer wear for each family member. This might be a new scarf, pair of mittens, gloves, or hat.

Donation boxes will be at participating businesses until December 18th *ACE Hardware, JoDot Com, IDA Pharmacy, Fields, Freson Bros*

Cash Donations will be accepted at Family Community Support Services (FCSS) Office Box 125, Manning, AB T0H 2M0
Cheques payable to: Community Events

The community is welcome to arrange promotions within their workplace or organization in support of the Community Christmas Hamper Program. Please contact FCSS to arrange drop off.

Nonperishable food items will be distributed through Manning Food Bank throughout the year (funded agency of United Way Alberta Northwest)

“Christmas Moose”

The Christmas Hamper Program begins when a family submits an application.

We speak to the parents/caregivers regarding their children’s interest.

Christmas moose ornament is written up, capturing each child’s specific interest, and put on the FCSS Christmas tree.

Community members can look through the ornaments and choose a moose and sign out for that child’s gift. The gift will then be returned to FCSS before December 13th.



Sponsor a Hamper

If you would like to sponsor a hamper contact FCSS for more information

**For more information contact:
Arlene @ FCSS 780-836-2170**

*Generous donations from the Community enable us to provide this program.
Thank you for doing what you can. We are blessed to live in such a wonderful Community.*