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God is not unjust; he will not forget your work and the love you have shown him as you have helped his people and continue to help them. Hebrews 6:10

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to made be fairer
and easier for all

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Tinned Fruit
Tinned Carrots
Instant Mash
Shaving Foam
Sponge Puds
Fruit Juice
Carrier Bags

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Please support us to help local people in food crisis

The 2018 Ride For Food is here!

Sign up to the 24 mile cycle through Slough,
Datchet, Windsor and Dorney

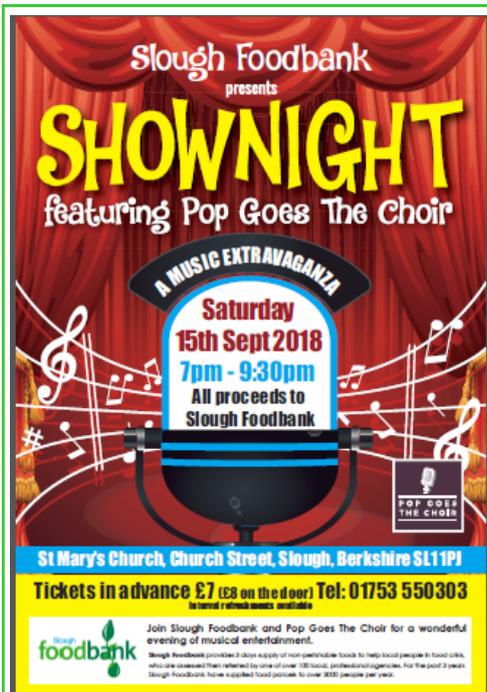
Get your registration and sponsor forms here:

[https://slough.foodbank.org.uk/2018/07/24/
ride-for-food-2018/](https://slough.foodbank.org.uk/2018/07/24/ride-for-food-2018/)

Last year's Ride For Food raised a total of
£1,961.69

(including £242 from HMRC for tax refund
on gift aid amounts)

Let's beat that amount in 2018!

Slough Foodbank
presents
SHOWNIGHT
featuring Pop Goes The Choir
A MUSIC EXTRAVAGANZA
Saturday
15th Sept 2018
7pm - 9:30pm
All proceeds to
Slough Foodbank
St Mary's Church, Church Street, Slough, Berkshire SL1 1PJ
Tickets in advance £7 (£8 on the door) Tel: 01753 550303
Join Slough Foodbank and Pop Goes The Choir for a wonderful evening of musical entertainment.
Slough Foodbank provides a store supply of non-perishable foods to help local people in food crisis, who are assessed then referred to one of over 100 local, professional agencies. For the past 9 years Slough Foodbank have supplied food parcels to over 3000 people per year.

Please come and support us.

Tickets £7 in advance from
office@slough.foodbank.org.uk
or 01753 550303

(£8 on the door)

Refreshments will be available to
purchase during the Interval

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Events: events@slough.foodbank.org.uk

Volunteers: volunteers@slough.foodbank.org.uk

Focus On: Wexham Distribution Centre

Our Wexham Distribution Centre is open every Saturday at **The Wexham Road Children's Centre** from 10 to 11.30am. This enables clients in the Wexham area to easily access a food parcel. It also means that people who work are able to come on Saturday to collect food or to offer volunteering.

We are always looking to add more volunteers.

For an application form please contact us:

volunteers@slough.foodbank.org.uk

Full training is given to enable our volunteers to offer both food and signposting to further help.

Here's a poem written a few years ago by a Foodbank volunteer. It sums up why we do it

Foodbank

Food we take for granted
Till all the food is gone.
You never see the bountiful -
Only when there's none.
The generosity of others
To give when there is need,
Helps us to help the vulnerable
When there are mouths to feed.
We try to give more than food
A cup of tea is a start.
Then an ear to hear your pain
Kindness to warm your heart.
We all have times of struggle
And it's nice to know we're there
To help you in your hour of need.
At the Foodbank we care.

Client Story:

My wife and I have 4 daughters, from 5 years – 16 years. I have run my own business for most of my life. My wife was my P.A. and has helped me. I had a massive stroke and have not been able to work, therefore lost everything. Windsor Council have kindly given me a flat to rent. I recently went to my landlord who assisted me with claiming child benefit, they recommended me to Slough foodbank where I found everyone to be absolutely lovely and selfless, they have helped in more ways than I can mention. In so few words!

How did you feel when you came to Slough Foodbank? *A little nervous and embarrassed.*

How were you greeted and helped?

From the minute I arrived I was made to feel completely welcome. Had a great feeling and experience.

Client Story:

My benefits are currently in the process of being changed over to Universal Credits.

The foodbank has helped me so much. Always friendly faces when you come to them and give you a warm welcome, if it wasn't for Slough foodbank I don't know what I would do in my time of need.



A huge thank you to our landlords, SEGRO, who have donated warehouse and office space to us since 2012 and have committed to continue to support us.

Without this facility we would find it incredibly difficult to operate, if at all.

We know we are really blessed and are the envy of so many other foodbanks.

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